



# CCHS

## Culver City High School School Profile

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Culver City High School is a four year comprehensive high school serving approximately 2,100 students in grades 9 through 12. Culver City High School, (CCHS) is accredited by the Western Association of Schools and Colleges for a six-year term through Spring 2022. CCHS is a bastion of diversity where students of all backgrounds find comfort, safety, and acceptance. We focus on readiness for college, career, and life as an involved citizen in a rapidly changing society.

### ***Calendar and Curriculum***

CCHS's calendar is divided into two semesters. The grading system is alphabetical, with D- as a passing grade. To graduate from CCHS, students are required to complete 220 credits with 5 credits earned for each semester course completed. A student must complete the following requirements:

ENGLISH	4 years, grades 9-12
MATHEMATICS	3 years, (must include Algebra 1 or higher)
FOREIGN LANGUAGE	1 year of the same language
HISTORY / SOCIAL SCIENCE	3.5 years
SCIENCE	2 years (must include a lab science)
VISUAL and PERFORMING ARTS	1 year
PHYSICAL EDUCATION	2 years
HEALTH	1 semester
ELECTIVES	12 semesters
<i>Community Service</i>	60 Hours

### ***Class Rank and Curriculum***

CCHS has a traditional A to F grading system. GPAs are calculated on a weighted 4 point system based on all CCHS courses reported on the transcript. Class rank is computed based on the weighted GPA.

### ***Faculty***

One hundred certificated staff members including five guidance counselors, one college counselor, one career counselor and three administrators. The teacher to student ratio is 29:1.

### ***Advanced Placement Exams***

In May 2016, 579 students took 1,142 AP exams in 17 subjects and students earned passing scores of (3 or better) on 72% of the tests. The state of California has a passing rate of 62.5% passing rate.

### ***Advanced Placement Courses***

Culver City High School offers 17 Advanced Placement courses in the following subjects:

ENGLISH	MATHEMATICS	SCIENCE	SOCIAL SCIENCE	FOREIGN LANGUAGE	ART/MUSIC
English Literature	Calculus AB	Biology	US Government	Spanish Language	Studio Art 2D
English Language	Statistics	Chemistry	European History	Spanish Literature	Studio Art 3D
	Computer Science	Physics	U.S. History	Japanese Language	Drawing/Painting
		Environmental Science	Macro Economics	French Language	

***Honors And Accelerated Course*** Honors courses in English (9th and 10th grade), Social Studies (Global Issues), Science (Biology, Chemistry, Physics), and Math (Geometry, Algebra II, Pre-Calculus). We also offer Finite Math and Pre-Calculus as non-Honors advanced math options.



***PRIDE***

- Received Democracy School accreditation which makes us one of up to 10 schools in the State with this honor.
- Students earn recognition for outstanding achievement in national testing programs such as the National Merit Scholarship and Advanced Placement exams
- Renowned performing and visual arts program including band, art, photography, film and theatre
- Comprehensive athletic program
- Over 60 organizations and clubs on campus

***SPECIAL PROGRAMS***

We offer Advancement Via Individual Determination (AVID), English Language Development classes, Peer Tutoring, Link Crew (peer support program for 9th grade students), Academy of Visual of Performing Arts (AVPA).

***COLLEGE ACCEPTANCES***

Culver City graduates are admitted to colleges and universities across the country. Over 90% of graduates enter institutions of higher learning. Here is a partial list of colleges and universities accepted and attended by our most recent graduates:

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| Alabama State University                    | Hampton University              | Sara Lawrence College                 |
| American University                         | Harvard University              | St. John's University                 |
| Amherst College                             | Hofstra University              | Stanford University                   |
| Arizona State University                    | Howard University               | Syracuse University                   |
| Art Institute of California                 | Indiana State University        | Temple University                     |
| Azusa Pacific University                    | Ithaca College                  | Texas A&M                             |
| Bard College                                | Jackson State University        | Texas Christian University            |
| Baylor University                           | James Madison University        | Tufts University                      |
| Biola University                            | John Hopkins University         | Tulane University                     |
| Boston College                              | Johnson & Wales University      | Tuskegee University                   |
| Brigham Young University                    | Juniata College                 | Union College                         |
| Brown University                            | Langston University             | University of Alabama                 |
| California Institute of the Arts            | Lewis & Clark College           | University of Arizona                 |
| California State University – 19 campuses   | Long Beach City College         | University of California – All campus |
| California Lutheran University              | Long Island University          | University of Chicago                 |
| Case Western Reserve University             | Loyola Marymount University     | University of Colorado                |
| Central Washington University               | Marquette University            | University of Connecticut             |
| Chapman University                          | Marymount College               | University of Denver                  |
| Claremont-McKenna College                   | Mills College                   | University of Hawaii                  |
| Clemson University                          | Morehouse College               | University of Illinois                |
| Colgate College                             | Mount Saint Mary's College      | University of Kentucky                |
| Colorado State University                   | New York University             | University of La Verne                |
| Columbia College Chicago                    | North Carolina State University | University of Michigan                |
| Columbia University                         | Northwestern University         | University of Minnesota               |
| Columbus State University                   | Notre Dame College              | University of Nevada, Las Vegas       |
| Cornell University                          | Occidental College              | University of Nevada, Reno            |
| DePaul University                           | Oregon State University         | University of Oregon                  |
| Dickinson College                           | Otis College of Art and Design  | University of the Pacific             |
| Dillard University                          | Pace University                 | University of Pennsylvania            |
| Drew University                             | Parsons School of Design        | University of Redlands                |
| Drexel University                           | Penn State University           | University of South Carolina          |
| Duke University                             | Pepperdine University           | University of Southern California     |
| El Camino College                           | Pomona College                  | University of Washington              |
| Fashion Institute of Design & Merchandising | Pratt Institute                 | Vanderbilt University                 |
| Fisk University                             | Princeton University            | Vassar College                        |
| Fordham University                          | Purdue University               | Washington State University           |
| George Mason University                     | Reed College                    | Wellesley College                     |
| George Washington University                | Rutgers University              | Wesleyan University                   |
| Georgetown University                       | Saint Mary's College of CA      | Westmont College                      |
| Georgia Institute of Technology             | San Francisco Art Institute     | West Los Angeles College              |
| Goucher College                             | Santa Barbara City College      | Whittier College                      |
| Grand Canyon University                     | Santa Clara University          | Williams College                      |
| Grinnell College                            | Santa Monica College            | Yale University                       |