

# CARMEL HIGH SCHOOL

## SCHOOL PROFILE 2019 – 2020

**PRINCIPAL:** Jon Lyons  
**ATHLETIC DIRECTOR:** Golden Anderson  
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### DEMOGRAPHICS

CHS is located in Carmel, CA – a small coastal city on the Monterey Peninsula. Despite our proximity to the Bay Area and Silicon Valley, the cultural and social landscape of our community is dramatically different. As the only comprehensive secondary school in the district, CHS encompasses 594 sq. miles making it the 2<sup>nd</sup> largest geographical district in the state; our students share a wide range of cultural and socioeconomic backgrounds from the areas of Carmel-by-the-Sea, Pebble Beach, Carmel Valley, and Big Sur.



#### STUDENT ENROLLMENT: 876

Class of 2020 – 215  
Class of 2021 – 218  
Class of 2022 – 193  
Class of 2023 – 248

#### ETHNICITY:

61% - White  
19% - Hispanic or Latino  
11% - Two or More Races  
5% - Asian  
1% - African American

### RECOGNITION

- Ranked by *Washington Post* as #288 public school in the nation, #32 in the state (2017)
- Ranked by *U.S. News & World Reports* as #199 in the nation and #21 in California (2017)
- Designated a Gold Medal School by *U.S. News & World Reports* (2015)
- California Gold Ribbon School (2015); Selected a California Distinguished School (2013)
- Accredited by Western Association of Schools & Colleges (2013)

### SCHOOL ORGANIZATION and ADVANCED COURSE OFFERINGS

Carmel High School operates on a two-semester, modified-block system with 50-minute class periods three days per week and 90-minute periods two days per week. Freshman, Sophomores, and Juniors are required to take 7 classes per day. All seniors have the option of a reduced 6-period day while those employed part-time or concurrently enrolled may reduce to a 5-period day.

#### Honors Courses (9)

Honors Biology  
Honors Chemistry  
Honors Chinese IV  
Honors Spanish IV  
Honors Economics  
Honors English I  
Honors English II

Honors French IV  
Honors Physics

#### Advanced Placement (19)

Biology  
Calculus AB  
Calculus BC  
Chemistry  
Comp Sci A  
Comp Sci Principle  
English Lang & Comp

English Literature  
Environmental Science  
French Language  
Human Geography  
Psychology  
Spanish Language  
Statistics

Studio Art 2D  
Studio Art Drawing  
US History  
US Gov. & Politics  
World History

### GPA CALCULATION and DISTRIBUTION

#### GPA CALCULATION CHART

	College-Prep Courses	AP and Honors
A	4	5
B	3	4
C	2	3
D	1	2
F	0	0
transcript designation	*	p

GPA is calculated using a 5.0 scale. The GPA reported to colleges is the weighted, academic, 9 – 12 GPA which is calculated using the guidelines in the table at left.

**RANKING:** CHS does not rank\*

*\*CHS does not rank as any student evaluation or comparison based on GPA places an unfair advantage towards students who enroll in non-academic electives as these are not calculated in – and therefore artificially “inflate” – GPA.*

## ACADEMIC COMPETENCE

Advanced Placement (AP)			
School Results			
Year	Enrolled	Tests Given	Scored 3+
2015	382	824	70%
2016	407	830	74%
2017	423	929	75%
2018	426	908	73%
2019	454	997	72%

College Entrance Exam Averages					
SAT					ACT
Year	Reading	Math	Writing	Total	Composite
2015	601	584	575	1760	26.6
2016	591	578	566	1735	26.1
2017	596	582	571	1749	27.1
2018	633	656	N/A	1289	26.9
2019	613	602	N/A	1215	TBD

Advanced Placement (AP)								
Student Awards		2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Scholar	≥3 on 3+ exams	48	67	60	53	59	57	<b>64</b>
Honors Scholar	3.25 Avg and ≥3 on 4+ exams	20	24	23	20	19	25	<b>39</b>
Scholar w/ Distinction	3.5 Avg and ≥3 on 5+ exams	39	35	49	62	80	62	<b>65</b>
National Scholar	4 Avg and ≥4 on 8+ exams	7	6	6	14	18	19	<b>16</b>
<b>TOTAL AWARDS</b>		114	132	138	149	176	163	<b>184</b>

AP Subject Results							
School Totals	5	4	3	2	1	Total Exams	
# of Exams	172	263	283	190	89	<b>997</b>	
% of Total Exams	17%	26%	28%	19%	9%		
Subject Totals	5	4	3	2	1	Total	Pass Rate
Biology	8	15	21	11	-	55	<b>80%</b>
Calculus AB	8	14	17	19	4	62	<b>63%</b>
Calculus BC	9	8	4	4	-	25	<b>84%</b>
Chemistry	4	6	17	5	1	33	<b>82%</b>
Computer Science A	4	2	3	1	4	14	<b>64%</b>
Computer Science Principles	3	6	18	6	5	38	<b>71%</b>
English Language & Composition	21	25	26	14	3	89	<b>81%</b>
English Literature	10	17	12	4	-	43	<b>91%</b>
Environmental Science	19	41	13	24	9	106	<b>69%</b>
Human Geography	10	23	25	14	9	81	<b>72%</b>
Psychology	18	26	16	6	9	75	<b>80%</b>
Spanish Language & Culture	3	5	2	1	-	11	<b>91%</b>
Statistics	2	3	12	13	5	35	<b>49%</b>
Studio Art: 2-D Design	9	11	15	1	-	37	<b>95%</b>
Studio Art: Drawing	2	6	3	5	-	16	<b>69%</b>
US Government & Politics	9	10	39	36	21	115	<b>50%</b>
United States History	21	31	31	17	18	118	<b>70%</b>
World History	12	11	6	1	1	31	<b>94%</b>

## COLLEGE MATRICULATION

### 4-Year Colleges & Universities Selected for Attendance by Students (2016 - 2019)

Approximately 64 percent of each year's graduating class matriculates directly to a four-year college or university. Another 33 percent attend community college and many of these students later transfer to four-year universities.

#### Class of 2016 – 2019

Academy of the Arts	(2)	Quinnipiac	
Arizona State	(4)	Rensselaer Polytechnic	
Azusa Pacific University		Santa Clara University	(8)
Barry University	(2)	Sarah Lawrence College	
Baylor University	(2)	Scripps University	
Berklee College of Music		Southern Methodist	(4)
Boston University	(3)	Stanford	(4)
Brigham Young University	(5)	St. Andrews University	(2)
Cabrillo College	(5)	St. Mary's College	(3)
Chapman	(2)	Texas A&M	
Claremont McKenna		Texas Christian (TCU)	(3)
Columbia University		UC Berkeley	(13)
Cornell University		UC Davis	(12)
CSU Chico	(7)	UC Irvine	(5)
CSU Humboldt	(6)	UCLA	(21)
CSU Long Beach		UC San Diego	(3)
CSU Monterey Bay	(9)	UC Santa Barbara	(17)
CSU Sacramento	(4)	UC Santa Cruz	(4)
CSU San Diego	(16)	University of Alabama	(2)
CSU Sonoma	(11)	University of Arizona	(3)
Cal Poly, SLO	(23)	University of Chicago	
Duke	(3)	University of Denver	(2)
Embry Riddle		University of Edinburgh	
Franklin & Marshall		University of Miami	
Georgetown		University of Missouri	
George Washington	(2)	University of North Carolina	
Grinnell		University of Oregon	(4)
Hamilton College		University of the Pacific	(2)
Harvard		University of Pennsylvania	(3)
Harvey Mudd		University of Richmond	(2)
Lewis & Clark College	(4)	University of San Diego	(3)
Loyola Marymount	(7)	University of San Francisco	
Macalester		USC	(9)
MIT	(2)	University of Virginia	
Middlebury		University of Washington	(4)
Montana State University		US Air Force Academy	
Northampton (UK)		US Naval Academy	(3)
Northeastern	(5)	Vanderbilt	(2)
Northwestern		Vassar	
Notre Dame	(3)	Willamette	
NYU	(4)	Washington State	(2)
Occidental College		Wellesley	
Pace University		Wesleyan	
Pepperdine University		Western Washington	
Pomona College	(2)	Westmont	
		West Point Academy	(2)
		Yale	