

HUNTINGTON BEACH HIGH SCHOOL

SCHOOL PROFILE 2025-2026

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SCHOOL AND DISTRICT

Huntington Beach High School (HBHS) is a Western Association of Schools and Colleges accredited high school in Huntington Beach, CA. HBHS is one of six comprehensive high schools in the Huntington Beach Union High School District (HBUHSD). The mission of HBHS is: We will educate, prepare, and inspire our students to change the world. We have a clear vision of excellence in academics, co-curricular student life, as well as in developing students into healthy, responsible citizens that will Learn, Thrive, and Give.

CURRICULUM

Huntington Beach High School offers a strong college preparatory program and a variety of electives (refer to HBHS Course Catalog). The school year consists of two 18-week semesters. A typical schedule is a minimum of six classes for Freshmen and Sophomores and five classes for Juniors and Seniors. Classes are offered on a traditional schedule on Mondays and block schedule on Tuesday-Friday.

Graduation Requirement: A total of 220 credits must be completed. Students receive five credits at the end of each semester for each course in which a grade of "D" or better is earned.

Required Classes: English 40 credits • World History 10 credits • U.S. History 10 credits • U.S Govt. 5 credits • Economics 5 credits • Math 30 credits • Life Science 10 credits • Physical Science 10 credits • Health 5 credits • Physical Education 20 credits • Visual Performing Arts or World Language or CTE 10 credits • Electives 65 credits

GRADING AND CLASS RANK

All courses are included in the GPA and class rank. The GPA is the average of the points assigned to a letter grade (A=4, B=3, C=2, D=1, F=0). +/- do not affect the GPA. A grade of "CR" indicates credits were earned. "W" notation indicates withdrawal and "WF" notation indicates withdrawal failure. Weighted classes are designated by the term Honors or Advanced Placement in the title. Class rank is determined using the student's cumulative weighted GPA.

NOTE: If a student remediated a "D" or "F" grade with a grade of "C" or better, the higher grade is issued to determine GPA.

STUDENT ENROLLMENT (2025-2026)

The total enrollment at Huntington Beach High School for the 2025-2026 school year is 2,520 students.

Grade 9: 591 Grade 11: 615
Grade 10: 662 Grade 12: 652

DEMOGRAPHIC DATA (2025-2026)

White: 49% Pacific Islander: <1%

Hispanic: 25% Black: 1%

Asian: 19% American Indian/Alaskan: <1%

Other: 5% Free/Reduced Lunch: 28% of students are eligible

GRADE DISTRIBUTION - for the Class of 2025

Total Weighted GPA	Number of Students	Percentage of Students
4.4 and above	69	10%
4.0 – 4.39	121	18%
3.5 – 3.99	216	31%
3.0 – 3.49	126	18%
2.5 – 2.99	92	14%
2.0 - 2.49	53	8%
Below 2.0	9	1%

ADVANCED PLACEMENT

In 2025, 711 students took AP exams. A total of 1,576 exams were taken in 29 subjects. 85% of the exams received scores of 3/4/5.

Current AP class offerings at HBHS (27)

African American Studies	English Language	Psychology		
Art History	English Literature	Spanish Language and Culture		
Biology	Environmental Science	Spanish Literature and Culture		
Calculus AB	French	Statistics		
Calculus BC	Human Geography	2D Art & Design		
Chemistry	Macroeconomics	3D Art & Design		
Computer Science A	Music Theory	U.S. Government		
Computer Science Principles	Physics C: Electricity & Magnetism	U.S. History		
Drawing	Physics C: Mechanics	World History		

SPECIAL PROGRAMS AND HIGHLIGHTS

- ★ Academy of the Performing Arts (APA): APA is a magnet program in HBUHSD located on the Huntington Beach High School campus. APA enrolls students of all grade levels through an application and/or audition process. Nine disciplines are offered. This year, 411 students are participating in APA.
- ★ Advancement via Individual Determination (AVID): AVID is a college and career readiness program and participants enroll in a grade-level AVID elective class. There are 7 sections of AVID and 215 students are participating.
- ★ Athletics: HBHS offers 29 athletic teams with at least 39% of students participating in at least one sport.
- ★ Career Technical Education (CTE): Students can develop technical skills by progressing in any of the following CTE pathways:

 1) Costume Design, 2) Film & TV Production, 3) Culinary, 4) Dance, 5) Engineering, 6) Entrepreneurship, 7) Marketing, 8)

 Entertainment Production & Design, 9) Professional Music, 10) Software & Systems Development, 11) Patient Care, 12)

 Sports Medicine, 13) Sustainable Agriculture
- ★ Dual Enrollment with Golden West College: Students can enroll in free college courses and receive both high school and college credit upon completion. On average, there are 24-27 classes offered each fall, spring, and summer terms.
- ★ Model United Nations (MUN): HBHS MUN is a four-year program that is nationally recognized for its excellence. This year, 298 students are participating in MUN, and they are required to enroll in an honors or AP history/MUN class.

NATIONAL MERIT SCHOLAR PROGRAM

Class	Finalists	Commended	Class	Finalists	Commended
2022	1	1	2024	4	7
2023	4	5	2025	0	6

NEXT STEPS - CLASS OF 2025

These are the next steps of the 696 graduates in the Class of 2025 using self-reported data; 95% seniors completed the survey.

- 48%: 4-year college/university
- 39%: community college
- 8%: trade/technical program, military, work or gap year
- 5%: plans undecided or did not report plans



HUNTINGTON BEACH HIGH SCHOOL CLASS OF 2025 - NEXT STEPS

CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY

Cal Poly Pomona Cal Poly San Luis Obispo Cal State Fullerton Cal State Los Angeles Cal State Lona Beach

Cal State Sacramento Cal State San Marcos Chico State University San Diego State University San Jose State University

COMMUNITY COLLEGE

Cerritos College El Camino College Fullerton College Golden West College Irvine Valley College LA Trade Tech College Long Beach City College Miami Dade College

Mt. San Antonio College Orange Coast College Riverside Community College Saddleback College Santa Ana College Santa Barbara City College Santa Monica College Vancouver Community College

OUT OF STATE PUBLIC UNIVERSITY

Arizona State University **Boise State University** Colorado School of Mines Colorado State University Jacksonville State University John Jay College of Criminal Justice

Kent State University Louisiana State University Louisiana Tech University Mass Maritime Academy Mississippi State University Northern Arizona University Oregon State University Penn State University University of Alabama

University of Arizona University of Colorado Boulder University of Hawaii at Manoa University of Illinois at Urbana Champaign University of Oklahoma University of Oregon University of Portland University of Tennessee at Chattanooga University of Tennessee, Knoxville University of Utah University of Vermont Virginia Tech Washington State University Western Michigan University

TRADE & TECHNICAL PROGRAM

Cosmetology school Esthetician school Fire academy/EMT Huntington Beach Adult School Pilot school Universal Technical Institute

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA

UC Berkeley UC Davis UC Irvine UCLA **UC** Merced

UC Riverside UC San Diego UC Santa Barbara UC Santa Cruz

INTERNATIONAL COLLEGE

Arts University Bournemouth Universidad de las Américas Puebla University Erasmus Rotterdam University of Exeter

PRIVATE COLLEGE & UNIVERSITY

Alfred University American University ArtCenter College of Design Belmont University Berklee College of Music Berry College Bethune Cookman University Biola University Brigham Young University Butler University Cal Baptist University Carleton College Chapman University Columbia College Chicago Concordia University Irvine Cornell University Davidson College De Paul University **Emerson College**

Florida Southern College Georgetown University Gnomon School Grand Canyon University

Harvard College Holy Cross College (ND) Kendall College Loyola Marymount University Marist University

Mt. Saint Mary's University (LA) Ottawa University Pace University Point Loma Nazarene Úniversity Princeton University Quinnipiac University Santa Clara University Seton Hall University Southern Methodist University Stanford University Texas Christian University **Tufts University** University of Miami University of San Diego USC Vanderbilt University Wentworth Institute of Technology

MILITARY & SERVICE ACADEMY

Air Force Army Marines Marion Military Institute Navy

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