



CHRISTIAN BROTHERS HIGH SCHOOL

Enter to Learn, Leave to Serve

2018-2019 School Profile

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The School: Founded in 1876 by the De La Salle Christian Brothers, Christian Brothers High School is the only co-educational four-year college preparatory Catholic high school located in Sacramento, California. Christian Brothers High School has made a commitment to remain in Oak Park, an economically depressed neighborhood of Sacramento, the state's capitol. The student population reflects the diversity found in the ethnic, cultural, and economic realities of the county and the school strongly encourages this diversity in the composition of its student body. Each year the Admissions Committee considers applicants from approximately 75 parochial, private, and public elementary and middle schools. Enrollment is selective and acceptance is based on several factors.

Motto: Inspired by its Lasallian and Catholic traditions, the institution's mission directs the school's efforts to the "intellectual and personal maturity of each student." The school motto of "Enter to Learn - Leave to Serve" encourages students to serve others and is a defining characteristic of a Christian Brothers' education. By graduation, our goal is for students to be not only intellectually competent, but also well-rounded, empathetic, introspective, and caring individuals. Service Learning is a teaching methodology that links education to service and service to learning. The school seeks to attract students of varying academic abilities who can benefit from the Lasallian educational philosophy, which promotes positive expectations in a supportive environment.

Enrollment

Class Size: 270

Student Body: 1,171

Male: 49.7%

Female: 50.3%

Ethnicity: CBHS is composed of African-American (9%), Latino/Hispanic (19%), Asian/Pacific Islander/ Filipino (13%), Caucasian (45%), Native American (1%) and multi-national (13%)

Academics

Most students are enrolled in a rigorous college preparatory curriculum including seven courses each semester.

The **Scholar Path** is available to the most academically motivated and gifted students. In addition to enrollment in Accelerated, Honors, and Advanced Placement courses, this program includes service and leadership components.

Graduation Requirements

270 credits

English	50 credits/ 4 years +
Math	30 credits/ 3 years
Social Studies	35 credits/ 3.5 years
Lab Science	20 credits/ 2 years
Foreign Language	20 credits/ 2 years
Visual and Performing Arts	10 credits/ 1 year
Religion	40 credits/ 4 years
Physical Education	15 credits/ 1.5 years
Electives	50 credits/ 4 years +

Honors Courses

American Literature	Sophomore Literature
Algebra II	Geometry
Math Analysis (Pre-Cal)	Biology
Chemistry	Physics
French II	Spanish II
French III	Spanish III
Painting and Drawing	Band
Chorale	Vocal Jazz

Advanced Placement Courses

Art History	Biology
Calculus AB	Chemistry
Calculus BC	Psychology
Computer Science A	French
English Literature	Spanish
English Language	World History
Physics (Mechanics)	US Government
Statistics	United States History

*In May 2018, 276 students sat for 580 exams in 21 subjects.

***All students who take an AP course are required to take the AP exam in May.**

2018 AP Pass Rate: 84.1% with a score 3 or higher

Grading System :

A-F Letter grades

- College recommended grade= C
- Pluses and minuses are given (does not affect GPA)
- P after course number= course approved by the University of California

A 90%- 100%

B 80%- 89%

C 70– 79%

D 60– 69%

F below 60%

The Transcript lists three GPAs:

Unweighted (4.0 scale) 9-12 total courses

Weighted (5.0 scale) 9-12 total courses

UC/CSU (5.0 scale) 10-11 a-g approved courses

Christian Brothers ranks only by decile (10% segments) and is based on the 9-12th grade weighted GPA: A=5, B=4, etc.

Class of 2018 SAT Results

SAT Reasoning

	Cr. R	Math
CBHS mean	610	590
CA mean	531	524
National mean	533	527

* All juniors take the PSAT in the fall

Class of 2018 ACT Results

Composite

CBHS Mean	25.0
CA Mean	22.8
National Mean	21.0

	Engl	Math	Read	Sci
CBHS mean	25.6	24.6	26.0	24.3
CA mean	22.5	22.7	23.1	22.2
National Mean	20.3	20.7	21.4	21.0

2018 National Merit Program Statistics

Semi-Finalists: Not yet published

Recognition: 7

**** For the fifth consecutive year, Christian Brothers High School has been named to the Washington Post's list of America's Most Challenging Private High Schools.**

Christian Brothers Graduates Post Secondary Acceptances

2011-2018

University of California

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

California State University

Cal Poly Pomona
Cal Poly San Luis Obispo
CSU Bakersfield
CSU Channel Islands
CSU Chico
CSU Dominguez Hills
CSU East Bay
CSU Fresno
CSU Fullerton
CSU Long Beach
CSU Los Angeles
CSU Monterey Bay
CSU Northridge
CSU Sacramento
CSU San Bernardino
CSU San Marcos
CSU Stanislaus
California Maritime Academy
Humboldt State University
San Diego State University
San Francisco State University
San Jose State University
Sonoma State University

Private Universities & Out of State Schools

American University
Amherst College
Barnard College
Baylor University
Boston College
Brandeis University
Boston University
Cal Tech Institute
Carnegie Mellon
Chapman University
Claremont McKenna
Colgate University
Colorado School of Mines
Cornell University
Columbia University
Creighton University
Dartmouth College
De Paul University
Dominican University
Duke University
Emerson College
Fordham University
George Washington University
Georgetown University
Gonzaga University
Harvard University

John Hopkins University
La Salle University
Lehigh University
Lewis and Clark College
Loyola Marymount University
Loyola University, Chicago
Loyola University, Maryland
Loyola University, New Orleans
Manhattan College
Marist College
Marquette University
New York University
Northeastern University
Northwestern University
Occidental College
Oberlin College
Pennsylvania State University
Pepperdine University
Pitzer College
Pomona College
Princeton University
Purdue University
Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute
Saint Mary's College of California
Santa Clara University
Sarah Lawrence College
Scripps College
Seattle University
Seton Hall University
Southern Methodist University
Stanford University
Texas A&M University
Texas Christian University
Tufts University
Tulane University
The Catholic University of America
U.S. Air Force Academy
U.S. Military Academy, West Pt.
U.S. Naval Academy, Annapolis
University of Chicago
University of Colorado, Boulder
University of Michigan
University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill
University of Notre Dame
University of Oregon
University of the Pacific
University of Portland
University of Puget Sound
University of San Diego
University of San Francisco
University of Southern California
University of Texas, Austin
University of Virginia
University of Washington
Vanderbilt University
Vassar College
Villanova University
Wake Forest
Wellesley College
Wesleyan University
Willamette University