



OCEAN VIEW HIGH SCHOOL

Public School

Ocean View High School California

"Ocean View gave me so many sports opportunities. I played volleyball, football, and basketball for the OGP Club Team, and basketball even took me to Las Vegas and Anaheim. My proudest moment was playing in the CIF league in front of college and NBA scouts. I learned to be more independent and to try new things without fear. I plan to study at a university in Germany or play basketball at a U.S. college."

Tilo from Germany

Ocean View High School is a public high school in Huntington Beach offering IB, AP, and strong arts and athletics. The school is known for its award-winning marching band and diverse academic pathways.



PUBLIC



COED



COAST



SPORTS



ARTS



DIPLOMA YEAR

Quick Facts

Founded: 1976

Niche.com Score: A-

Students: Co-educational

Climate: Mild winters / Warm summers

Population: 200,000

School Population: 1,260

Accepting students: Grade 9-12

Diploma Year offered: Yes

English as Second Language (ESL) support: Yes

1+1 School: Yes

Curriculum: International

Baccalaureate (IB) + AP courses

Academic Excellence

Ocean View High School offers a comprehensive academic program that includes **the International Baccalaureate (IB) curriculum, Advanced Placement courses, and a Business Academy.** Students develop analytical, research, communication, and global-awareness skills through college-level coursework and inquiry-based learning. The Model United Nations and AVID programs further strengthen academic readiness and support university preparation. Technology-equipped labs, modern classrooms, and structured wellness and tutoring services enhance instruction. OVHS consistently ranks among the top 5,000 schools nationwide, reflecting strong graduation outcomes and performance on state assessments.

Student Accomplishments

- Award-winning Seahawk Squadron Marching Band (five-time California state champion)
- State-level competitive results in athletics
- Strong performance on state testing and high graduation outcomes



Recent University Acceptances

- University of California, Los Angeles
- University of California, Berkeley
- Cornell University
- Purdue University
- University of Southern California
- The California State University



Stats

6

of AP Courses

25

Average Class Size

65%

Teachers with Advanced Degrees

27

Average ACT Score

9-12

Grades at School

1150

Average SAT Score



Campus Facilities

Ocean View High School features modernized classrooms, science and technology labs, and a state-of-the-art performing arts center. Athletic spaces include fields, courts, and aquatic facilities that support a wide range of sports. The campus is designed to promote hands-on learning, creativity, and student engagement through **updated technology, safe study spaces, and dedicated arts and music areas.**

Athletics and Arts

Athletics are a central part of student life at Ocean View, with teams competing across regional and state levels. Programs emphasize teamwork, conditioning, and competitive excellence.

The arts program includes visual arts, music, photography, film, and performing arts. OVHS is home to the acclaimed Seahawk Marching Band and provides opportunities in studio art, dance, ceramics, photography, and multiple music ensembles.



Highlights

Sports: American Football, Baseball, Basketball, Beach Volleyball, Cross Country Running, Flag Football, Golf, Soccer, Softball, Swimming and Diving, Tennis, Track, Volleyball, Water Polo, Wrestling

Arts: Ceramics, Film, Photography, Studio Art, Chorus, Drumline, Jazz Ensemble, Music Production, Symphonic Band

**Advanced Placement courses:
Calculus AB, Calculus BC, Computer Science, Spanish Language and Culture, Spanish Literature and Culture, Statistics**

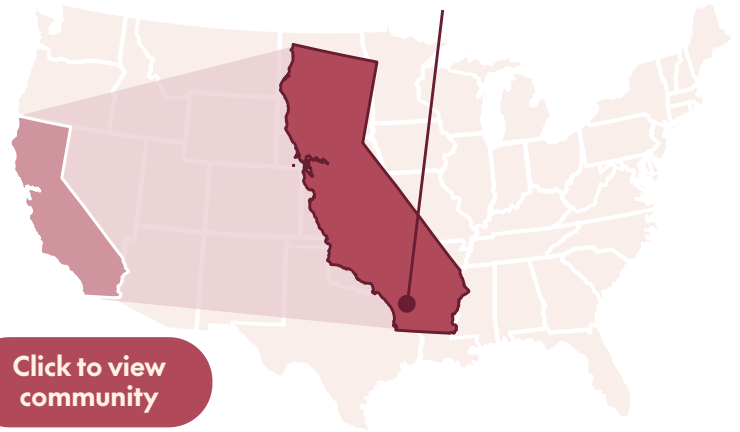
**Languages offered:
Chinese, Spanish**

**Tech and innovation courses:
Computer Science, Computer Science Principles, Construction Technology**

**International student support:
ESL support available
Wellness and tutoring resources
IB, AP, and AVID programs available**

Community

Huntington Beach is a coastal city of about 200,000 residents, located near Los Angeles. The area offers **beaches, outdoor recreation, and cultural attractions**. John Wayne Airport (SNA) is approximately 10 miles away. Students can enjoy surfing, local arts events, and major Southern California destinations such as Disneyland and the Segerstrom Center for the Arts. Notable alumni include Courtney Conlogue, Jason Hirsh, and Justin Chon.



Climate in Huntington Beach

Sunny coastal climate with mild winters and warm summers.



Video

Learn more about the school

