

Santa Barbara Unified School District

Santa Barbara, CA



PUBLIC



COED



COAST



ARTS



SPORTS



DIPLOMA
YEAR



PROGRAM

- Population: 92,000
- Located in Santa Barbara
- Summer/Fall: Warm and Dry
- Winter/Spring: Cool and Humid
- Enrollment Restrictions: Ages 14-17 (Can not be 18 at graduation)
- Minimum TOEFL: 50
- Minimum ELTiS: 215
- International Baccalaureate Diploma
- San Marcos High School is a California Distinguished School
- Santa Barbara High School has 20 Advanced Placement courses
- Grades at Schools: 9-12
- Total Students Per School: About 2,050
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:35
- Diploma Year Offered: YES
- Choose High School in District: NO

SANTA BARBARA UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

LOS ANGELES *closest airport: SBA*

DISTRICT PROFILE

International students can study at one of three high schools in the Santa Barbara area: Dos Pueblos High School, San Marcos High School, or Santa Barbara High School. Collectively, these schools offer international students a challenging and varied curriculum, with more than 200 academic and elective courses to choose from. All three schools feature Advanced Placement courses, while Dos Pueblos High School is also an International Baccalaureate (IB) World School.

FACILITIES

Each school campus is about 40 acres, and has specific amenities tailored to their special programs. Facilities will vary per campus, but generally include sports fields, libraries, performing arts centers, and more.

SPORTS AND ARTS

The school district is known for its athletic achievement, and has seen many students go on to become professional athletes and Olympians. State regulations in California can cause some restrictions for international students playing Varsity-level sports at their school. Please contact us for details.

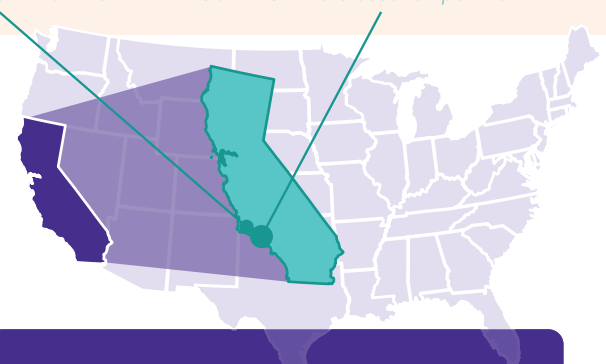
Being so close to Los Angeles, students attending Santa Barbara have taken the opportunity to become award-winning actors or film makers. Singer Katy Perry is a graduate!

COMMUNITY INFORMATION

A two hour drive north from Los Angeles, Santa Barbara features beautiful beaches, majestic mountains, and colorful culture. It is home to the world famous Stearns Wharf, the zoological gardens, and Old Mission Santa Barbara.

UNIVERSITY ACCEPTANCE RATE 95% (DISTRICT AVERAGE)

Partial List of University Acceptances: Bard College, Boston College, Boston University, Brigham Young University, Brown University, California State University - Los Angeles, California Institute of Technology, Case Western Reserve University, Colgate University, Colorado State University, Cornell University, Florida State University, George Washington University, Johns Hopkins University, Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT), New York University, Northeastern University, Purdue University, Savannah College of Art and Design, University of California - Berkeley, University of California - Santa Barbara, Wake Forest University, Willamette University, Yale University



OPTIONS AVAILABLE

Foreign Languages French, Latin, Spanish

Advanced Placement Courses Biology, Calculus AB, Calculus BC, Economics, English Language and Composition, English Literature and Composition, Environmental Science, Macroeconomics, Microeconomics

Arts Art, Concert Band, Dance, Jazz Ensemble, Multimedia Art, Percussion Ensemble, Stagecraft, Symphonic Band, Theater Advanced, Theater Introduction, Video Production

Athletics Boys

Fall Cross Country, Football, Water Polo

Winter Basketball, Soccer, Water Polo

Spring Baseball, Golf, Swimming and Diving, Tennis, Track and Field, Volleyball

Athletics Girls

Fall Cross Country, Golf, Tennis, Volleyball

Winter Basketball, Soccer, Water Polo

Spring Softball, Swimming and Diving Track and Field

Extracurricular Activities Choir, Computer, Dance, Theater, Yearbook

Dos Pueblos and San Marcos High School: Surf Club

ESL Available/Level YES