



LAGUNA BEACH UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT
LAGUNA BEACH HIGH SCHOOL
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2020-2021 School Profile



SCHOOL CHARACTERISTICS

Established in 1934, Laguna Beach High School (LBHS) has an enrollment of 1084 students and is the only high school within the Laguna Beach Unified School District. LBHS offers a strong college-preparatory program. Eighty-three percent of our graduates attend two-year or four-year colleges. LBHS received a six-year accreditation by the Western Association of Schools and Colleges (WASC) in 2019.

QUICK FACTS

- ◆ 2016 and 2017 California Gold Ribbon School
- ◆ 2008 National Blue Ribbon School
- ◆ 2007 and 2012 California Distinguished School
- ◆ Smallest public high school in Orange County
- ◆ 57% of graduating students attend a 4-year college
- ◆ 32% of graduating students attend community college
- ◆ 55 certificated teachers
- ◆ 254 students in the 2020 Senior Class

Laguna Beach High School ESLRS

Laguna Beach High School achieves its academic, social, and personal potential through a tradition of excellence. The *Mission* of LBHS is to maximize learning for every student in a supportive and caring environment to ensure that all students, upon graduation, are ready for college, career and global citizenship.

FACULTY

Of the 55 certificated teachers, all hold bachelor's degrees and 46 hold master's degrees. The average teacher has 16 years of experience.

GRADING

To address the educational disruption of students affected by the Covid-19 crisis during semester 2 of the 2019-2020 school year, temporary course grading adjustments were made to align with the guidance provided by CDE, UC, CSU, CCC, and AICCU. The course grade marks of credit and no credit were added, in combination with options A, B, or C. For the 2020-2021 school year, the Board of Trustees approved three grading terms for courses: trimesters (10 credits), semesters (5 credits), and yearlong (10 credits). Students receive letter grades at the end of course term.

Principal	Dr. Jason Allemann
Assistant Principals	Nikol King Dale Miller
Counselors	Nichole Rosa (A-Gk) Jeanne Brown (G1 – O) Angela Pilon (P-Z)



CLASS RANKING

The Academic Grade Point Average (GPA) and class rank are based on all grades with the exception of physical education and athletics. Advanced Placement and some honors courses receive an extra point in calculating the GPA.

Due to the different lengths of three Board approved grading terms, GPA and class rank will be affected throughout the school year, based on the time of year it is calculated.

Grading Scale	Academic	Honors / AP
A = 90 - 100	4.0	5.0
B = 80 - 89	3.0	4.0
C = 70 - 79	2.0	3.0
D = 60 - 69	1.0	2.0
F = 59 and below	0.0	1.0

Top % Class of 2020 (Also known as RIC)	GPA (Minimum GPA in Group)
2%	4.51
5%	4.37
10%	4.27
20%	4.06
30%	3.97
40%	3.77
50%	3.61

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

Graduates must complete 230 credits, a requirement that exceeds the minimum requirements mandated by the state of California for graduation from a secondary school.

English	40 credits
Social Studies	35 credits
Mathematics	30 credits
Science	20 credits
World Language	10 credits
Visual and Performing Arts	10 credits
Physical Education	20 credits
Health/Human Ecology	5 credits
Electives	60 credits
Total	230 credits
Community Service Hours Required	40 hours

TESTING DATA

2020 SAT Scores

Math

Class	LBHS	State	National
2020	625	522	523

Evidence Based Reading and Writing

Class	LBHS	State	National
2020	613	527	528

2020 ACT Composite Scores

Class	LBHS	State	National
2020	26.7	22.7	20.8

2019-2020 Matriculation

4-year college/university/military school	57%
2-year college	32%
Technical/vocational school	1%
Active Military Duty	1%
Full-time employment	1%
Gap year/undecided	4%

HONORS/AP COURSE LISTINGS

14 Honors Classes

21 AP Classes

English

English 9 Honors
English 10 Honors
AP English Language
AP English Literature

Math

Algebra II Honors
AP Statistics
AP Calculus AB
AP Calculus BC

Science

AP Physics I
AP Biology
Advanced Chemical
Research Honors

History

AP European History
AP US History
AP Macroeconomics
AP Government & Politics US

World Language

French III Honors
Spanish II Honors
Spanish III Honors
Spanish IV Honors
Spanish V Honors
AP Spanish Language
AP Spanish Literature
AP French Language
Mandarin Chinese IV Honors

Visual & Performing Art

AP Studio Art: Drawing
AP Studio Art: 2D Design
AP Studio Art: 3D Design
AP Art History
Multimedia Design Honors
3D Media Honors
AP Music Theory
Dance Company Honors

Electives

AP Computer Science Principles
AP Computer Sciences A
Medical Core Honors



Every
LBHS student
demonstrates
P.R.I.D.E.

◆ Problem Solver

Gathers, organizes, and analyzes data to solve problems

◆ Resilience

Accepts responsibility

◆ Integrity

Does the right thing in all situations

◆ Dependability

Meets deadlines

◆ Engagement

Contributes in and out of the classroom

LBHS Advanced Placement (AP) Test Scores	2019-2020		
	Number of Students Enrolled in Class	Number of Students Tested	Percentage of Tests Passed
English Literature	25	26	88%
English Language	63	61	88%
European History	66	64	78%
US History	85	81	87%
AP Government & Politics US	47	46	89%
Macroeconomics	46	44	90%
Studio Art: 2D Design	1	4	100%
Studio Art: 3D Design	17	15	80%
Studio Art: Drawing	8	3	100%
Biology	21	20	100%
Physics	28	25	92%
Calculus AB	41	40	95%
Calculus BC	14	12	75%
Statistics	46	43	60%
French Language	4	4	100%
Spanish Language	40	41	100%
Spanish Literature	19	19	94%
Computer Science Principles	61	33	87%
Computer Science A	12	10	80%
Art History	27	25	84%
Music Theory	7	6	100%
TOTALS	678	622	89%