

CTA PHILOSOPHY

The Chandler Traditional Academy program was founded on the principle that parents, students and staff shall work together as partners to provide an education that encourages all students to pursue academic excellence to the best of their abilities. Arizona College and Career Ready Standards, pace and specific expectations for academic achievement, behavior and dress require a firm commitment from every student, parent and teacher.



CTA'S ACADEMIC PROGRAMS DIFFER FROM OTHER CUSD SCHOOLS IN THAT ...

We use the Spalding Method, a strong phonics-based spelling, writing and reading program, as the basis for instruction in language arts. This is supported by a district adopted research-based reading program and Accelerated Reader. Our math curriculum is accelerated using MyMath and Glencoe Math, one grade level ahead. CTA homework also meets or exceeds CUSD's homework requirements.

OUR ACADEMIC PROGRAM

The Chandler Traditional Academies are designed to develop a solid foundation of fundamental and higher-level thinking skills through structured and rigorous curriculum that is consistent within each grade level and sequential throughout the grades.

Kindergarten through sixth grade curriculum is taught using direct instruction, and research-based teaching strategies, while making learning relevant to each student. At CTA we strive to build relationships with our students and families that foster a love and dedication to learning.

OPPORTUNITIES FOR PARENT INVOLVEMENT

As a CTA parent, you have a variety of opportunities to volunteer during the school year.

- Classroom Volunteer
- Art Masterpiece Instructor
- Site Council
- Junior Achievement
- Room Parent
- PTO
- Committees

We welcome and appreciate the time our parents can devote to their child's education and building lasting relationships with the school community.

STUDENT ACTIVITIES

Specials:

- Library
- Technology
- Physical Education
- Music
- Art Masterpiece

Before & After-School Activities:

- Band / Orchestra
- Chorus / Bucket Drumming
- Tutoring
- Student Council
- Clubs

Before and after-school enrichment programs available at all campuses. Contact CUSD Community Education at 480-224-3900 or visit www.cusdcommunity.com.

Kids Express -- Before & After-School Care
cusd80.com/KidsExpress

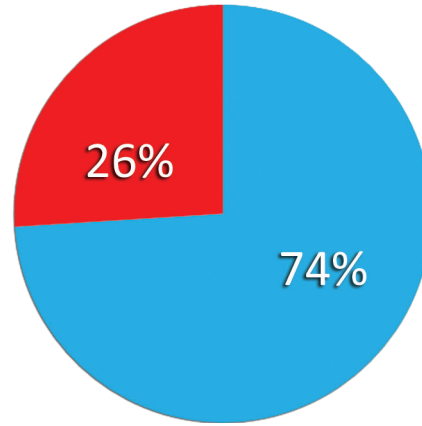
EFFECTIVE QUALITIES OF THE CTA CURRICULUM

- Spalding language arts instruction
 - cursive
- MyMath (K-4) / Glencoe Math (5-6)
 - Math accelerated one year ahead
- Systematic, whole group, direct instruction, followed by small group instruction
- Write From the Beginning / Thinking Maps
- High standards for academics and behavior
- Prescribed uniform dress
- Focus on patriotism and character building
- Accelerated Reader program



CTA HUMPHREY

STAFF CREDENTIALS



● MA ● BA/BS

- **74%** of our teachers have their Master's Degree
- **100%** are Spalding trained or certified

CTA - HUMPHREY CAMPUS

Bianca Todd | Principal

Office Hours: 7:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

School Hours: 8:10 a.m. - 2:40 p.m.

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For more information visit
our website:

CUSD80.com/humphrey



CHANDLER TRADITIONAL ACADEMY CHOICES

RIGOR, RELEVANCE, AND RELATIONSHIPS

FULL CTA CAMPUSES

Freedom | Goodman | **HUMPHREY**
Independence | Liberty

DUAL CTA/CLASSIC CAMPUSES

Auxier | Carlson | Patterson | Rice

