

Welcome!

AP & Honors Information Night



YORBA LINDA



HIGH SCHOOL

ACTION PLAN



**COLLEGE &
CAREER READINESS**

GOAL #1: YLHS
students will engage
in a rigorous course
of study that is
engaging, purposeful
and ensures college
and career readiness.



Student Testimonials



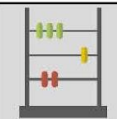




Nicole Templer

Dylan Shube

What does the data show?



70%
of YLHS
Graduates
Meet UC/CSU
A-G
Requirements!

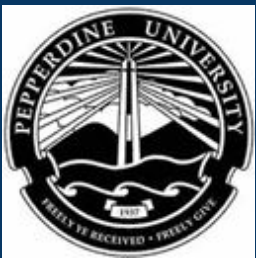
Subject			Years
a		History/Social Science <ul style="list-style-type: none"> World History & U.S. History 	2
b		English	4
c		Mathematics <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Algebra, Geometry & Algebra 2/Trigonometry 	3
d		Laboratory Science <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Biology & Chemistry (UC) Earth Science & Biology (CSU) 	2
e		Language Other Than English <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Same Language 	2
f		Visual/Performing Arts	1
g		Academic Elective	1

*Course names
changing to be
aligned with NGSS
implementation

Colleges YLHS Graduates are Attending

UC/CSU

- UC Berkeley
- UC Irvine
- UC Los Angeles
- UC San Diego
- CSU Fullerton
- CSU Long Beach



California Private

- Biola
- Chapman
- Claremont
- Loyola Marymount
- Pepperdine
- Stanford
- USC

Ivy League

- Columbia
- Cornell
- Dartmouth
- Harvard
- Penn
- Princeton

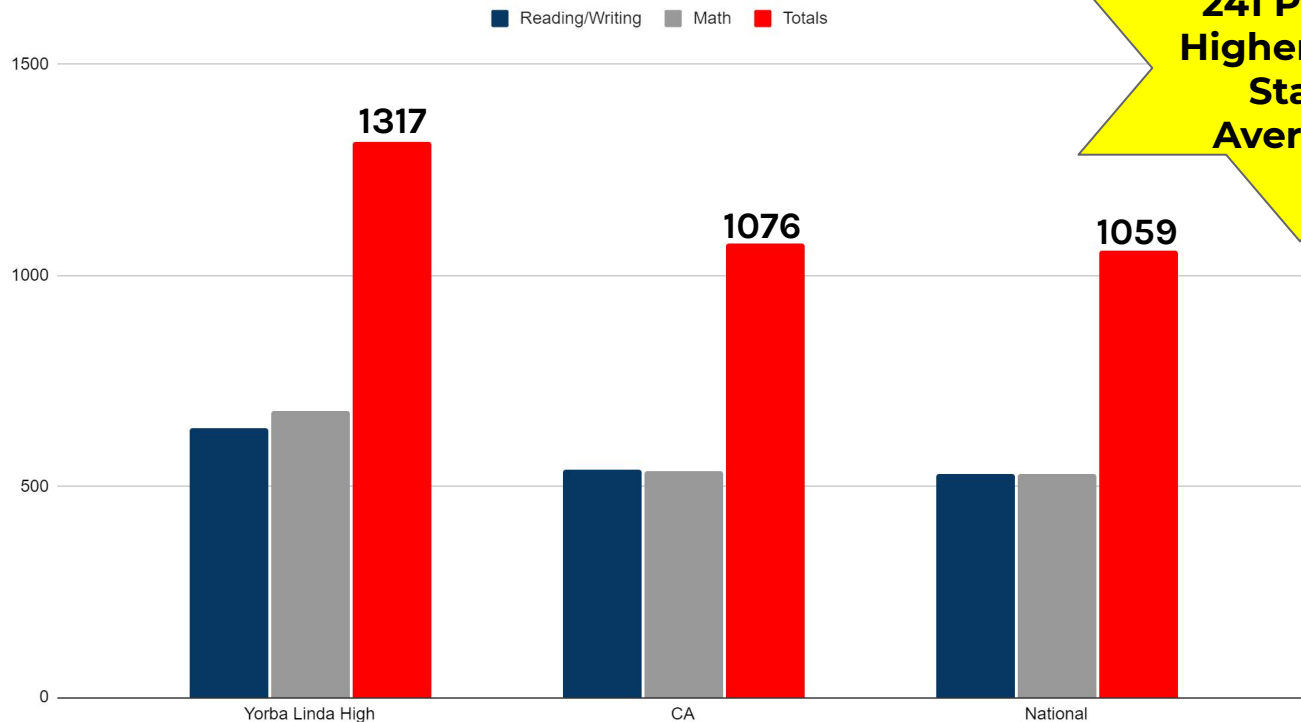


Out of State

- Boise State
- Johns Hopkins
- Notre Dame
- New York University
- University of Chicago
- University of Oregon
- West Point Military Academy

2020-2021 SAT Mean Score

Reading, Math and Totals



**241 Points
Higher Than
State
Average!**

2021 National Merit Scholars

6 Semi-Finalists
21 Commended Scholars



42 Advanced Placement and Honors Courses

26 Advanced Placement Courses		
Biology	English Literature	Physics I & C
Calculus AB & BC	Environmental Science	Psychology
Chemistry	European History	Spanish Language
Chinese	French Language	Statistics
Computer Science A	German Language	Studio Art - 2D
CS Principles	Government (U.S.)	Studio Art - 3D
Economics (Macro)	Human Geography	Studio Art - Drawing
English Language	Japanese Language	United States History

2021-22 School Year

58% of our 9th graders are enrolled
in at least one Honors course

32% of YLHS students are enrolled in
at least one AP Course

2021-22 School Year

1172 Exams sold
477 Students

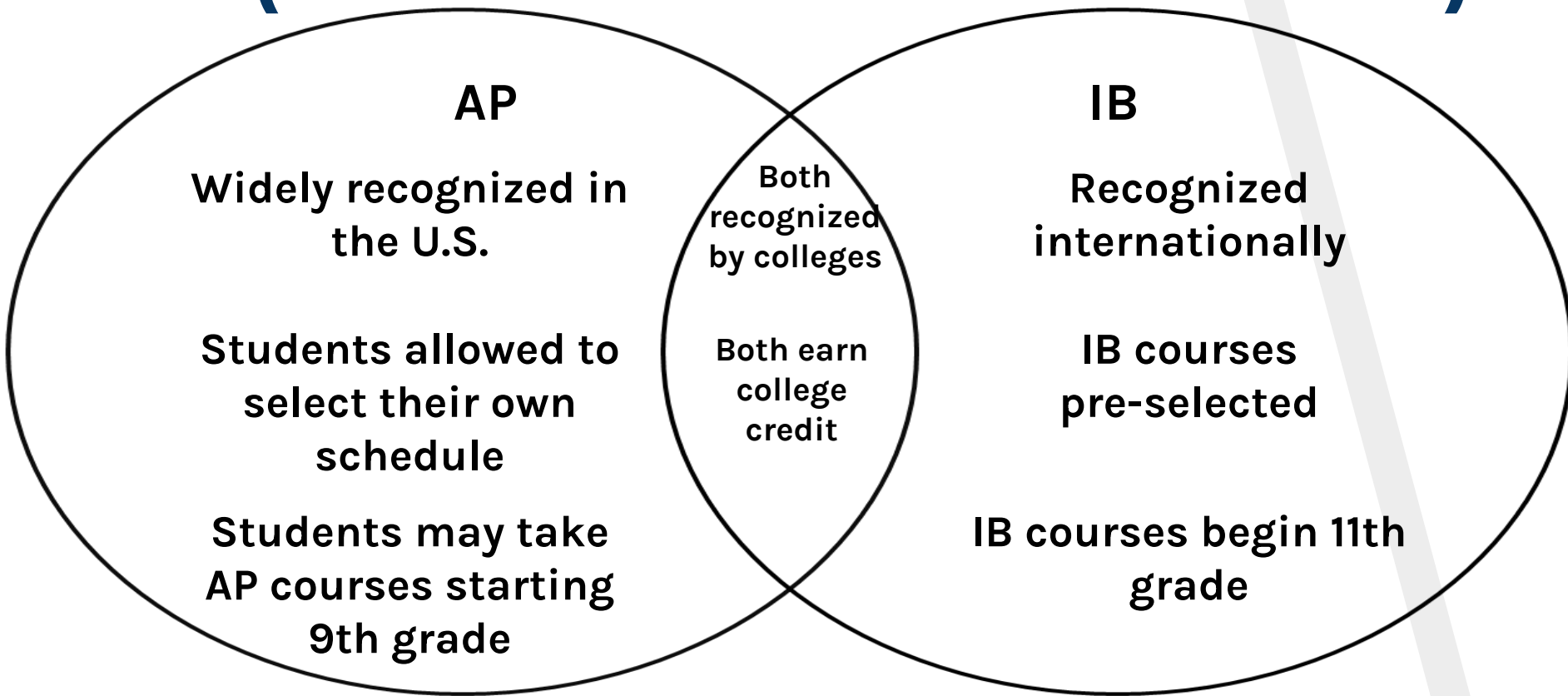
2021 AP Exam Pass Rate at YLHS

86%

AP & Honors Courses

- Opportunities for AP & Honors courses begin in 9th grade
- AP & Honors classes earn extra grade points in GPA

Comparing AP and IB (International Baccalaureate)



World Languages

Daniela Picciotta

Chinese 2 & 3 Honors, AP

Spanish 2 & 3 Honors, AP

French 2 & 3 Honors, AP

German 2 & 3 Honors, AP

Japanese 2 & 3 Honors, AP

World Languages

- Honors courses provide more rigorous and advanced opportunities to:
 - Communicate in the language (Reading, Listening, Speaking and Writing)
 - Use the language accurately
 - Understand the important cultural viewpoints behind the language
 - Prepare for the AP World Language classes
- Level 3 Honors and AP classes are weighted by the CSU and UC systems
- Students **can** earn the California Department of Education's Seal of Biliteracy after 4 years of language study at YLHS (level 4 can be achieved after less than 4 years in certain situations)

World Language Path

- Level 1 as a Freshman
- Level 2 Honors as a Sophomore
- Level 3 Honors as a Junior
- AP class as a Senior
 - Two years of Spanish taken in Middle School can replace level 1 class.

World Language Highlights

- Lifelong Skill
- Global Competence
- Seal of Biliteracy
- Travel and Exchange programs at YLHS
- Study abroad opportunities later in college
- Interactive learning and lots of FUN

2021 World Languages

AP Pass Rates

- Chinese- 100%
- French- 100%
- Spanish- 100%
- German- 100%

Science

Greg Walls

Biology Honors

Chemistry Honors

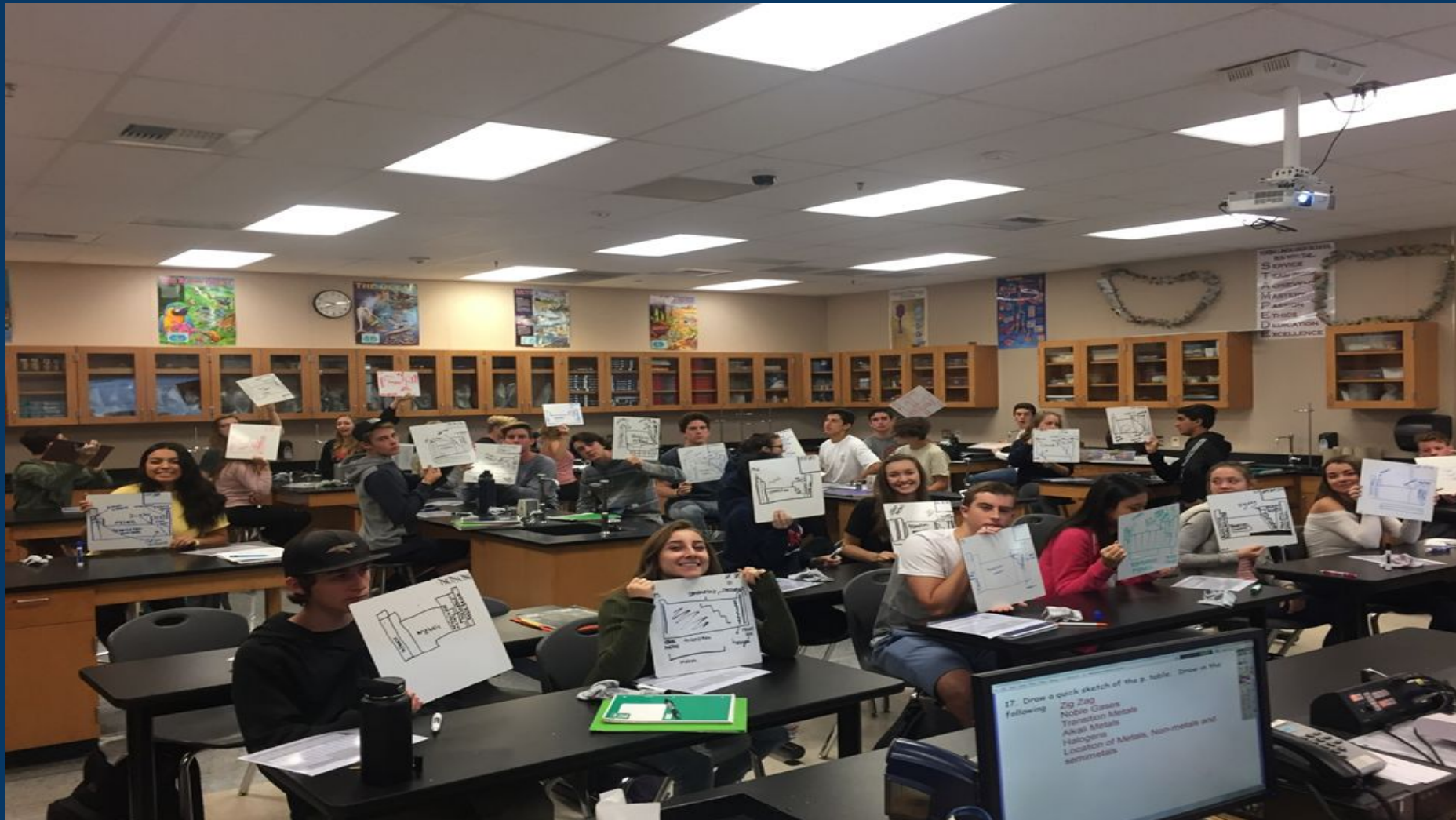
AP Biology

AP Environmental Science

AP Chemistry

AP Physics





THE PERIODIC TABLE
OF ELEMENTS
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17. Draw a quick sketch of the p. table. Draw in the following:
Zig Zag
Noble Gases
Transition Metals
Alkali Metals
Halogens
Location of Metals, Non-metals and semimetals.

Honors Biology and Chemistry

- More in-depth look at course topics for a greater understanding and preparation for AP classes
- Keep an organized notebook which includes: notes, handouts, and assignments

Honors Biology and Chemistry

- Homework expectations
- Reviewing written notes and/or assignments
- Reading text
- Daily class participation
- Consistent effort

AP Biology, Chemistry, Physics and Environmental Science

- Homework expectations
- Science notebook and laboratory notebook required
- Class participation is a must
- Summer homework
- Consistent effort

2021 Science AP Pass Rates

- AP Biology - 76%
- AP Chemistry - 94%
- AP Environmental Science - 61%
- AP Physics - 74%

Language Arts

Stacy Shube

Language Arts 1 and 2 Honors

AP English Language & Composition

AP English Literature & Composition

What to expect in Honors and AP Language Arts Classes

- Advanced level of work
- Homework expectations
- Reading each night (including weekends)
- Vocabulary words will be more advanced and more will be given

What to expect in Honors and AP Language Arts Classes

- Writing assignments are weighted more heavily in students' overall grade than in College Prep classes, and students are expected to produce a higher level of writing
- Organization
- Mechanics

What to expect in Honors and AP Language Arts Classes

- 9th and 10th grade honors provide the foundation for success in AP
- More frequent tests and quizzes: these represent a higher percentage of overall grade than in a College Prep class
- Recommendation of maintaining an A or B grade to stay in Honors or AP

What to expect in AP Language and Composition and AP Literature

- Classes taught in accordance with College Board AP Standards
- Independently manage and work toward the completion of long-term assignments
- Critically read, under pressure, long and difficult passages
- Read and understand fiction (prose and poetry) and nonfiction from a range of periods and styles
- Know how to detect and discuss tone, attitude, and bias

AP English Pass Rates

- AP English Language 84%
- AP English Literature 77%

Social Science

Rey Lejano

AP Human Geography - Freshman year

AP European History - Sophomore year

AP United States History - Junior year

AP Psychology - Senior Year

AP Government - Senior year

AP Economics - Senior year

Freshman Year AP Human Geography

Mr. Joel Bradford



- Can be 1st AP class (college course as a 9th grader)
- Introduces students to the systematic study of patterns and processes that have shaped human understanding, use, and alteration of Earth's surface.
- Critical reading & writing (college level rigor)

Sophomore Year

AP European History

Mr. Kelly Buchan



Trevor Packer
@AP_Trevor

Most college admissions officers don't prefer some APs over others; of ~30% who do, AP Euro History is the AP history that most impresses.

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- 1450 – present day
- Equivalent to a university's Western Civilization course
- Critical reading & writing
- Highest passing rate in the district 6 out of the last 7 years



Junior Year AP US History



Mrs. Lisa Garcia and Mr. Lloyd Walls

- Equivalent to a university's US History course
- Pre-Columbus – present day
- Further enhancement of critical reading & writing skills

Junior/Senior Year

AP Psychology

Mr. Lloyd Walls

- Equivalent to a college-level intro Psychology Course
- Inquiry-based investigations to learn about human behavior & mental processes
- 86% Passing Rate

AP US Government

Mr. Mark Honig

- Senior Year
- Provides a college-level, nonpartisan introduction to key political concepts, ideas, institutions, policies, interactions, roles, and behaviors that characterize the constitutional system and political culture of the **United States**.
- 17 years experience teaching this course
- 10 years practical political experience

Senior Year-AP Macroeconomics

Mr. Rey Lejano

- An in-depth examination into the fundamentals of a country's economy
- For example: A recession— What? Why? How does it end? Inflation, Unemployment, Interest Rates, Foreign Exchange Rates



We Use The Social Studies To

Develop & Enhance Important Skills

- Analytical
- Persuasive writing
- Study
- Critical reading
- Test-taking
- Discussion

We're Committed to

- Preparing students for success in college
- Helping students earn college credit through AP Exam Scores
- Providing students a platform to demonstrate to colleges what they can do when challenged
- Enhancing their understanding of the world around them
- Connecting the past with our present and future

Mathematics

Brian Goebel

Geometry Honors

Algebra 2/Trigonometry Honors

Pre-Calculus Honors

AP Calculus AB

AP Calculus BC

AP Statistics

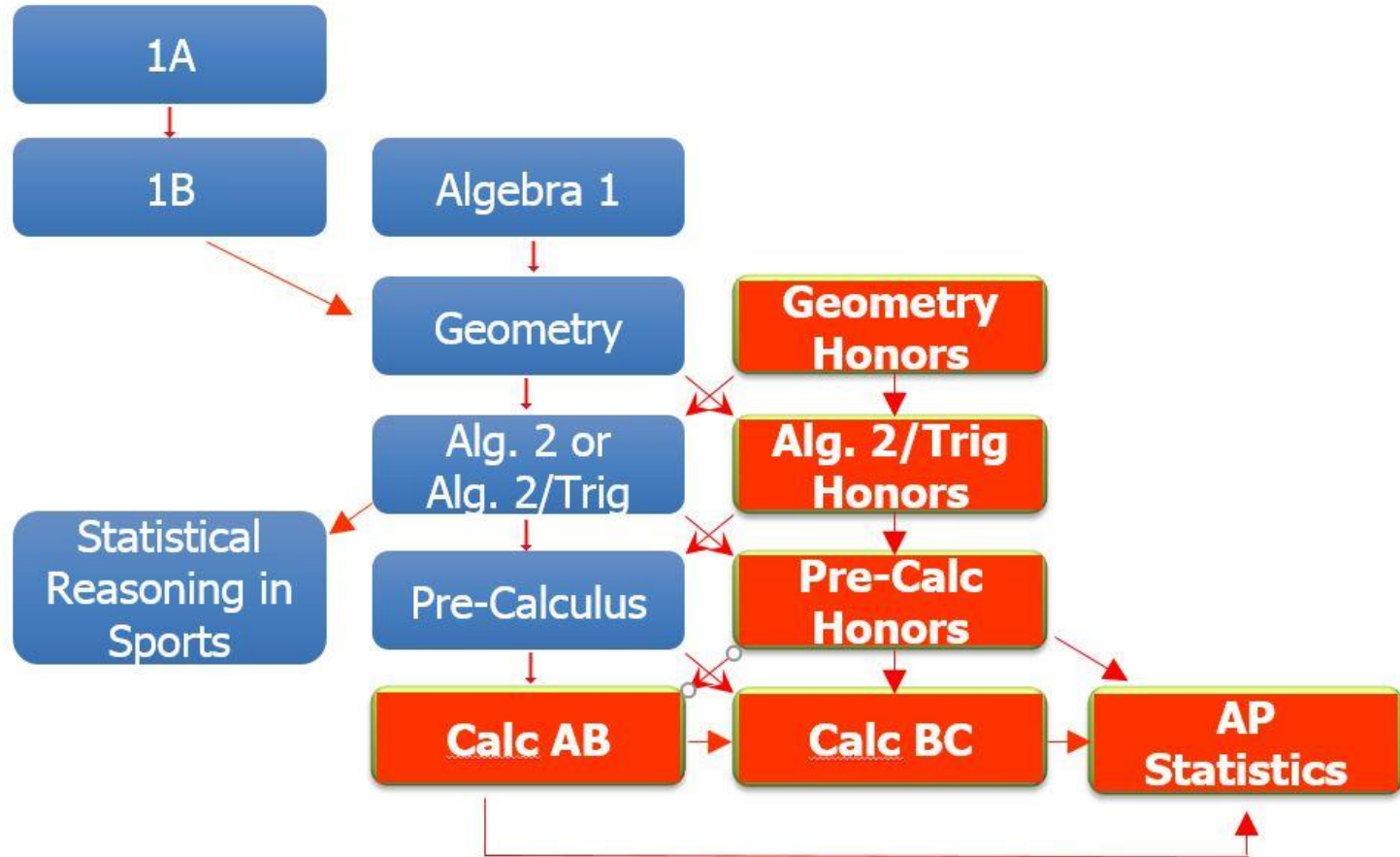
AP Classes

- AP Calculus AB
 - Equivalent to 1 semester of college calculus
- AP Calculus BC
 - Equivalent to 2 semesters of college calculus
- AP Statistics
 - Equivalent to 1 semester of college statistics

Math AP Pass Rates

- AP Calculus AB - 84%
- AP Calculus BC - 95%
- AP Statistics – 82%

MATH COURSE PROGRESSION



Competitive Math

- Math Day Competition (CSULB)
- Math Madness
- AMC/AIME
- Lots more!
- Contact Ms. Chen
kchen@pylUSD.org for more info

AP Comp Sci Courses

Dan Eliot: deliot@pylUSD.org

- ▶ **AP Computer Science A**
- ▶ **AP Computer Science Principles**

AP Comp Sci A

(aka APCS-A)

BASIC INFORMATION:

- ▶ Math, Science, and Logic skills a must!
- ▶ No summer packet or required homework
- ▶ Focus on Java language concepts
- ▶ Very challenging, fast paced, lots of coding
- ▶ AP Exam: 50% Multiple choice + 50% Java code writing

AP Comp Sci Principles

(aka APCS-P)

BASIC INFORMATION:

- ▶ Math, Science, and Logic skills a must!
- ▶ No summer packet or required homework
- ▶ Focus on foundational Comp Sci principles
- ▶ Challenging, moderate pace, less coding
- ▶ AP Exam: 70% Multiple choice + 30% digital code project

AP Comp Sci Pass Rates

APCS-A



% SCORES 3 OR HIGHER

YOUR GROUP

84.4%

CA

68.5%

SCHOOL

84.8%

GLOBAL

65.1%

APCS-P



% SCORES 3 OR HIGHER

YOUR GROUP

100.0%

CA

71.1%

SCHOOL

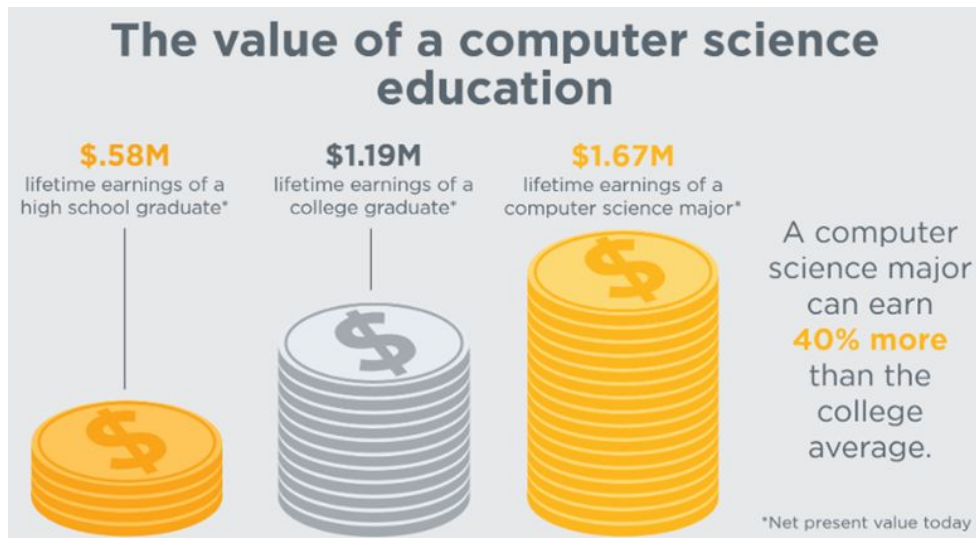
100.0%

GLOBAL

66.5%

Why Comp Sci?

- Why Take AP Comp Sci?
- Visit → code.org/promote



Visual Arts

AP Art and Design

- **AP 2-D Art and Design**
- **AP 3-D Art and Design**
- **AP Drawing**

100% pass rate in all areas

AP 2D Portfolio Samples (Digital/Drawing)

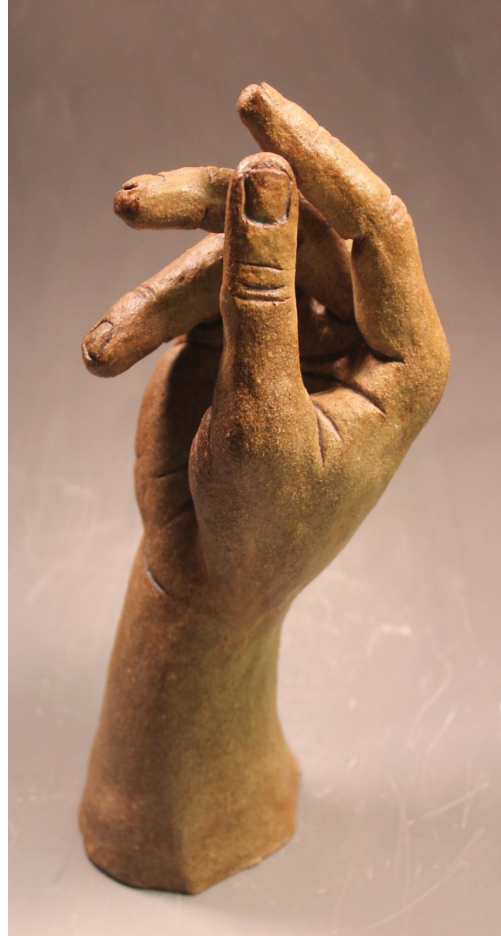




AP 2D Portfolio Samples (Photography)



AP 3D Portfolio Samples (Ceramics)



AP Drawing Portfolio Samples



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Student Recognition for Achievement at Graduation

Mustang Scholar, Three levels:

- **Navy:** 3.5 GPA, completed 8 Honors/AP courses (6 by the end of Junior year)
- **Crimson:** Same as Navy, but also 100+ Hours of Community Service OR 4 years of Co-Curricular Programs
- **Silver:** Same as Navy, but both 100+ Hours of Community Service AND 4 Years of Co-Curricular Programs

Dates to Remember

<u>Event</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Time/Location</u>
YLHS Showcase	December 1st	6pm/Gymnasium
MBA Application	Dec. 1 - Jan. 22	www.ylhs.org
Choice Transfer	Jan. 5 - Feb. 11	www.pylusd.org
Mustang Roundup	April 6	TBD/YLHS
MS Registration	Spring 2022	Various Middle Schools
Private School Reg.	Spring 2022	By appointment/YLHS

YLHS School Tours

**Starting on 11/29 at
3:00pm, every first
Monday of the
month thereafter!**

YORBA LINDA High School Showcase



Want a GREAT High School experience?
Want to know more about YLHS?
Want to get connected?

Come Run with the STAMPEDE!!!
Come be part of the MUSTANG TRADITION!!!



YLHS MAIN GYM

ACADEMICS - ATHLETICS - ARTS

19900 Bastanchury Rd. Yorba Linda, CA 92886

DECEMBER 1st, 2021 @6PM

www.ylhs.org

[Showcase video](#)

Get Connected!

Academics

AP



Athletics



Arts



Activities



Academics

Go Mustangs!



YORBA LINDA HIGH SCHOOL

*SEE YOU
AT THE SHOWCASE*



December 1, 2021
Yorba Linda High School
Main Gymnasium
6:00PM