

STUDENT COUNCIL

Participation in Copley High School's student council is a great opportunity for students to take a leadership position that requires service to our student body, faculty and community. Each year student council organizes and sponsors activities such as homecoming, winter formal, Red Cross Blood Drives, hunger drive and Veterans Day. Our school's student body elects four officers for student council each school year. The elected positions are as follows: president, vice-president, treasurer and secretary. In addition to the elected positions, there are appointments that are made for at-large representatives which allows students that may not win an elected position to still participate. Each year our student council consists of approximately 20-30 students. Students that are interested in participating in student council should listen for announcements in mid-May for the procedures to be followed. Generally, an application packet will be made available in the main office for students to pick up, complete, and submit.



Advisor: Mrs. Rynearson

TECHNOLOGY CLUB

Technology Club is for students interested in all things technology related. Students who participate in technology club will have the opportunity to design projects, build props for the play, video tape special events, edit video, create posters, etc. The technology club meets on an as-needed basis through the year.



Advisor: Mr. Harder

Clubs & Activities



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Speech and Debate Team

The Speech and Debate team teaches students how to research and develop public speaking skills.

The Speech and Debate team is open to anyone who wants to learn how to develop research skills, acting skills, and public speaking. We offer three different kinds of debate events, four acting events, and five public speaking events. Our season starts in October and ends in March and we compete every weekend against local schools. We are a member of the National Forensic League and the Ohio High School Speech league. Speech and debate is wonderful activity for college bound students. Speech Team meets everyday after school until 4 for practice. Debate practice is in the evenings after school three nights a week. For more information about the Speech and Debate team check out our web site: <http://www.copley-fairlawn.org/chs/speechdebate>



Advisor: Ms. Rote

SPIRIT CLUB



The Spirit Club meets to promote spirit throughout the high school. They plan everything from spirit days to pep assemblies. We are always looking for new members to help spread spirit and to get new ideas. For more information you can email the advisor, follow us on Twitter or join the Facebook group to learn about upcoming events.

Advisor: Ms. Saltis



NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY

The National Honor Society is an organization focused on the characteristics of character, scholarship, leadership, and service. NHS admission is offered to juniors and seniors who qualify based on grade point average. Those students must then complete an application; after applications have been received a faculty council considers the applications and invites those individuals who exemplify the NHS standards. Once a member, students participate in a variety of activities, particularly volunteerism, to emphasize the ideals the society represents.

Advisor: Mrs. Miller

Spanish Club



Spanish club is a student-organized and student-run group that focuses on learning about and experiencing different cultures in the Spanish-speaking world. In previous years, we have celebrated Day of the Dead, had athletic competitions, taken after-school field trips, had salsa dance lessons, and many other fun activities. Your Spanish teacher will tell you how and when to join.

Advisor: Mr. Sexton and Mr. Hendrickson

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ACADEMIC CHALLENGE

Academic Challenge provides students with an opportunity to compete in academic tournaments throughout the year. Copley's AC team belongs to the Summit County League, as well as the Suburban League which has recently added an academic competition among member schools. Belonging to these organizations provides a chance for the younger members of the team to compete at a beginning level. The team's proud tradition includes 6 state championships since 1995 as well as competing at the state championship in Columbus in 18 of the last 20 years. The team has consistently scored in the top 10 on the WEWS Academic Challenge show.

Membership is open to all students who are committed to practice and participate in competitions. No previous experience is required. Most tournaments are held on Saturdays throughout the school year. Copley hosts two tournaments ~ one in October and one in February, which is the biggest tournament in the state.

The team practices after school every Tuesday and Thursday throughout the year. Every year since 1992, students have participated in a national tournament in places such as Dallas, Washington, DC, Atlanta, Chicago, San Antonio, and at Disney World (the five years when they won the state championship).

Interested students may contact one of the advisors.

Advisors: Mrs. Korosa, Ms. Lopez & Mr. Eck



KEY CLUB

Key Club International is the high school organization sponsored by Kiwanis International. Key Club assists Kiwanis in carrying out its mission to serve the children of the world. High school student members of Key Club perform acts of service in their communities, such as cleaning up parks, collecting clothing and organizing food drives. They also learn leadership skills by running meetings, planning projects and holding elected leadership positions at the club, district and international levels.

In the past, Copley High School Key Club has helped support UNICEF, March of Dimes, Make-A-Wish Foundation, Hospice, and local charities. The Key Club program at Copley High School strives to promote student involvement in service projects in the school, community, and international arenas. Students have the opportunity to pursue leadership opportunities and development at the club, state and international levels, and may apply for Kiwanis sponsored Key Club Scholarships. Because Key Club International is the largest student organization in the world, college admissions officers recognize that involvement in Key Club connotes a student with leadership skills and an understanding of the importance of service. Key Club meets in the CHS auditorium every Wednesday morning at 7:00 am.

Advisors: Mrs. Regennitter & Mr. Hendrickson

MY BROTHER MY SISTER

My Brother My Sister is a national mentor leadership organization founded by a Copley High School student in 2008. The organization's purpose is to provide unity, a sense of responsibility, and servant leadership dedicated to solving local, national, and global issues. Its members boast over a 95% college/university acceptance rate. My Brother My Sister is supported, by the National Rites of Passage Institute, community leaders, parents, and youth advocates. The group meets Wednesdays after school in the Tomahawk Room.



Advisor: Brother Sekau



HAM RADIO CLUB

The Radio Club is open to all students 6th grade and older who have an interest in communications, electronics, and the desire to understand how things work. Students will be required to study and pass their technician or higher class license. Activities include talking to individuals from countries all over the world on Ham Radios or echolink, visiting Radio and TV stations, taking things apart, learning Morse Code, and going on fox hunts.

There are 2 working radio stations: Copley High School (W8CHS) and Copley Middle School (W8CMS)

High school club members meet on Mondays at the high school in Room 091 at 2:30pm. They are also welcome to help at the middle school meetings on Fridays from 3:05-4:00pm.

You will have an opportunity to attend field day, help with communications at area events and to join Sky Warn.

CHS Advisor: Mr. Bennett (W8WEN)

CFMS Advisors: Dr. Dressler (KD8V)
Mr. Bennett (W8WEN)

"INSIDE OUT" CLUB

What: Student Run Bible Study

When & Where: Wednesdays 6:45 A.M. in room 091 (Mr. Bennett's room)

Wednesdays 2:30 P. M. in room 251 (Mr. Boerema's room)

Bible study/discussion group designed to give students a forum to exchange religious views and learn Biblical values and ideals, while encouraging and strengthening each other in their daily walk.

Advisors: Mr. Bennett & Mrs. Bennett -A.M.
Mr. Boerema-P.M.



AUDITORIUM SOUND & LIGHTING TECH CREW

The Auditorium Tech Crew offers students the opportunity to learn how to work in a functioning theatre environment, working with modern equipment found in many local theatres.



The tech crew will provide training on the light and sound board that will help students create visual and audio effects that will enhance the on stage activities. Students will also learn standard industry terms and have the opportunity to develop resume skills.

Once crew members are comfortable with the equipment, they will have the chance to take part in running the sound and lighting for many CHS events, including drama and musical productions, school assemblies, the annual talent show, Man of the Year, etc.

Monthly meetings and trainings will be held in the John Halchin auditorium.

Advisors: Mrs. Casida

CHESS CLUB



Chess Club is open to all grades in the Copley-Fairlawn School District. We are always in search of individuals with the desire to hone their skills at playing chess. Copley's chess teams compete in the Akron Chess league. The A-Division won in 2009-10 and tied in 2010-11. The B -Division won in 2010-11. There is also a C-Division and once a month we have middle school chess. All are invited to compete in a number of tournaments. Some of these are the grade level championships, autumn classics, individual tournaments and the state championships for girls, elementary, middle school, and high school. The club meets on Mondays and Wednesdays after school during the winter season in room 091. For more information, contact the advisor.

Advisor: Mr. Bennett

CHINESE CLUB

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The language, the lifestyle, the people. China is a country rich in culture and diversity, serving as home for countless unique individuals just like ourselves. Much of the beauty and heritage of the Far East is lost in its translation to our Western idealism, and a great deal of what makes China so special will never be known to those who have not already chosen to explore it. Our Chinese Club wants to help you make that choice. Founded by students in the Chinese class, the club aims to enrich students' notions of just what Chinese life is all about. Be it through a lesson in language or an exploration of customs and traditions, you are sure to end up with a much greater understanding of what being Chinese is all about. Our meetings are held every Friday at 3:00pm in the Media Center.

If you wish to learn more about Chinese Club, visit our Facebook page (Copley-Fairlawn High School: Chinese Club), talk to a club officer, or get in touch with the advisor and ask to join! Chinese Club is open to any interested students by participating in announced activities.

Advisor: Ms. Zhou

COPLEY STUDENTS UNITED

Copley Students United is composed of high school students that have the desire to experience and learn about the diverse cultures in the world around them.



Copley Students United are looking for young men and women, who want to be exposed to other cultures and various types of people. We have done this through Cultural Awareness presentations. Past cultures presented are Chile, China, Greece, Japan, Korea, Scotland, and Holidays around the World. We have volunteered for Ohio Special Olympics Nordic Competition, attended Black History Month Seminar, taken a field trip to Hale Farm to participate in Fugitive Path, Got Game?? These are just some of the activities we participate in throughout the school year. Events are held either after-school, or during school hours. Listen to the announcements or check out the district web page for Copley Students United to find out times/dates of our events. Come get to know others in the high school that you might not normally encounter.

We meet in Room 262 on the 2nd Tuesday of each month at 2:30 - 2:50 (or longer if needed.)

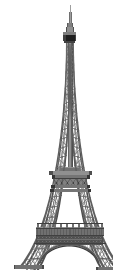
Advisor: Mrs. Gracen

ENVIRONMENTAL CLUB

The Environmental Club is proud to be stewards of the Earth. We are here to protect our Mother Earth and provide guidance and resources to help others do the same. We are proud and active members of various environmental organizations, including The Sierra Club, The World Wildlife Fund, and The Arbor Day Foundation. Activities include the school recycling program, greenhouse plant care, maintenance of the courtyard, endangered species sponsorship, and various community activities. Our club meets on the first and third Monday of every month after school in the greenhouse. Interested students can join anytime by coming to a meeting or seeing Mr. Malcolm. Visit our website under "Organizations & Activities" on the CHS home page for more information.



Advisor: Mr. Malcolm



FRENCH CLUB

French Club seeks to provide students of French with the opportunity to celebrate and explore French culture, language and cuisine. Meetings are generally held in Room 270. The times and activities are decided upon by the annually elected officers. Membership is open to any interested current or former French students by participating in announced activities.

Advisor: Madame Ong

GERMAN CLUB

German Club is a student-run organization dedicated to German culture and student leadership formation. Members don't need to be students of the German class. Membership is open in the Spring and the Fall of each school year. Elections for officers are held in the Spring.



Advisor: Ms. Starcher