

Dublin High School

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Profile 2019-2020

School

Dublin High School, a four-time California Distinguished School (most recently recognized in 2017 and 2019) and a Gold Ribbon School (2017), is a comprehensive 9-12 public high school. It is the only comprehensive high school in the Dublin Unified School District. Dublin High School was included in *Newsweek*'s 2015 List of America's Top Public High Schools. In addition, it was also awarded a Silver Medal in the 2015 *U.S. News & World Report* ranking of high schools, with only 7% of schools in the nation earning a Silver Medal. In July 2019, Niche.com ranked Dublin High School as the top three high school in Alameda County. Dublin High School was named to the College Board's Annual AP Honor Roll in 2011 for increasing AP access to AP courses while maintaining or increasing the percentage of students earning a 3 or better on AP exams.

Enrollment: 2960

Class of 2019: 629

Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:27.5

Accreditation: Western Association of Secondary Schools and Colleges

School year: Two semesters

School day: Seven periods offered, students may take six classes plus a Gael Period. Freshmen take a seven period day.

Ethnic makeup: 49.95% Asian, 23.93% Caucasian, 12.3% Hispanic/Latino, 8.39% two or more races, 4.38%

African-American, 0.38% Native Hawaiian or other Pacific Islander, 0.12% American Indian/Alaska Native

Percent of students participating in Free/Reduced Lunch Program: 10%

Community

Dublin is a growing suburban community of approximately 53,683 residents, located 40 miles east of San Francisco in Alameda County. Dublin has consistently been one of the fastest growing cities in California for the past several years, projected to have a total population of 76,000 when the city has completed all growth projects. The average estimated family income is \$153,076. 61.95% of Dublin adult residents hold a college degree. The unemployment rate in the City of Dublin averages 2.5%, with 33% of adult residents employed in blue collar positions and 66% employed in white collar jobs. The proximity to the Bay Area, with many educational, employment and cultural opportunities make Dublin an attractive place to reside.

Faculty

The certificated faculty includes six administrators, eight full-time counselors and one hundred-fifty teachers.

Graduation Requirements

All students must earn 230 credits to graduate (completed with a "D" or better). Graduation requirements include:

Four years of English, three years of Social Studies, three years of Mathematics (must include one year of Algebra and one year of Geometry), three years of Science (one Biological, one Physical, one additional), two years of Physical Education, two levels of World Language, one year in either of the areas of Applied Arts or Visual/Performing Arts, 45 elective credits and one semester of Health.

Grading System

	Grade Points	Weighted
A = Excellent	4	5
B = Good	3	4
C = Average	2	3
D = Passing	1	1
F = Failure	0	0

Grade Point Average Breakdown - Class of 2019

4.0 - 4.7	156 students
3.76 - 3.99	88 students
3.51 - 3.75	90 students
3.01 - 3.5	141 students
2.51 - 3.0	93 students
2.5 and below	54 students

Dublin High School is proud to offer one freshman class (Freshman Seminar), which supports students with goal-setting, college and career exploration. All students have four-year plans developed in their Freshman Mentor Program, which pairs trained upperclassmen with all freshmen in a seminar course. In addition, all students have access to the HUB, with free tutoring support available from 7:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. daily. Some students have Focus Gael, which is an entire period of support built into their school day.

Rank

Dublin High School does not rank our students.

Academics

Dublin High School offers four academies: the Culinary Arts Academy, the Dublin Engineering Design Academy, the Criminal Justice Academy and the Health Science and Medical Technology Academy. In addition, this is our 18th year of having a strong AVID program, with 100% four-year college acceptance rates since its inception.

College Placement

Class of 2019: Two-Year College: 30% Four-Year College: 66% Other: 4% Military/Full-time work

Mean SAT Scores

ERW average	620
Math average	646

Mean ACT Scores 2018-2019

DHS Class 2019 **1266** **To be released by ACT in mid-October 2019**

National Merit Scholarship Competition

Class of 2020: We have 18 semi-finalists this year.

Advanced Placement Scholars

2019: 114 AP Scholars, 79 AP Scholars with Honor, 192 AP Scholars with Distinction, 45 National AP Scholars, 19 Capstone Diplomas and 3 AP Seminar and Research Certificates.

Advanced Placement Scores

In May 2019, 904 students took 1,897 AP exams with an 87% pass rate as follows:

Students	Score
381	5
404	4
328	3

College-Preparatory Courses

The underlined “a-g” courses will be assigned extra honors credit for the University of California and California State University systems. The courses with an asterisk (*) are also weighted on Dublin High School transcripts:

a – History:

U. S. History, United States History (AP)*, World History, European History (AP)*, Civics, Government and Politics United States (AP)*, Human Geography (AP)*

b – English:

English 1-4, English 1 Advanced, English 2 Advanced, English 3H (HP)*, English Literature and Composition (AP)*, English Language and Composition (AP)*, Science Fiction Literature, CSU Expository Reading and Writing, ELD Level 3, AP Seminar*

c – Mathematics: († may only be used for the "c" requirement)

†Algebra 1, †Algebra IB, †Geometry, †Geometry 1B, †Algebra II, †Advanced Algebra II, Trigonometry, Precalculus, Single Variable Calculus, Statistics, Statistics (AP)*, Calculus AB (AP)*, Calculus BC (AP)*

d - Laboratory Science:

Biology, Biology with Research, Anatomy & Physiology, Honors Anatomy (HP)*, Chemistry, Honors Chemistry (HP)*, Chemistry (AP)*, Physics, Physics C: Mechanics (AP)*, Biology (AP)*, Forensic Science, Human Body Systems (PLTW), Principles of Biomedical Sciences (PLTW), Medical Interventions Honors (HP) (PLTW)*, Conceptual Physics, Earth and Space Science, Environmental Science (AP)*, Marine Science, Biotechnology, AP Computer Science Principles (PLTW) (if students take the AP exam)

e - World Language:

French 1-3, French 4 (HP), French Language and Culture (AP)*, Spanish 1-3, Spanish for Heritage Speakers I, Spanish for Heritage Speakers II, Spanish 4 (HP)*, Spanish Language and Culture (AP)*, Mandarin 1, Chinese Mandarin 2, Chinese/Mandarin 3, Chinese Mandarin 4H (HP)*, Chinese Language and Culture (AP)*, American Sign Language 1-3

f -Visual and Performing Arts:

Symphonic Band, Wind Ensemble, Dance 1-3, Drama 1-3, Animation and Motion Graphics 1 and 2, AP Music Theory (AP)*, AP Studio Art: 2-D Art and Design (AP)*, AP 3-D Art and Design*, AP Studio Art: Drawing (AP)*, Chamber Vocal Ensemble, Concert Choir, Show Choir, Drawing, Graphic Publications, Musical Theatre, Jazz Ensemble, Orchestra, Sculpture and Ceramics, Show Choir, Two Dimensional Design, Video Game Art and Design, Video Production 1-2, Video Production III Honors*, Honors Artist Portfolio*

g - Elective Courses:

-**History:** All courses listed under "a"

-**English:** All courses listed under "b", Film as Literature, Creative Writing

-**Advanced Mathematics:** All courses beyond Algebra II listed under "c", and Computer Science A (AP)*.

-**Laboratory Science:** All courses under “d”

-**World Language:** All courses listed under "e"

-**Social Science:** Economics, Microeconomics (AP)*, Psychology (AP)*, World War II, The Wild West

Other: AVID 9-12, Baking and Pastry, Catering, Child Growth and Development, Civil Engineering and Architecture (PLTW), Computer Integrated Manufacturing (PLTW), Computer Science Principles (PLTW), Culinary Arts 1 / 2, Cybersecurity: ICT Essentials I, PLTW Cybersecurity (pilot - P pending), ROP Economics of Business Ownership, International Cuisine, Catering, Freshman Seminar, Fashion and Interior Design, Health, Honors PLTW Principles of Engineering*, Honors PLTW Digital Electronics*, ROP Integrated Marketing Communications, Internet Engineering 1, Internet Engineering 2, PLTW Introduction to Engineering Design, ROP Medical Occupations, ROP Nursing Careers, ROP Auto Body Repair, ROP Automotive Technology, ROP Criminal Justice Academy*, ROP Sports Medicine-Athletic Trainer, ROP Developmental Psychology of Children I & II, ROP Introduction to Criminal Justice, Law and Society, ROP Introduction to Health Careers A & B