R5 High School

Unique learning experiences in projects that are hands-on and involve learning across all core content areas.

Small, inclusive environment providing individual support and pathways to graduation that provides customized credit recovery options.

Connections to the real-world developing skills that will benefit students beyond high school in the workforce and college environments.

Connections with others to build communication, collaboration, and relationship skills essential to thrive in a global innovation economy.

If you are interested in enrolling, please visit with your school counselor
For more information about our program, please visit https://r5.d51schools.org/

Home of the Phoenix

'The Who, The What, The When, & The Why'

Who: An R-5 Phoenix is 16 years of age or older and ready to move towards career readiness. Our learners are in the workforce, concurrent enrollment, internships or are parents themselves. They are willing to get dirty, get moving and redefine what academic success means to them. Each student has a place in our community so we expect our students to be here on time, set their phones aside and connect with their teachers and peers. We require students to be here no less than 70% of the time. R-5 is a choice and if a young person decides to be a Phoenix, we expect them to choose R-5 every day.

What: R-5 learners engage in several projects designed to meet academic standards across all content areas in a hands-on way. Our structure is unique in that students have 2 projects on their schedule in addition to an advisory. The projects are selected by the learner and their advisory teacher to meet their remaining credit deficits and progress towards graduation.

When: Learners are on campus from 8-12:30. All learners must have a secondary placement where they work, volunteer or learn for a minimum of 10 hours per week. R-5 students earn additional credit for their secondary placements.

Why: We know that learners can differ greatly in what they need to succeed. R-5 is the alternative for the high school student who needs a non-traditional pathway, academic recovery and personalized support. Relationships and experiences are what drive the “why” behind our staff and our learners.

Responsibility * Reflection * Readiness * Relationships * Respect