

# MOUNTAIN VIEW HIGH SCHOOL

Mountain View-Los Altos Union High School District  
*A California Distinguished School*

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## 2023 - 2024 SCHOOL PROFILE



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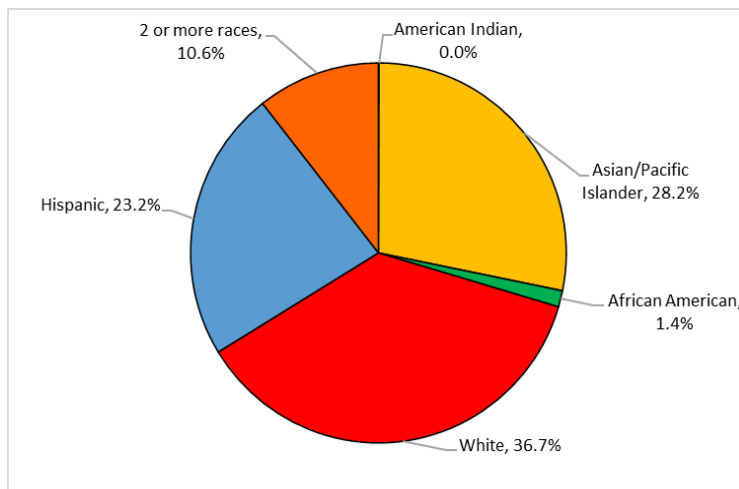
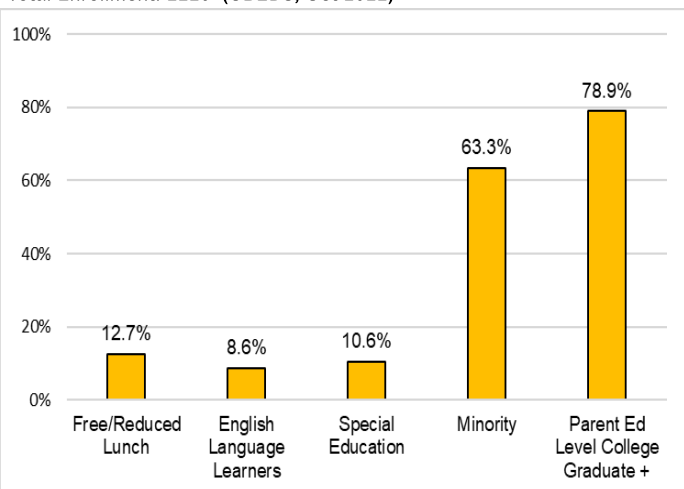
MVHS is a comprehensive public high school (9-12) located in the heart of Silicon Valley, serving a diverse student body from both professional and working-class families. The Mountain View-Los Altos Union High School District consists of two high schools, a continuation high school and a number of alternative programs. Our attendance area includes highly affluent sections of Los Altos, Los Altos Hills and Mountain View as well as low-income housing sections of Mountain View. Newsweek ranked MVHS among the top 1% of high schools nationwide. 18% of students in the class of 2022 were able to receive CalGrant. MVHS is accredited by the Western Association of Schools and Colleges (WASC).

## VISION STATEMENT

We at MVHS value an equitable and collaborative learning environment in which students and staff respect the diversity of our society. We value the intellectual, emotional, and physical well-being of our community. We are committed to empowering lifelong learners who can think critically, solve problems creatively, and participate ethically at MVHS and in our greater democratic society.

## SCHOOL YEAR DEMOGRAPHICS

Total Enrollment: 2220 (CBEDS, Oct 2022)



Data Source: DataQuest & Aeries Query

## GRADING SYSTEM

Mountain View High School lists both unweighted and weighted GPA on the transcript. Weighted GPA is based on all H & AP courses, grades 9-12.

Transcripts follow a standard grading system: A, B, C, D, F, P (pass-credit), I (incomplete), NM (no mark), W (withdrawal). CR/NC only for Spring 2020 due to COVID-19. P/NP for AB 104 grade changes for 20-21.

- Academic GPA (AGPA 9-12): based on all courses taken in grades 9-12, excluding PE/Sports and other non-academic courses (e.g., teaching assistants, peer tutors)
- Academic GPA (AGPA, 10-12): based on all courses taken in grades 10-12, excluding PE/Sports and other non-academic courses (e.g., teaching assistants, peer tutors)
- Total GPA (TGPA 9-12) reflects all courses taken in high school
- CalGrant GPA is used for students who may qualify for a CalGrant (adminstrated by the California Student Aid Commission): based on all courses taken in grades 10-12, excluding PE/Sports and other non-academic courses (e.g., teaching assistants, peer tutors).

## ACT COMPOSITE AVERAGE

	2021	2022	2023
Composite Scores	30.5	29.4	29.6
State Scores	26.1	26.5	26.5

## SAT (1600 SCALE)

	2022	2023	Nat'l & Int'l Mean
Reading & Writing	648	628	482
Math	671	640	457

## NATIONAL MERIT SCHOLAR PROGRAM

	2021	2022	2023
Semi-Finalists	10	17	14
Commended Scholars	54	34	57

## ADVANCED PLACEMENT - May 2023

1079 students took 2466 tests
920 students/85% scored 3 or higher in all tests
435 students/40% scored 5 in all tests

**RANKING**

The MVLA High School District does NOT rank students. A grade distribution table is published for every graduating class, based on Academic GPA 9-12. The table for the graduating class of 2023 is shown below.

**GRADE DISTRIBUTION TABLE**

Unweighted GPA	
3.76-4.00:	191
3.51-3.75:	103
3.01-3.50:	144
2.51-3.00:	89
2.5-below:	70

**POST HIGH SCHOOL PLANS - Class of 2023**

95% College Bound
72% 4 Year College
22% 2 Year College
< 1% Military
University of California (89)
California State Universities (77)
California Private Schools (46)
Out of State Universities (184)

**HIGHLIGHTED PROGRAMS FOR MVLA STUDENTS**

- Middle College: A program where MVHS Junior and Senior students may spend one or two full years combining high school and college coursework at a local community college.
- Freestyle Academy: A two-year, interdisciplinary, project-focused, college preparatory program in communication arts and multi-media production for Juniors and Seniors. Students take courses in English (AP/Honors not available), Digital Media, and one elective track in Film, Animation, or Design.
- Moffett Independent Study: A program for students needing to complete high school diploma requirements in an alternative setting – available for concurrent or full-time enrollment.
- College Now!: a program for Junior and Senior students who are highly self-motivated, mature, independent, responsible and hardworking, and who may have ‘outgrown’ high school and are seeking a stimulating educational environment that is different from high school.
- Virtual Independent Study Program (VISP): An online, asynchronous, self-paced program is available for students who possess a high level of independence, self-discipline, and motivation. This program offers the flexibility for students to opt for a fully online classload instead of attending classes at the high school.
- Career Technical Education (CTE): A pathway program for students to take a specialized sequence of courses which provides rigorous academic and technical knowledge and skills aligned with a specific career focus.
- Advancement Via Individual Determination (AVID): An in-school program for low-income 1st generation college students in grades 9-12. It focuses on academic excellence and college/career readiness. The program offers a rigorous curriculum and college preparatory activities, aiming to equip students with the skills and knowledge necessary for college eligibility and success.

**FOR ADMISSION OFFICERS**

- Mountain View High School’s curriculum is an academically challenging, college preparatory program. Classes meet for 90-minute periods on alternating block days. Students may take up to six classes per semester and elect to participate in a seventh period with limited course options or athletic events.
- Mountain View High School is an open access school, allowing students to take any grade-level appropriate courses as they choose.
- Mountain View High School (MVHS) resumed traditional in-seat instruction during the 2021/22 school year. Families who opted out of in-person instruction could enroll in independent study.
- Letter grades (with weight for Honors and APs) were awarded in Spring 2020 and throughout the 2020-21 academic year.

**ATHLETICS**

**Mountain View High School had 810 student-athletes participating in 17 sports in the 2022-23 school year. 374 student-athletes participate in 2+ sports.**

Badminton (B, G) Soccer (B,G) Baseball (B) Softball (G) Basketball (B,G) Swimming (B,G) Cheer & Dance (C) Tennis (B,G) Cross Country (C) Track/Field (C) Football (B) Volleyball (B,G) Golf (B,G) Water Polo (B,G) Lacrosse (B,G) Wrestling (C) Gymnastics(G)

**STUDENT ACTIVITIES & CLUBS**

**Over 100 clubs in these exciting areas:** Auto Shop Food Med Activism Games Music Computer Intellectual Outdoors Culture Key Club Politics Dance Language Rings Debate Lifestyle ROCK Entrepreneurial Literature Service Environmental Math Student Gov’t

Graduation Requirements	Advanced Placement (AP) and Honors (H) Courses
<b>English:</b> 4 yrs (40 cr)	<b>English:</b> World Literature H English Language AP English Literature AP
<b>Social Studies:</b> 3.5 yrs (35 cr) World Studies (10 cr) Addtl Global Studies (5 cr) US History (10 cr) Civics (5 cr) Economics (5 cr)	<b>Social Studies:</b> European History AP US History AP Govt & Politics US AP Human Geo AP Microeconomics AP Psychology AP
<b>Mathematics:</b> 2 yrs (20 cr) Must include 10 cr of Algebra I or higher	<b>Mathematics:</b> Geometry H Algebra II H Trig/Math Analysis H Calculus AB AP Calculus BC AP Statistics AP
<b>Science:</b> 2 yrs (20 cr) Must include 10 cr of physical science and 10 cr of life science	<b>Science:</b> Biology H/AP Chemistry H/AP Physics C: E&M AP Physics C: Mech AP Physics I AP Environmental Science AP

Graduation Requirements	Advanced Placement (AP) and Honors (H) Courses
<b>World Language/Visual Arts/Practical Arts:</b> 2 yrs (20 cr) any combination	<b>World Language:</b> Chinese Mandarin IV H Chinese Language AP French III H French Language IV AP Latin AP Spanish II H Spanish III H Spanish III H for Span Spkr H Spanish Language IV H Spanish Language AP Spanish Literature AP
<b>Physical Education:</b> 2 yrs (20 cr)	<b>Visual Arts:</b> Drawing AP 2D Art & Design AP
<b>Health:</b> 1 semester (5 cr)	<b>Other:</b> Computer Science AP
<b>Electives:</b> (60 cr)	CS 1B/1C (Foothill College) Math 1C/1D (Foothill College)
<b>Total: 220 credits</b>	