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## **Chess Players in Top 100 in USA**

Studygascar Math and Chess Learning Center congratulates the following chess players who made it into the top 100 in USA in their age groups on August 2025 USA Top Chess Players Lists. Please note that the USCF ratings are from August Top Chess Players Lists; current USCF ratings for the same players might be different.

## 7 and under

Arjun Korukanti – #34, rated 1237

9 and under (Girls Only List)

**Dhyana Shah – #61, rated 1061** 

15 and under (Girls Only List)

Lilia Vernik – #55, rated 1475

## **Studygascar Students - Tournament Results Update**

**Lilia Vernik** – **current USCF rating 1631.** Lilia shared 3rd place in the 1400+ section of Fremont Cash Swiss held in Fremont, CA on 02/22/2025.

Anish Rapaka – current USCF rating 1538. Anish shared 3rd place in the Kolty Chess Club tournament held in Campbell, CA from 07/02/2025 to 07/30/2025.

**Arjun Korukanti** – **current USCF rating 1200**. Arjun got 1st place in the Combined section of Milpitas Cash Swiss held in Milpitas, CA on 04/19/2025. Arjun also got 2nd place in the under 1400 section of Milpitas Real FIDE Championship held in Milpitas, CA from 05/02/2025 to 05/04/2025.

Arjun shared 3rd place in the under 1600 section of the 24th Memorial Tournament held in San Francisco, CA on 06/28/2025.

Jayden Mattekatt – current USCF rating 1153. Jayden shared 2nd place in the Advanced section of the SMC Chess Club Cupertino tournament held in San Jose, CA on 06/29/2025. Jayden also shared 3rd place in the Advanced section of the SMC Chess Club Cupertino tournament held in San Jose, CA on 08/16/2025.

Aditya Rajeev – current USCF rating 1142. Aditya shared 1st place in the under-1000 section of 2025 U.S. Junior Congress Championship held in Milpitas, CA from 01/03/2025 to 01/05/2025. Aditya also shared 3rd place in the 700+ section of 2025 U.S. Amateur Team West Championship held in Milpitas, CA from 02/15/2025 to 02/17/2025.

Aditya got 1st place in a quad in the San Jose Cash Quads held in San Jose, CA on 08/10/2025.

**Sreyas Khandelwal** – **current USCF rating 1105**. Shreyas shared 2nd place in the Age 9 section of 2025 CalChess Age Level Championship held in Milpitas, CA on 01/25/2025.

Ashutosh Bharathapudi – current USCF rating 1102. Ashutosh got 1st place in a quad in Milpitas Kids Quads held in Milpitas, CA on 08/03/2025. Ashutosh also got 1st place in a quad in Cupertino Kids Quads held in Cupertino, CA on 08/09/2025.

Dhyana Shah – current USCF rating 1060. Dhyana got 1st place in a quad in the Cupertino Kids Quads held in Cupertino, CA on 04/12/2025. Dhyana also shared 3rd place in the K-3 Championship section of the 2025 CalChess Superstates Championship held in Milpitas, CA from 04/26/2025 to 04/27/2025.

Dhyana got 2nd place in the Girls K-3 section of 2025 CalChess Girls and Boys Championship held in Milpitas, CA on 05/17/2025.

Akshay Vemuri – current USCF rating 957. Akshay got 1st place in a quad in San Jose Kids Quads held in San Jose, CA on 06/29/2025.

**Soham Kand** – **current USCF rating 950**. Soham got 2nd place in the Combined section of Cupertino Kids Swiss held in Cupertino, CA on 02/08/2025. Soham also got 1st place in the Premier section of Milpitas Kids Swiss held in Milpitas, CA on 07/19/2025.

Soham got 1st place in the Premier section of Cupertino Kids Swiss held in Cupertino, CA on 08/09/2025.

**Umair Mohammed** – **current USCF rating 941**. Umair shared 3rd place in the Premier section of Cupertino Kids Swiss held in Cupertino, CA on 01/11/2025. Umair also shared 1st place in the Booster section of San Jose Kids Swiss held in San Jose, CA on 02/02/2025.

Umair shared 2nd place in the Premier section of Cupertino Kids Swiss held in Cupertino, CA on 08/09/2025. He also shared 2nd place in the Intermediate section of the SMC Chess Club Cupertino tournament held in San Jose, CA on 08/16/2025.

Umair shared 2nd place in the Combined section of Fremont Kids Swiss held in Fremont, CA on 08/23/2025.

**Srikar Rachamreddy** – **current USCF rating 921**. Srikar got 1st place in a quad in Cupertino Kids Quads held in Cupertino, CA on 04/12/2025.

**Vibhav Jaishankar** – **current USCF rating 912**. Vibhav shared 3rd place in the Champ section of Milpitas Kids Swiss held in Milpitas, CA on 07/19/2025.

**Aarit Purohit** – **current USCF rating 888**. Aarit shared 3rd place in the Combined section of San Jose Kids Swiss held in San Jose, CA on 03/30/2025.

Owen Wickremasinghe – current USCF rating 879. Owen got 1st place in a quad in the Milpitas Kids Quads held in Milpitas, CA on 06/21/2025.

**Shaurya Pathak** – **current USCF rating 870**. Shaurya shared 2nd place in the San Jose Kids Swiss held in San Jose, CA on 05/11/2025. Shaurya also got 1st place in a quad in Milpitas Kids Chess4Less Quads held in Milpitas, CA on 08/16/2025.

Bryson Zhang – current USCF rating 773. Bryson got 1st place in a quad in Cupertino Chess4Less Quads held in Cupertino, CA on 05/10/2025. Bryson also got 1st place in a quad in Cupertino Kids Chess4Less quads held in Cupertino, CA on 08/09/2025.

**Sharvil Govindavajhala** – **current USCF rating 719**. Sharvil got 2nd place in the Premier section of Cupertino Kids Swiss held in Cupertino, CA on 01/11/2025. Sharvil also shared 3rd place in the Combined section of Cupertino Kids Swiss held in Cupertino, CA on 02/18/2025.

Sharvil got 1st place in a quad in Cupertino Chess4Less Quads held in Cupertino, CA on 05/10/2025.

Akshara Karthik – current USCF rating 699. Akshara got 1st place in a quad in San Jose Kids Quads held in San Jose, CA on 07/06/2025. Akshara also got 1st place in a quad in Cupertino Kids Chess4Less quads held in Cupertino, CA on 08/09/2025.

**Dia Sahni** – **current USCF rating 652**. Dia got 1st place in the San Jose Kids Chess4Less tournament held in San Jose, CA on 08/24/2025.

Aadhi Saravanan – current USCF rating 648. Aadhi shared 1st place in Cupertino Kids Chess4Less tournament held in Cupertino, CA on 08/09/2025. Aadhi also got 1st place in San Jose Kids Chess4Less tournament held in San Jose, CA on 08/17/2025.

**Sathkrith Narayana** – **current USCF rating 625**. Sathkrith got 3rd place in the Booster section of Milpitas Kids Swiss held in Milpitas, CA on 03/15/2025. Sathkrith also shared 2nd place in San Jose Kids Swiss held in San Jose, CA on 05/11/2025.

**Prahaas Koneru** – **current USCF rating 405**. Prahaas shared 3rd place in the Champ section of Cupertino Kids Swiss held in Cupertino, CA on 05/10/2025.

Congratulations to all Studygascar students mentioned in this newsletter for their great results in chess tournaments! See you in our classes for educational enrichment!