DOS PUEBLOS SENIOR HIGH

National Blue Ribbon School
California Gold Ribbon School
California Distinguished School

2021-22 School Profile

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SCHOOL AND COMMUNITY: THE DOS PUEBLOS CHARGERS

Nestled between the mountains and the sea, west of Santa Barbara, Dos Pueblos High School was established in the Goleta Valley in 1966 and serves a diverse population of over 2,000 students in grades 9-12. The ethnic makeup of the student body is 45% Hispanic, 41% White, 5% Asian, 1% African American and 8% other. Approximately 48% of our students are identified as socioeconomically disadvantaged.

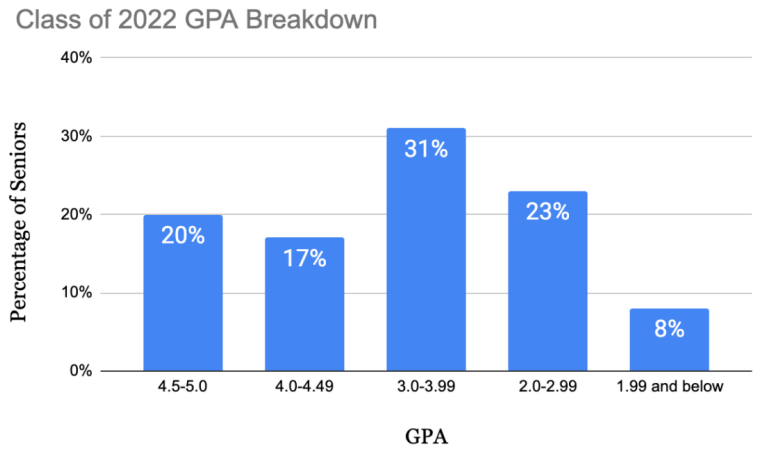
GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS:

Dos Pueblos High School graduates are required to earn a minimum of 220 credits, five for each semester class passed with a "D-" or better. These include:

- 4 years English
- 3 years Mathematics (including Common Core Math 2 or higher)
- 3 years Social Science
- 2 years Science
- 2 years Physical Education
- 1 year Language Other Than English (LOTE) or Visual/Performing Arts
- 2 years Additional College Preparatory Coursework or Career Technical Education
- 1 semester Health
- 4.5 years Electives

GRADING SYSTEM AND CLASS RANK:

GPA is computed both weighted and non-weighted. Grade point averages are computed on a four (4) point scale: A=4, B=3, C=2, D=1, F=0. Santa Barbara Unified School District does not rank.



TRANSCRIPT:

- "+" or "a" designates an Honors, SBCC Dual Enrollment, Advanced Placement or International Baccalaureate class and is used in computing the weighted GPA
- "R" indicates a repeated class for no credit
- "P" indicates a college preparatory class

ENROLLMENT FALL 2021

Seniors - 498 Juniors - 495 Sophomores - 488 Freshmen - 526

ADVANCED PLACEMENT 2021-22:

COURSES (19):
Biology
Calculus AB
Chemistry
Computer Science A
English Language & Composition
English Literature & Composition
Environmental Science
French Language and Culture
Macroeconomics
Microeconomics
Physics 1
Physics 2
Psychology
Spanish Language and Culture
Studio Art: 2-D Design
Studio Art: Drawing
U.S. Government & Politics
U.S. History
World History

AP/IB EXAM RESULTS:
For the 2020-21 school year:

475 students took a total of 837 AP exams
From those AP exams in 25 subjects tested, 74% passed with a 3 or higher.

89 students took a total of 207 IB exams
From those IB exams in 17 subjects tested, 93% passed with a 4 or higher.

NATIONAL MERIT:
Class of 2021:
- Commended, 22
- Semifinalist, 1
- Finalist, 1

Class of 2022:
- Commended, 24
- Semifinalists, 3

Western Association of Schools and Colleges (WASC)

CURRICULUM:

A varied curriculum of academic and elective courses is available for students. Dos Pueblos offers 20 Advanced Placement (AP) courses. AP and IB are open enrollment programs, and students are not limited in the number of AP/IB/SBCC courses that they take.

We also offer 17 International Baccalaureate (IB) courses: English Literature SL & HL, History of the Americas SL & HL, Math Applications & Interpretations SL & HL, Math Analysis & Approaches SL & HL, Film SL & HL, Biology SL, Environmental Systems, Environmental Systems & Societies SL, Visual Art SL & HL, Spanish SL & HL, French SL & HL, Theory of Knowledge, Economics SL & HL.

We offer 14 Honors classes in English, Mathematics, Chemistry and the DP Engineering Academy (DPEA). SBCC Dual Enrollment courses are also offered on the DP campus. These include Math 117 (Statistics), Math 150/160 (Calculus with Analytic Geometry), English 110/111 (Composition & Reading) and Economics 101/102 (Micro and Macroeconomics). We also have over 10 Dual Enrollment classes in Media including Photo 109, Film Production 114/160/165, Graphic Design GDP110/111 and Media Arts & Technology MAT 105/112/131 where students can become industry certified in media production, as well as courses receiving credit in Construction Technology (CT 114/115).

Our internationally recognized Dos Pueblos Engineering Academy (DPEA) consists of over 100 students per grade level, approximately 400 students total in this four year program which culminates in a capstone project in the senior year. The DPEA provides highly motivated students with varying interests the opportunity to participate in a collaborative, project-based, rigorous curriculum.

We consider AP, IB and SBCC Dual Enrollment courses to be equally rigorous, although Math 150/160 Calculus classes are the highest level of math offered at DP. We have roughly 100 Engineering Academy and 15 International Baccalaureate Diploma candidates graduate each year.

COLLEGE & UNIVERSITY ADMISSIONS:

Our class of 2021 enrolled in institutions of higher learning as follows:

4-Year College	43%
2-Year College	50%
Work/Military/Other	7%

Because our local community college, Santa Barbara City College, now offers its SBCC Promise program (which provides two years of free tuition, books and required materials), we have had an increased number of students opting for SBCC as their post-secondary option.

SAT AND ACT RESULTS:

SAT average scores based on Class of 2021 graduates.
ACT average based on Class of 2020 graduates.

	SAT ERW	SAT Math	SAT Total	ACT Composite
DPHS	638	668	1306	25
CA	534	531	1065	22.7

LATEST UPDATES:

- In April 2020, due to the school system transitioning to online learning, our Santa Barbara Unified School District School Board voted to give all students an option for their Spring 2020 Semester grades. For each class, our students had the option of requesting to receive a traditional letter grade or CR/NC. Recent California legislation provided an opportunity for students to request grade changes for the entire 2020-21 school year (Fall and Spring) from letter grades to CR/NC.

- Fall 2020 courses were conducted online. For Spring 2021, students were able to come back in-person or stay virtual. For 2021-22, we maintained a Block Schedule format (3 courses required, and up to 4 courses possible in the Fall and 3 courses required with up to 4 courses possible in the Spring).

- Our community service graduation requirement was adjusted to 45 hours from 60 hours.