Rock Club — Members meet once a week to learn and practice songs, with the intention of performing. While the club is open to all Carmel High School students, they must pass an audition. There are at least two shows each year. Students set the program from a pool of classic rock songs and others of their own choosing.

Science Club — The club where “we blow things up for its educational value.” Activities include experiments, demonstrations, a field trip to the Splash Down, Murder Mystery Dinner Play (a fundraiser) and the Liquid Nitrogen Ice Cream Sale. Meetings are held after school on Mondays (except the 1st Monday of each month).

Spanish Club — Open to all high school students interested in the Spanish language and culture and those students of Hispanic descent. One of the club’s goals is to celebrate diversity in our school by acknowledging not only the Spanish heritage but different cultures throughout the world. Activities include Homecoming, Kids Day and trips to enjoy Latin food, culture and music. There are numerous opportunities to participate in community events that will provide our students with community service hours. The club hosts the popular International Dinner which is open to all CHS clubs. Meetings are generally once a week and are filled with fun activities and guest speakers. Several fundraising events are held throughout the year to help fund club trips. The club serves as the host to the induction ceremony held every other year for the Spanish National Honor Society, “Los Sobresalientes de Carmel”.

Student Organization — In April, each class elects class and school-wide representatives to lead the student body in fundraising events and school activities.

Student Mentor Program — Open to juniors and seniors, students apply and are selected for the Student Mentor program in the spring. Student Mentors interact with their assigned incoming freshman throughout the school year to orient students to the high school building and culture, answer questions, direct them to where they can seek help if needed and generally encourage them to succeed in high school. Training takes place in May/June and again in August.

Yearbook — Open to all high school students, meetings are held each Friday. The yearbook staff works on photography, typing, layouts, selling ad space and mailings. The editors (usually 5 or 6 students) work more on graphic design and the layout.

Be sure to listen to daily announcements for meeting times and locations.
**Art Club** — Designed for students with any level of artistic talent. Students are encouraged to have fun and explore different styles of artistic expression while reaching out to both the school and community. Main activities include personal artwork, mural painting, and artwork for other clubs. Past community projects have included painting murals at local libraries.

**Book Club** — Students meet on a weekly basis and pick a book to read of their choice! Meet to discuss characters, plot details, and many literary connections that occur through literature.

**Cancer Awareness** — Members actively participate in the improvement of the environment around campus and in our community, as well as the world in general. Projects include raising awareness regarding local and global environmental issues, fundraising to help protect endangered species, and a school-wide recycling program. The club meets every Thursday.

**French Club** — Open to all high school students interested in the French language and culture. Activities include Homecoming, Kids Day and trips to enjoy French cuisine, culture and music. There are numerous opportunities to participate in community events that will provide our students with community service hours. Meetings are generally once a week and are filled with fun activities and guest speakers. Several fundraising events are held throughout the year to help fund club trips. There are also opportunities to participate in the trip to Québec.

**Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA)** — An association for students that is organized on national, state and local levels. CHS FBLA members are active in school and community partnerships that exemplify the club’s overall mission of community service, educating themselves and others and promoting progressive ideas through professional connections. Students explore career possibilities, travel and meet new people.

**Go Green** — Remember to Recycle! Help spread the word about preserving our planet and join our Go Green Club! Students meet weekly and help educate staff and peers about how to recycle and the many benefits it has. Students brainstorm ways to improve our environment and help implement them within the high school.

**Interact** — A Rotary-sponsored service club. The program gives students an opportunity to participate in fun, meaningful service projects while developing leadership skills and meeting new friends.

**Interscholastic Sports Programs**

Check with the Athletic office for details and try-out information.

**Fall Programs**
- Cheerleading (Varsity, JV, Freshman)
- Cross Country (Varsity, Boys & Girls Teams)
- Field Hockey (Varsity, JV)
- Football (Varsity, JV, Freshman)
- Girls Tennis (Varsity)
- Girls Volleyball (Varsity, JV)
- Ramettes Dance Team
- Soccer (Varsity, JV, Boys & Girls Teams)

**Winter Programs**
- Basketball (Varsity, JV, Freshman, Boys & Girls Teams)
- Bowling (Varsity, Co-Ed)
- Cheerleading (Varsity, JV)
- Gymnastics (Varsity)
- Ice Hockey (Varsity)
- Ramettes Dance Team
- Skiing (Varsity, Boys & Girls Teams)
- Track (Varsity, JV, Boys & Girls Teams)
- Wrestling

**Spring Programs**
- Baseball (Varsity, JV, Freshman)
- Boys Lacrosse (Varsity, JV)
- Boys Tennis (Varsity)
- Girls Lacrosse (Varsity, JV)
- Girls Softball (Varsity, JV, Freshman)
- Golf (Varsity, Boys & Girls Teams)
- Track (Varsity, JV, Boys & Girls Teams)
- Wrestling

**Italian-American Club** — Open to all students. Activities include the Foreign Exchange Program with our sister school in Mantova, Italy, the Faculty Tea, Homecoming, Kids’ Day, the Talent Show, a Valentine’s Day Party for residents of the Putnam Nursing Home, plays, restaurants and cultural events. The club meets every other Thursday. Members of the Italian-American club serve as hosts for the induction ceremony of the Italian National Honor Society.

**Musical Groups** — Students may participate in the following musical groups:
- **Bella Voce** — Chamber choir principally for accapella and classical music. Rehearsals are every Friday. In addition to school district performances, the group may perform at other venues throughout the year.
- **CHS Singers** — A select group that performs popular and music from Broadway musicals. The ensemble is featured at the annual Pops Concert.
- **Jazz Band** — Open to any student who plays saxophone, trumpet, trombone, drums, guitar, piano or bass. In addition to school concerts, the group performs for a variety of functions in the community and is featured at the annual Pops Concert each winter. Rehearsals are on Wednesdays from 2-3 PM, with additional rehearsals scheduled before performances.
- **Tri-M Music Honor Society** — A group of students who help the music directors oversee the many functions of the Music Department, including planning trips, assisting with concert preparations, performing accounting functions for the activity fund, and making decorations for the Pops Concert.
- **Music Production Workshop** — Each year students are encouraged to try out for parts in either the high school music production or the pit orchestra. Rehearsals are Monday-Friday from 3-5 PM and run from December through the play’s production in March/April.

**National Honor Society** — Junior and senior students who achieve an 90 average are invited to apply for membership. The application requires that students document service to the school and/or greater community. Additionally, leadership and character are important factors considered by the faculty committee that reviews applications. Members must maintain their excellence in all four areas. In addition to monthly meetings, the club members participate in a variety of school activities as a group, supporting other organizations in the school community and initiating its own events.

**Peer Support Group** — A program for juniors and seniors who would like to work with elementary school students in a classroom setting. The SAS students commit to work with the same teacher and class for the school-year, affording them the opportunity to develop a relationship with the teacher and students in the educational community. Many SAS students consider a career in education and welcome this hands-on experience.

**Robotics Club** — Students meet on a biweekly basis to create hands-on materials using 3-D printers, lasers, and so much more. This program is aligned with Project Lead the Way as well as with our technology class here at the high school. Members of the Robotics Team also compete against schools in other counties for the best made Robot!