## Chickasha High School Clubs/Activities

Club/Activity	Sponsor	Purpose
Academic Team	Mr. Steele Mrs. Jantzen	The Academic Team allows students to compete and expand upon what they're learning in the classroom – and have fun while doing it.
Archery	Ms. Noland	Archery is a sport based on both mental and physical focus. It requires a dedication to safety first, and an eye for a bullseye. This sport is open to elementary through high school students in our district and they compete on individual and team levels. It teaches focus, respect for others, and safety first.
Art Club	Mr. Heilman	Art Club provides an opportunity for students with an interest in the visual arts to gather outside of class time to further explore their creative ideas beyond the curriculum, as well as engage in large scale collaborative art projects that benefit our school and community.
Band	Mrs. Sprinkle Mr. Hubbard Mrs. Shaw	The CHS Band Program encompasses a multitude of performance opportunities for each student. Building on skills learned from band at Lincoln and CMS, high school band students are exposed to instrumental music at a high level.  Starting in the summer, we work on a competitive marching band show that we take to marching invitationals and OSSAA regional contest. We work on the skills necessary to support our Fightin' Chick students at various school events including pep rallies and sporting events.
		After marching season, we transition over to concert band and work towards district and state level OSSAA competitions. Students have the opportunity to work on musical repertoire for small group/solo events and large ensemble contests. Concerts are another performance opportunity to showcase the work the students have put in all school year.

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		In the CHS Band, we learn music of various styles and also learn valuable life lessons. Leadership, time management, responsibility and self-efficacy to name a few are beneficial skills that students will gain to help them flourish in society.
Choir	Mrs. Conder	Choir introduces students to a variety of musical styles, genres, and cultures and allows opportunities for performance of these different types of music, while using correct singing technique. A lot of fun is incorporated into the mix as well!
Colorguard and Winterguard	Mrs. Shaw	Often called the Sport of the Arts, combining dance, flags, and other equipment in theatrical dance performances.
DECA	Ms. O'Neal	DECA prepares emerging leaders and entrepreneurs for careers in marketing, finance, hospitality and management in high school.
Drama Club	Mr. Lowell	Chickasha Drama supports the artistry of every student and honors their identities, perspectives and theatre traditions. CHS Drama students will be able to be involved with four to six "live" productions each year.  The CHS Drama Club works with Chickasha Community Theatre to create an active learning environment which fosters meaningful work and contributes to the community through live performances at the historic Washita Theatre.  CHS Drama is committed to promoting the development of strong character, expressed as individual responsibility, public involvement, and a continued commitment to personal growth beyond the high school environment.  CHS Drama students have access to all areas of a working theatre and will be

		able to contribute to costuming, make-up, technical theatre as well as acting. Students learn "front of house" duties and theater management for live performances at the Washita Theatre. CHS Drama students who have participated in two or more productions will be eligible for a Senior scholarship through CCT and CHS Drama Club.
E-Sports	Ms. Turpin	Esports is a team sport competing in video games such as Smash Brothers, Mario Kart, Madden, Splatoon and many others. It's a great way to tell parents, "I have to play! It's for Esports!" Competition is under the direction of OSSAA and the CPS Athletic Department.
FCA	Mrs. Butler	FCA is a nationwide organization dedicated to helping students and athletes grow closer in their relationship with God, teammates, and fellow students.
FFA	Mr. McPeak, Mr. Conway & Mrs. Schmidt	The National FFA Organization is the largest student-run organization in the country and prepares students with an interest in science, business, and technology. Formerly known as Future Farmers of America, today the FFA is a widespread and diverse organization serving a half a million students annually. While the FFA certainly still serves students with an interest in farming, it is also provides opportunities in medicine, research, technology, the environment, business, communications, and leadership. FFA members are on the forefront of advances in science, have opportunities to grow through leadership, and can become proficient in public speaking and career-related skills through activities available throughout the year in FFA.  FFA is an intracurricular student organization for those interested in

		agriculture and leadership. It is one of the three components of agricultural education and is included as a part of agricultural education classes.  Chickasha FFA is a well rounded program that consistently ranks in the top 1% of FFA Chapters nationwide and has a long standing history of excellence, producing leaders across CHS, Oklahoma, and the United States.  Mission: "FFA makes a positive difference in the lives of students by developing their potential for premier leadership, personal growth and career success through agricultural education."
Internship Program	Mrs. Goble	Seniors participate in a professional learning experience that offers meaningful, practical work related to a student's field of study or career interest. An internship gives a student the opportunity for career exploration and development, and to learn new skills.
Jr. Optimist	Ms. Turpin	The Junior Optimist Club Club (JOI) is a service club dedicated to improving the school climate and the lives of the students at Chickasha High School. Our motto is "Kids helping kids". We are affiliated with the Junior Optimists International and with the local chapter of the Optimist Club. We hold service activities and donation drives as needed to aid local kids in need.
Key/Volunteer Club	Mr. Steele	To give students an opportunity to volunteer around school and the community. We run the blood drive at least once a semester, we do trash pick up, canned food drives and various other activities on campus and off.
National Art Honor Society	Mr. Heilman	National Art Honor Society honors excellence in the visual arts at our school, provides a community that advocates for student voices and the arts, as well as

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		providing incredible leadership opportunities.
National Honor Society	Ms. Turpin	The Chickasha Chapter of the National Honor Society recognizes students who achieve required standards of scholarship, leadership, character and service to school.
Native American Cultural Club (NACC)	Mrs. Patty	The Native American culture club allows you to learn about various Native American cultures through fellowship, games, activities, crafts, teaching younger students, etc. It's open to all CHS students.
Robotics	Ms. O'Neal	FIRST Robotics Competition (FRC) is "The Varsity sport for the mind,"
		Our team goal is to inspire more students to pursue career interests in business, science, technology, engineering, and math. We strive to show the community what an impact one small group of people can make.
Steppin' Out	Mrs. Conder	Steppin' Out is an audition-only show choir open to 10th, 11th and 12th graders. They learn more difficult music and will perform at different local venues, as well as participating in OSSAA contests. They also annually do a themed Spring Show which incorporates various styles of music, including choreography.
Student Council	Mrs. Weber	The Student Council are elected students from each class who meet to address concerns from the student body. They are the middle ground between the students and administrators. The Student Council plans events throughout the year to encourage school spirit, educate, and entertain the student body, faculty, and on occasion community members.
Yearbook	Mrs. Jantzen	The Yearbook is a snapshot of the school year. It gives a lifetime glimpse of what the student body was and is today. The Yearbook team is part of each club, team and organization on campus and works to

	represent CHS on every page. We give a face to every student and staff member in our school. Say cheese!
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