



CHINESE CHRISTIAN SCHOOLS

# School Profile



## Our Unique School

Chinese Christian Schools is a K-12, educational ministry of the Bay Area Chinese Bible Church. Founded in 1979, CCS offers a comprehensive, college preparatory education that is uniquely Christian in philosophy yet Chinese in culture. The school is known for its strong academic program, loving teachers, and strong emphasis on spiritual and character development.

The mission of Chinese Christian Schools is to see students transformed through a saving knowledge of Jesus Christ and Bible-based, Christ-centered instruction so they may be thoroughly equipped to fulfill God's perfect plan for their lives. Hence, the school motto is "Transforming Lives for the Glory of God." Our vision is to



## Commendations

Chinese Christian Schools was awarded the **2003 National Blue Ribbon School Award** by the U.S. Department of Education as a school of academic excellence. The Association of Christian Schools International named CCS an **Exemplary School Program** in 2002, 2003, 2006, and 2007, the only school in the world to receive this recognition four times. The City of San Leandro has issued two official **Commendations**

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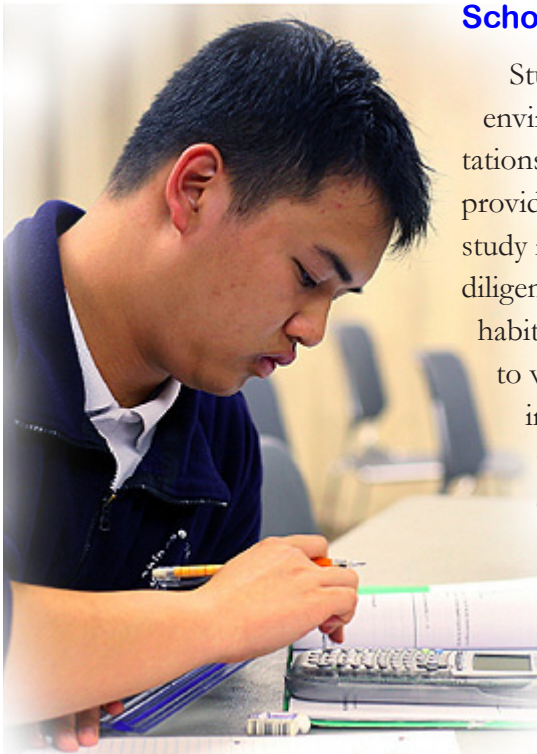
Students at CCS are changed from the inside out to become tomorrow's global leaders.



*"Transforming Lives for the Glory of God"*

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## School Environment

Students achieve best in an environment with high expectations and high support. CCS provides both. The course of study is challenging and demands diligent study and good work habits. Students are expected to work independently starting in kindergarten and instructional time is fast-paced and often intense.

At the same time, the school makes sure that every student is equipped and prepared to succeed. The entire educational program, from the choice of classes to the school buses, is designed to help students learn and achieve to their greatest potential.

## Student Support Services

Students at Chinese Christian Schools are provided with a variety of support services designed to help students academically, emotionally, physically, and spiritually.

**Medical:** The school has a full-time registered nurse and a nurse's assistant to monitor student health, handle illnesses or injuries, and maintain health and immunization records.



recognizing the school's achievements and contributions to the community. In 2009, CCS was selected "Best Alameda County Grade School" by the "Best of the Bay" KRON television show. Finally, the East Bay Business Times ranks CCS the 6th largest private school in the East Bay.

## Academic Program

Chinese Christian Schools maintains high academic standards in every grade and subject. Students undertake a rigorous and comprehensive course of study which includes English (composition, grammar, literature, and vocabulary), Mathematics, History, Chinese Language (Mandarin), Bible, and Science. In each grade, there are additional courses such as Music, Art, Computer Science, Physical Education, and Men's Drill.

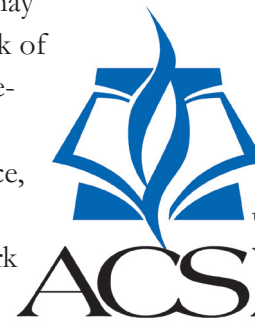
## Library & Media

**Center:** A full-time library staff and numerous volunteers maintain our computerized database and inventory for our main and classroom libraries, including instructional media and teachers' references. Internet access is available in the library and every classroom.

**PowerSchool:** Students and parents may keep track of announcements, attendance, grades, homework and tests

via the internet. Information is available immediately as teachers update their grade books.

**College Advising:** Beginning in middle school, each student meets with a counselor to develop an





academic plan for their university and major of choice. Using **Naviance** software, students and parents have access to an array of tools to help them plan, set, track, and achieve their college plans.

**Pastoral Staff:** The CCS

Chaplain and the pastoral staff of the Bay Area Chinese Bible Church are always available to help students. They provide spiritual counseling in partnership with the family to help students



with academic, disciplinary, or personal problems. They also challenge students to develop spiritually and to develop strong morals.

**Extracurricular Activities**

There is a wide range of extracurricular activities to help students develop into well-rounded individuals. CCS participates in well over 30 competitions each year in areas such as spelling bees, math leagues, math olympics, science fairs, science bowls, history day, Mandarin Speech, Lion's Club Speech, Alameda County Art, Junior States, etc.

Other school activities include Band, Orchestra, Drama, Chinese Instruments, Robotics, Men's Drill, Chorale, Audio Visual crew, and Yearbook.

Enrichment opportunities include karate, Mad Science, art, cooking classes, student travel and numerous academic and occupational internships. Student clubs range from the LEO's service club to the Asian Culture Organization and Debate Club.

Our growing interscholastic sports program is part of the California Interscholastic Federation Bay Counties League, Division 5. The main sports are boys and girls volleyball, basketball, soccer, tennis, cross country and track and field. CCS teams have been recognized for sportsmanship four of the past five years.

**Admissions Policies**

Chinese Christian Schools is inclusive in its admissions philosophy, neither elitist nor exclusive. The school is a ministry which seeks to help all students who can benefit from its educational program. The school is interested in developing each student's God-given potential to the fullest. Students are admitted without regard to race, color, or



ethnic origin.

Applications for admission may be obtained from and submitted to the school office throughout the year. Applications are accepted up to two years in advance. Priority in admissions is granted to siblings of enrolled students and children of alumni or members of the Bay Area Chinese Bible Church. Early application is encouraged as many grades are filled and have waiting lists.



## Spring 2010 Stanford-10 Test Results

(National Percentile Scores)

Subject Area	Grade Level									School Avg.	
	K	1 <sup>st</sup>	2 <sup>nd</sup>	3 <sup>rd</sup>	4 <sup>th</sup>	5 <sup>th</sup>	6 <sup>th</sup>	7 <sup>th</sup>	8 <sup>th</sup>		9 <sup>th</sup>
Reading	95	84	78	79	84	77	79	83	82	82	82.3
Language	---	86	84	83	89	82	82	90	87	84	85.2
Mathematics	78	86	89	86	90	88	87	94	93	93	88.4
Total Battery	87	82	81	82	85	82	82	88	87	85	84.1

Average percentile scores indicate the percentage of students in that grade level who scored below on the same exam. Thus, an 80 percentile scores means on average, CCS students scored better than 80% of the students in the same grade level who took the same test nationally.

## Average SAT-I Scores of CCS Graduates

Graduating Class	Students Tested	Average Total Score	Average Reading	Average Math	Average Writing
2006	47	1690	541	607	542
2007	45	1761	574	621	566
2008	41	1827	588	656	583
2009	43	1790	582	637	571
2010	56	1743	563	622	558

## Recent Undergraduate Institutions Entered by CCS

Since the school's inception, every high school graduate has gone on to college. Since the Class of 2005, students have matriculated directly to the following undergraduate institutions:

### University of California - 50%

Berkeley, Davis, Irvine, Los Angeles, Merced, Riverside, Santa Barbara, Santa Cruz, San Diego

### California State University - 24%

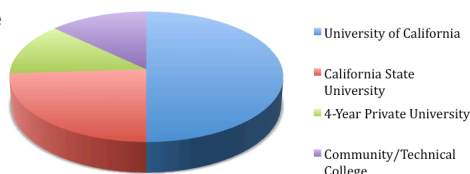
East Bay, Pomona, San Diego, San Francisco, San Jose, San Luis Obispo

### Private Colleges - 13%

Azusa Pacific, Biola University, Brigham Young University, Boston University, California Culinary Academy, Carnegie-Mellon University, Cornell University, Dominican University, George Fox University, Georgetown University, Harvey Mudd, Johns Hopkins University, Liberty University, Mills College, Pacific University, Pensacola Christian College, Santa Clara University, Southwestern University, Stanford University, University of the Pacific, University of Toronto, University of Guam, University of New Mexico, University of San Francisco, University of Washington, US Coast Guard Academy, US Military Academy - West Point, Willamette University

### Community/Technical Colleges - 13%

Chabot College, College of San Mateo, Contra Costa Community College, DeAnza, Diablo Valley College, Foothill College, Las Positas College, Mount San Antonio College, Ohlone College



## College Preparatory Coursework

### History

World History  
AP European History  
Sheltered US History/US History  
AP US History  
American Government  
AP US Government & Politics  
Economics/AP Economics

### English

Advanced ESL  
English I/English I Honors  
World Literature/English II Honors  
AP English Language  
American Literature  
British Literature  
Advanced Composition & Literature  
AP English Literature

### Mathematics

Algebra I, II, and II Honors  
Geometry  
Pre-Calculus/Honors Pre-Calculus  
Statistics  
AP Calculus AB, BC

### Laboratory Science

Science 9  
Biology/AP Biology  
Chemistry/Honors Chemistry  
AP Chemistry  
Physics/AP Physics B/ AP Physics C  
PhysioAnatomy

### Foreign Language

Mandarin I, II, III, IV  
Mandarin IH, IIH, IIIH, AP Chinese  
Spanish I, II, III

### Visual Performing Arts

Art I, II, III, AP Studio Art  
Music I, II  
Drama I

### Electives

Psychology/AP Psychology  
Java  
C++ Programming

## Auxiliary Programs

Transportation  
Food Service  
Extended Day Program  
Parent-Teacher Fellowship  
After School Tutoring  
Summer School  
International Student Services  
Mom's In Touch  
Student Internships  
Short-Term Missions Trips

This list does not include universities students were accepted into but chose not to attend.