

**School Profile**  
**Franklin County High School**  
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**School Counselor: Kayla Creely, Student Last Names H-O**

**School Counselor, Robin Lawhorn, Student Last Names P-Z**

**OUR SCHOOL**

Franklin County High School is located on the east side of Frankfort just east of the intersection of U.S. 460 and U.S. 421. Franklin County High School is the largest of three high schools located within the county. FCHS has a current enrollment of approximately 1000 students.

The FCHS staff is a highly-educated, diverse group of teachers. The FCHS faculty is made up of 56 classroom and resource teachers, three school counselors, one library media specialist, and a youth service center director. All faculty members are teaching in their area of certification. Other useful information about teacher qualifications and professional development can be found in the school's School Report Card, the School Improvement Plan, and/or the Expanded Report Card, which are available upon request at the school's office.

Franklin County High School is completely networked and connected to the Internet via a high-speed fiber-optic connection and wireless internet access to staff and students. FCHS is proud to be a part of the 1:World initiative. As part of this initiative, each FCHS student has a personal Chromebook for completion of class assignments, as well as homework. In addition, computer workspaces are available in the library, as well as classrooms. FCHS also has four computer labs. One computer lab is dedicated to online learning and is used for both credit recovery, as well as accelerated learning.

Franklin County High School also offers an extensive career and technical education curriculum that is provided by both Franklin County High School and the Franklin County Career & Technical Center, which is located adjacent to the FCHS campus. Courses in information technology, engineering, health science, automotive mechanics, carpentry, and welding are just some of the course offerings. For more information about the Career &

Technical Center, on contact the CTC office at (502) 695-6790 or contact John Sanders , Director, Franklin County Career & Technical Center, 1106 East Main Street, Frankfort, KY 40601.

## **OUR COMMUNITY**

Franklin County is a historic, scenic, and progressive area. It is an unequalled melding of wide open spaces, pastoral bluegrass farms, rolling countryside, clear streams and rivers, historic buildings, a stimulating political climate, and small town suburbia all rolled into one. Located just 25 minutes west of Lexington, 45 minutes east of Louisville, and 80 miles south of Cincinnati, the community combines rural/suburban living with "big city" convenience. Frankfort, the largest city in Franklin County, is the seat of both state and county government, which offers the district the chance to be in close contact with state and local officials.

Franklin County has a population of 50,991 residents as reported by the Census Bureau in 2000. Approximately 51% of the population is female and 49% is male. The area's ethnic makeup is nearly 84% white, 10% African-American and about 6% other races (Hispanic, American Indian, Asian, etc.). Approximately 44% of the total population falls into the school-age range (5-19).

Frankfort's mayor is Lane Wilkerson. The city is served by four city commissioners, and employs 56 police officers. Huston Wells is the Franklin County Judge-Executive who works with six county magistrates. Local school policy is determined by The Franklin County Public Schools Board of Education . The Board is composed of the following six members: Mark Kopp, Superintendent; Chuck Fletcher, BeLinda Henson, Natalie Lile, Larry Perkins and Justin Watterson. School board members are elected for two-year terms by a general election.