



PACIFICA HIGH SCHOOL

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PROFILE

COMMUNITY

Suburban residential
Socio-economic level: low middle
Employment profile: light manufacturing, technical, agriculture, medical
Fifty-five miles northwest of Los Angeles Civic Center in Ventura County

SCHOOL DISTRICT

Oxnard Union High School
Six comprehensive high schools
One alternative high school
Student Enrollment: 16,000 approximate

SCHOOL DESCRIPTION

Public, four-year high school-opened 2001
2009-2010 Student Enrollment: 3,257
2009-2010 Senior Class: 816
Certificated Personnel: 150
Accreditation: Western Association of Schools and Colleges
6 years through Spring 2011
Classes: five days a week per semester, six periods per day (19 weeks);
5 credits per class; 10 credits – 1 Carnegie Unit

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

1. The minimum numbers of credits required for graduation is 230.
2. Students must successfully complete Computer Literacy
3. Students must successfully complete the California High School Exit Exam (Math/Language Arts)
4. Required Courses:
 - 40 credits – English
 - 30 credits – Mathematics, through 2nd semester Algebra 1, or 2nd semester Algebra 1B SDC.
 - 20 credits – Physical Education
 - 20 credits – Science, including physical and biological science
 - 5 credits – Health Education/State Requirements
 - 35 credits – Social Science to include:
 - 5 credits – Geography
 - 10 credits – World Civilization
 - 10 credits – United States History
 - 5 credits – American Government
 - 5 credits – Economics
 - 10 credits – Foreign Language or Fine Arts*

*Note: All Fine Art courses, Music courses, Drama, Dance Techniques and Advanced Dance meet the Fine Arts graduation requirements.

PACIFICA HIGH SCHOOL PROFILE (Continued)

GRADE-POINT AVERAGE RANK IN CLASS	Cumulative Grade Point Average (GPA) is computed using standards based grades in all coursework. Rank in class is determined by Grade Point Average of Grades 9-12. (Several students may have the same rank.)
GRADING SCALE	Honors/AP Classes A=4.0 grade points A=5.0 B=3.0 B=4.0 C=2.0 C=3.0 D=1.0 D=1.0 F=0.0 F=0.0
SCHOLASTIC PROFILE	Scholastic Aptitude Test (SAT) Mean Scores 2009-2010 Verbal Math Writing Pacifica High School 467 487 459 California 501 516 500 National 501 516 492
POST HIGH SCHOOL (2009-2010)	4 Year Colleges and Universities = 18% Community Colleges, Trade and Technical School = 74%
DEPARTMENTS	Consumer Arts and Technology, English, English Language Development, Foreign Language, Mathematics, Physical Education, Science, Social Science, Special Education, Visual and Performing Arts, and Counseling
NON-DEPARTMENTAL AND SPECIAL PROGRAMS	Career Guidance, Health Science Academy (HA), Teaching and Educational Careers Academy (TECA), Culinary Arts Academy (CA), English Language Development (ELD), Writing for Publication, Library Practice, Health Office, Journalistic Design, Learning Lab Trainee, Work Experience, Gifted and Talented Education (GATE), Regional Occupational Program (ROP), Work Experience, Migrant Education, Title I, School Improvement Program (SIP), Special Day Classes (SDC), Resource Classes (RSP), Emotionally Disturbed (ED), Severely Handicapped (SH), Adaptive Physical Education, Tritons on Track
ACADEMIC LEVEL OPTIONS/ TRANSCRIPT DESIGNATIONS	(AP) Advanced Placement – Spanish 4, Spanish NS 4, Spanish NS 5, French 4, English 3, English 4, U.S. History, European History, Micro Economics, American Government 4, Psychology, Chemistry, Biology, Physics, Environmental Science, Calculus AB, Calculus BC, Statistics (HP) Honors Program – English 1, English 2, Algebra 2, Geometry, Pre-Calculus, Physical Science (P) College Preparatory courses
CO-CURRICULAR PROGRAM	<u>Sports-Pacific View League, CIF Southern Section:</u> Baseball, Softball, Basketball, Cross-Country, Football, Golf, Soccer, Swimming, Tennis, Track & Field, Volleyball, Water Polo, Wrestling <u>Clubs and Activities:</u> Academic Decathlon, Anime Club, Art Club, Asian American Club, Band Club, Bible Club, Biology Club, Black Student Union, Blues Club, Board Club (Surf/Snow), Book Club, Caged Improv (Drama/Comedy), Cheer, Chemistry Club, Chess Club, Choir Club, College Club, Computer Club, California Scholarship Federation, Culinary Club, Dance Club, Environmental Club, Future Leaders of America, Folklorico, French Club, Freshman, Friday Night Live, Gay Student Alliance, Journalism Club, Junior Class, Key Club, Literary Magazine, MESA, Mariachi, Marine Biology Club, MECHA Club, Mock Trial, Peer Counseling, PFSO, Photography Club, Ping Pong Club, Polynesian Club, Science Club, Senior Class, Sophomore Class, Spanish Club, Super Fan Club, Swing n’ Salsa Club, Triathlon Club, Tobacco Use & Prevention Education, Voyager Club, Vegetarian Club, Yearbook Club, and Yu-Gi-Oh