



High School Information

2019-2020

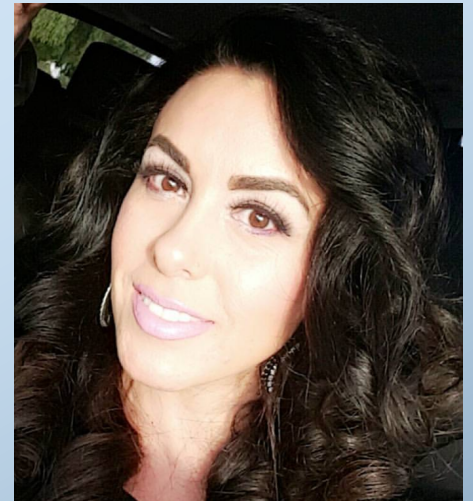
What are the different types of high schools?

- Public/Comprehensive
- Public Fundamental
- Charter
- Private

Public/Comprehensive Schools

- They are like Spurgeon. Anyone can attend as long as they live in the district.
- You can attend a public school if you live outside of the district, as long as you fill out the right paperwork.
- In SAUSD, you are automatically assigned to the high school that you live closest to.
- **If you do not want to attend the high school you are assigned to, you must see Ms. Andrea Alvarez in the front office, and complete the right paperwork.**

Ms. Andrea Alvarez



SAUSD Public, Comprehensive Schools:

- **Century High School**
- **Saddleback High School**
- **Santa Ana High School**
- **Valley High School**
- Public schools have everything! Sports teams, clubs, music, art, exchange programs, academies, scholarships, etc. Each SAUSD school specializes in something different.

Valley High School has Career Academies: (starts in grade 10)

- **Culinary Arts (cooking/restaurants)**
- **Healthcare/Medicine**
- **Automotive and Transportation**
- **New Media**
- **Global Business**
- **Engineering/Construction**

Valley also has a College Academy

- Grades 9-12
- You can be in Anteater Academy and still take classes in one of the career academies.
- **Anteater Academy**
 - A four year academy that gets you into a 4-year University or College.
 - Anteater Academy students attend top colleges like Notre Dame, Stanford, UCLA, UC Berkeley, Harvard, etc.
 - **All applicants who complete the program can receive tuition free to UC Irvine.**

Other SAUSD Schools specialize in:

- Century HS: Speech & Debate, Cheer
- Santa Ana HS: Culinary Arts, ROTC (military), Speech & Debate
- Saddleback HS: International Baccalaureate (IB)—international relations, languages, politics
- Godinez: College preparation, Music/Theatre
- Segerstrom: College preparation

College & Career Pathways



High School Pathways and Academies
Preparing all Students for Success in College & Career
 Santa Ana Unified School District



= Project Lead the Way (PLTW) = California Partnership Academies
 CTE WEBSITE: <http://www.sausd.us/cte>

CTE Program
 Office: (714) 241-6588

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- Check them all out on the poster!

Public Fundamental Schools

- There are only THREE ways to get into a fundamental school:
 - **1—You have a brother/sister or stepbrother/stepsister that attends the school this year. (Cousins do not count.)**
 - **2—You live in the area near Segerstrom (South Coast Plaza).**
 - **3—You get picked randomly in the Lottery.**
- You do NOT get into fundamental schools based on your grades. However, you can get kicked out from the school because of your grades.

Godinez & Segerstrom

- **The lottery was on November 5th.**
- **The enrollment packet was due by November 22nd.**
- **If you did not enter the lottery or enroll by your bro/sis, then you cannot apply for the lotter until Fall 2020.**

Attention!

If you did NOT pick up the lottery packet and turn it in on time, there is NO CHANCE you will be picked to go to Godinez or Segerstrom.

Once again, IT IS NOT BASED ON YOUR GRADES!

Middle College

- When you graduate from Middle College, you will have completed four years of high school, and two years of college.
- $4 \text{ (HS)} + 2 \text{ (College)} = 6$ years of courses, but in FOUR years! You get six years worth in 4 years!
- **Your GPA must be between 2.8 and 3.5 to get in.**
- **See your counselor, Ms. MJ and turn in a lottery application to Middle College.**
- **Parent Meetings: December 17 or December 18, 6:00pm, Santa Ana College, Phillips Hall**
- **Packet Due: January 24th**

Advanced Learning Academy (ALA)

- ALA is a school designed for students who like teaching themselves and learning independently. Many of the classes you take at ALA are online.
- It has a more flexible schedule so that students who compete in club sports or academic competitions can learn in between practices and tournaments.
- You need to be a very self-motivated person and an independent learner to attend.
- **Parent Meeting: Call 714-480-4300 to schedule**

Orange County High School of the Arts

- **This is a special Public Fundamental school for students who have a talent in one of the arts:** choir/singing, band/orchestra/playing an instrument, art/drawing/painting, acting/speech, design, etc.
- **It requires that you complete an application by January 3, 2020.**
- You also must audition in your talent.
- You also need a teacher recommendation from your elective teacher.
- **Preview Day: Thursday, December 7, 2019.**

Continuation Schools

- **These schools are not an option for 9th grade, unless you are expelled from Spurgeon.**
- These schools are available if you flunk your regular high school classes:
 - Lorin Grisset
 - Chavez
- This school is available if you have bad behavior or a criminal record:
 - REACH Academy (formerly Community Day)

Charter Schools

- You must apply to get into charter schools; they do not accept everyone.
- **Charter schools have very limited resources; they do not have sports, clubs, or many extra curricular activities.**
- You have smaller classes and one-on-one counseling.
- **NOVA**
 - **Application Due Date: 12:00 PM, Friday, February 28**, to qualify for the lottery on Monday, March 4, at 4:00 PM.
- **Samueli Academy**
 - **Deadline: February 27, 2020**

Private Schools

- You must apply to private schools to attend.
- You pay tuition (money) to receive your education.
- You can apply for scholarships to these schools so that you do not have to pay the tuition.
- **Mater Dei**
 - **Athletic Information Night: December 03, 2019**
Meruelo Athletic Center - Presentation starts at 7:00p.m.
 - **Future Monarch Information Night #2: January 14, 2020**
 - **Entrance Exams: Saturday, January 25 & February 29, 2020**

Your Counselor:

Mrs. MJ Hegardt

<https://www.sausd.us/Page/42674>



What high school are YOU interested
in attending? WHY?

**Make sure you take this assignment home, and
discuss it with your parent.**

Your parent must sign it!