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ANAHEIM UNION HIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT

# OxfordAcademy School Profile 2024-2025

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# **Vision Statement**

Oxford Academy is a community of innovators dedicated to nurturing the holistic growth of life-long learners who will lead and serve an evolving local and global society.

OA is a 7th through 12th grade college preparatory public school that opened in September of 1998. Recognized as a California Distinguished School, OA draws students from the entire attendance area of the Anaheim Union High School District. Oxford's current enrollment is 1,320 students. The ethnic composition of the student body is 1% African American, 68% Asian, 5% Caucasian, 3% Filipino/Pacific Islander, 17% Latino, and 6% Two or More Races. Approximately 40% of OA students come from economically disadvantaged homes. 62% of Oxford students come from homes in which English is not the primary language with 32 different languages spoken.

Current Course Offerings
World History H, AP Euro History, AP Human Geography, AP US History, AP US Government, Economics H, AP Macro Economics, AP Micro Economics, Psychology, AP Psychology
English 1 H, English 2 H, AP English Language, AP English Literature
Integrated Math 1-2 H, Integrated Math 2, Integrated Math 2-3 H, Integrated Math 3, Pre-Calculus, Pre-Calculus H, AP Calculus AB, AP Calculus BC, Statistics with Data Analysis H, AP Statistics
Living Earth H, Chemistry in the Earth Systems H, Physics of the Universe H, AP Biology, AP Chemistry, AP Physics 1, AP Physics 2, AP Environmental Science
Spanish 1, Spanish 2, Spanish for Spanish Speakers 2, Spanish 3, Spanish for Spanish Speakers 3,AP SpanishLanguage, Korean 1, Korean 2, Korean 3, Korean 4 H, Korean American Studies H
Drawing & Painting 1, Drawing & Painting 2, AP Studio Art- Draw Portfolio, Photo, Choir Ensemble, Concert Choir, Show Choir, Musical Production, Concert Band, Orchestra, Symphonic Band, Wind Ensemble
Careers/Finance/Technology, Biotechnology 1*, Biotechnology 2 H*, Biotechnology 3 H*, Business Marketing*, Accounting Principles*, Business Entrepreneurship H*, AP Computer Science Principles*, AP Computer Science A*, Mobile App Development*, Engineering 1*, Engineering 2 H*, Engineering 3 H*
AJ 110, AJ 160, BUS 100, CHIN 101, CHIN 102, CHIN 203, CHIN 204, CIS 111, CIS 190, CIS 195, CIS 230, CIS 231, CIS 233, CIS 247, COUN 140, ETHS 101, ENG 104, HIST 171, KIN 235, MUS 119, PHS 281, PHS 284, SOC 101

Student selection is limited to students entering 7<sup>th</sup> grade and involves a competitive application process. After an evaluation of the student's past academic records and standardized test scores, eligible students take the entrance exam, which includes an academic portion and an interview that measures soft skills. Each year, over 600 students test for roughly 235 openings. OA admits the top 25 applicants from each of the district's eight junior high feeder areas, as well as the top 35 students from surrounding areas.

## Curriculum

All OA students participate in a comprehensive honors curriculum and are required to enroll in a minimum of four Advanced Placement (AP) courses to graduate. The amount of AP courses students can take is limited in 9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup> grades. Last year, graduates were academically prepared for college/university with over 95% of them meeting the minimum University of California (UC) eligibility requirements.

## **Class Rank and Grading**

OA does not rank students. In 9<sup>th</sup> grade, students can take an AP course only if they choose a Computer Science Pathway. In 10<sup>th</sup> grade, students may take only one AP course, unless they are in the Computer Science Pathway. Only honors and Advanced Placement courses approved by the UC system are given weighted grade points.

Letter	Grade Point Value		
Grade	Regular	Weighted	
A	4	5	
В	3	4	
С	2	3	
D	1	1	
F	0	0	

#### **Special Programs**

In addition to OA's rigorous college preparatory program, all students participate in one of four career pathways. Students who select the Biomedical Science Pathway explore health and engage in advanced science learning. In the Business Pathway, students learn a broad range of business and marketing concepts. In the Engineering Pathway, students dig deep into the engineering design process, as well as apply math, science, and engineering standards to hands-on projects. Students who select Software Systems and Development Pathway are taught to use their computation and critical thinking skills to create new technologies that can be used in various fields. All students are expected to compete a pathway of their choice in 3 consecutive years beginning in 9<sup>th</sup> or 10<sup>th</sup> grade.

#### **AP Scores**

Course	Total Exams	2023-2024 Pass Rate
Biology	38	92%
Calculus AB	92	90%
Calculus BC	50	98%
Chemistry	140	89%

Computer Science A	38	84%
Computer Science Prin.	61	98%
English Language	206	88%
English Literature	70	91%
Environmental Science	50	58%
European History	103	98%
Macroeconomics	41	93%
Microeconomics	41	90%
Physics 1	68	81%
Physics 2	13	92%
Psychology	119	71%
Spanish Language	103	80%
Statistics	62	92%
US Govt. & Politics	109	88%
US History	146	91%

#### **SAT and ACT Scores**

OA students historically score higher than the local, State, and National averages on the SAT and ACT exams.

# 2023-2024 SAT Mean Scores

	OA	California	National
Total Score	1344	1257	1028
Writing	669	628	600
Math	675	629	585

#### 2023-2024 ACT Mean Scores

	OA	California	National
English	31.7	25.8	18.6
Math	30.2	24.9	19
Reading	31.9	26.5	20.1
Science	29.1	25.1	19.6
Composite	30.9	25.7	19.5

# **College Matriculation Data for the Class of 2024** (191 students)

