



SCHOOL DEMOGRAPHICS

14 Full-time teachers
Average class size: 17

2023 LICENSURES EARNED

- Approved Veterinary Assistant
- Dental X-Ray
- Dental Coronal Polishing
- Article 9
- FAA Part 107 Remote Pilot
- Smart Automation Certification Alliance
- Direct Care Worker
- EKG/Phlebotomy
- Certified Clinical Medical Assistant
- Licensed Cosmetologist
- Licensed Hairstylist
- Licensed Massage Therapist
- Registered Medical Assistant
- Crime Scene Management
- Security Guard Card
- Wildland Firefighter

STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT DATA ON 2023 ARIZONA CAREER AND TECHNICAL EDUCATION END-OF-PROGRAM ASSESSMENTS

- *41% pass rate for AIT program completers
- *100% pass rate for Cosmetology program completers
- *97% pass rate for Dental Science program completers
- *100% pass rate for Fire Science program completers
- *100% pass rate for Massage Therapy program completers
- *89% pass rate for Medical Science program completers
- *91% pass rate for Veterinary Science program completers

**The program ranked in the top three for CTED state performance.*

2023 SCHOOL HONORS

COGNIA School Accreditation
Renewal with Excelling Scores

Golden Bell Award through
Arizona School Boards Association

Silver Star of Excellence Award
through National Technical Honor Society

MISSION STATEMENT

The Central Arizona Valley Institute of Technology provides Career and Technology Education opportunities for students to become members of a competitive workforce.

VISION

Education with a Purpose

THE SCHOOL

Established in 2001, Central Arizona Valley Institute of Technology (CAVIT) is a career technology education district offering career and technical training to 11-12th grade students, as well as, graduates up to the age of 21. Offering instruction on a central campus located in Coolidge, CAVIT serves the career and college needs of 800 students that represent 17 area high schools. The student body represents culturally and economically diverse backgrounds. The school carries A+ School of Excellence designation and accreditation through Cognia.

The integrated academic and project-based technical curriculum prepares students for immediate employment and/or entrance into post-secondary education after high school graduation. Six of eight programs provide advanced students with free dual enrollment Career and Technical Education (CTE) dual enrollment college credit ranging from 3 to 9 credits through Central Arizona and Pima Community Colleges. Qualified students participate in business and industry internships. Several internship sites include: Abbott Nutrition, Pinal County Animal Control, and Sun Life Family Medical Centers.

Through an application process, students are selected for enrollment based on their academic records, citizenship, and attendance. Students attend their home school for four periods a day and attend CAVIT for a one period, two-hour class. Program coursework is progressive in nature and follows an inquiry-based model that promotes critical thinking. Teachers are highly qualified in their content area with all staff carrying advanced degrees and industry certifications.

In addition to coursework and practical experience, the staff foster an environment of teamwork. Students are encouraged to participate in a wide variety of campus activities which include, but are not limited to, National Technical Honor Society, SkillsUSA, and HOSA. Students in the hairstyling, dental science, massage therapy, medical science, pharmacy science, and veterinary science programs operate campus clinics that provide wellness services to community residents two times per month.

A comprehensive career and college ready calendar of professional development activity is offered to all students. Partners from industry and post-secondary institutions collaborate with staff in delivering CAVIT's COLLEGECon, CONSUMERCon, and CAVITCon, Reverse Job Fair, Industry Tours, Career Display and Career Speaker Forum events. Service learning is embedded into the curriculum with each teacher conducting a community service project with students that is delivered to various groups within the county.