# **Redlands High School** Established 1891 2022-2023 School Profile

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Redlands High School is located in the city of Redlands, San Bernardino County, California. RHS is one of three comprehensive 4-year high schools in the Redlands Unified School District. Founded in 1891, it is the oldest public high school in the State of California still functioning on its original site. The ethnic/racial makeup of the student population is 43.38% Hispanic, 24% White, 14.36% Asian, .18% American Indian, .49% Pacific Islander, 4.18% Filipino, 6.76% Black and 6.67% Multi-Ethnic. The school is enrolled in the National School Lunch and School Breakfast Programs called the Community Eligibility Provision (CEP) which means that all enrolled students in the school, regardless of income level, are eligible to receive a healthy school breakfast and school lunch at no cost. Total student enrollment is 2245 and 47% are first generation college students.

#### FOCUS ON ACADEMICS

RHS staff members are committed to providing all students with a rigorous learning environment in order to fully develop their potential. To support these efforts, staff members consistently analyze student results to make revisions as needed in programs, curricula, and instruction. The school utilizes 9th Grade Teams to support transition, student success, to develop good study habits, and to prepare students for college and their careers. RHS programs include AVID (9-12) and one award-winning CA Partnership Academy: HEART Academy. The 2022-23 school year began with 100% in person instruction with an option for independent study through the district's RISE Program. The school provides each student with a Chromebook.

## **GRADUATION CREDIT REQUIREMENTS**

- •English 40
- •World Lang/VAPA/CTE 10 •Science 20
- (Biological 10; Physical 10)

Social Studies – 30

 Mathematics – 20 (including Integrated Math I) • Physical Education – 20 Electives – 85

## **BELL SCHEDULE**

During COVID-19 in 20-21, teachers provided live interactive & synchronous instruction for 275 minutes each day via distance learning which was greater than the state requirements. Beginning in August 2021 until the present, RHS students participate in live, in-person instruction on the school campus. The bell schedule includes the following: Six periods each day with 54 minute class periods and the bell schedule is 8:30am-3:20pm. There are some opportunities for 0 & 7 periods.

## ACADEMIC PROGRAMS OF EXCELLENCE

#### HEART Academy - CA CTE Partnership Academy

The HEART Academy is a health career oriented program that offers students academic and technical preparation for college entrance and employment in selected healthcare fields. HEART was a recipient of a CSBA Golden Bell Award in 2014.

LINK CREW: Link Crew is a high school transition program that welcomes freshman and aids them in a smooth transition into high school. It is built on the belief that students can help students succeed. Link Crew trains members of the junior and senior classes to be Link Leaders.

**AVID:** Approximately **235** students are participating in the four-year AVID program at RHS. AVID seeks to ensure that students in the academic middle are equipped with the skills necessary to be successful in college

9TH GRADE TEAMS: Freshmen are intentionally grouped together in teams and their common teachers meet monthly to discuss academic progress and discuss interventions and support for struggling students.

## **MOST RIGOROUS COURSE OF STUDY**

English: •English 9H •English 10H •AP English Language & Composition •AP English Literature & Composition • DE English 101 Mathematics: 
Integrated Math I H 
Integrated Math II H

•Integrated Math III H •AP Computer Science A •AP Statistics •AP Calculus AB or BC • DE Math 110

Foreign Language: • AP Spanish Language & Culture • AP French Language & Culture • AP Latin

Science: •Biology H •Chemistry H •AP Biology •AP Chemistry • Physics H • AP Physics C: Mechanics • AP Environmental Science • AP Computer Science Principles • AP Physics 1

Social Science: • AP European History • AP US History

•AP Macroeconomics •AP Microeconomics •AP Government & Politics: US •AP Psychology • AP Human Geography

Fine Arts: •AP Art History •AP Art: 2D •AP Art: 3D •AP Art: Drawing Students may choose to take district funded Dual Enrollment courses through Crafton Hills College.

For a list and description of all courses offered, see the RHS Course Catalog at http://redlandsusd.net/domain/3406

#### **CLASS RANK & GRADE POINT AVERAGE**

All credit courses taken in grades 9-12 during the high school day are included in determining the cumulative GPA. Courses taken outside of the school district, including dual enrollment courses, are included on a student's transcript only at the student's request.

#### **Grade Point Equivalents**

Grade points are determined by using the following scale of equivalents: A = 4 A- = 3.7 B+ = 3.3 B = 3 B- = 2.7 C+ = 2.3

C = 2 C- =1.7 D+ = 1.3 D = 1 D- + .7 F= 0

All AP and Honors classes receive an extra grade point for a C- or above The GPA is averaged in three ways:

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TOTAL GPA for all classes (including PE/Athletics)	Grades 9-12
ACADEMIC GPA (Includes College-Prep courses only)	Grades 9-12
ACADEMIC GPA (Includes College-Prep courses only)	Grades 10-12

All honors and AP courses are awarded bonus points in the calculation of the weighted academic 9-12 GPA; an A or A+ in one of these courses is worth 5 points on a 4-point scale. The highest GPA for 9-12 academic course work for the Class of 2022 was 4.8250. In total, 25 AP and 8 Honors/Accelerated courses are offered. Dual Enrollment courses are taken in partnership with Crafton Hills Colleae and earn 10 high school credits per semester. DE courses are placed on transcripts as **unweighted** in calculating GPA.

GPA Distribution for the Class of 2022:		
GPA Range	Class of 2022	
(Unweighted)	(496 students)	
4.0-3.75	91	
3.74-3.51	81	
3.50-3.01	124	
3.0-2.51	71	
2.5 and below	129	

## TESTING PROFILE 2022 ACT Scores: Composite Average

Year	2022 ( students)
ACT Avg. Composite	TBD

2022 California Seal of Biliteracy

Year	2020-21	2021-22
Students	81	74
# of Languages	7	9

#### 2022 SAT (1600 Scale)

Year	2021 (505 students)	2022 (320 students)
Evidence-Based Reading and Writing	537	544
Math	537	530

#### Advanced Placement (AP®) Scores (May 2022) 567 students took a total of 1170 exams

AP Score	# of students	# of exams	% of total exams
5	144	252	22%
4	210	297	25%
3	228	310	26%
2	157	198	17%
1	97	113	10%

#### National Merit Scholarship Program

Year	2021	2022	2023
Finalists	4	2	TBD
Semi Finalists	4	2	3
Commended Scholars	17	12	4

# POST HIGH SCHOOL PLANS — CLASS OF 2022

\*Based on a survey of 85% of graduating seniors

Graduates	*496
Directly to 4-year colleges	44%
Directly to 2-year colleges	45%
Other plans	11%

# SPECIAL PROGRAMS

Community and district support of education has enabled Redlands High School to maintain excellent academic, athletic and co-curricular programs.

**The Athletic Program:** 24 varsity teams competed in the Citrus Belt League while maintaining an average varsity team GPA of over a 3.00.

**The Vocal Music Department** provides a comprehensive program of vocal and choral music, arranged so that any student at RHS who wants to experience singing may do so. The six choral ensembles consistently receive superior ratings at festivals and competitions for their excellence and musicality, and continue to represent RHS and our community with pride and distinction.

**Instrumental Music Program:** The Marching Band performs at football games, school rallies, and competitions throughout California. The Wind Ensemble, Symphonic Band, String Ensemble, and Jazz Band have performed and competed throughout the United States and Europe, and the Color Guard and Percussion Ensembles have competed at the international level. Instrumental ensembles at RHS consistently receive Superior and Unanimous Superior ratings at festivals.

**Theatre Arts (Masquers)** are a part of the THEATRE ARTS COM-PANY (TACo), a student-run organization promoting theatre on the RHS Campus. Masquers regularly attend the annual State Thespian Conference and have earned several scholarships and awards. Each year, our theater group presents a minimum of three theatrical performances.

**The Speech & Debate Team** had a successful year in 2021-2022. They took 1<sup>st</sup> place sweepstakes in the CBSR league, winning 1<sup>st</sup> in 11 of 12 categories. The team qualified 30 students to the state tournament and three to the national tournament. In addition, the team earned over 100 individual awards through the season. **Mock Trial** placed 2<sup>nd</sup> in the county competition in the 2021-2022 school year. Student members won four "Best in the County" awards and RHS took home 26 outstanding performance awards for pretrial attorney, trial attorney, witness, clerk, and bailiff. Academic Decathlon In 2022, placed 2<sup>nd</sup> in the county, and finished 10th in the Division 1 California State finals. **Pep Squads:** Both JV and Varsity Cheer squads competed in the non-tumbling, Varsity and JV Song (1<sup>st</sup> time ever) (small pom) novice competed at USA Nationals in February. JV Cheer placed 3rd. Varsity Cheer placed 7<sup>th</sup>, Varsity song place 2<sup>nd</sup> & JV Song placed 4<sup>th</sup>. Yearbook (Makio) and newspaper (Hobachi) classes produce high quality products that receive state and national recognition annually.

# **AWARDS AND RECOGNITION**

2022 US News "Best High Schools" #215 (CA) and #1509 (US)

- 2022 Niche Best Public High Schools in CA #147
- 2021 California Distinguished School
- **2019** CA Distinguished School

2019 Campaign for Businesses & Educational Excellence Honor Roll

- **2015** CA Golden Ribbon Freshmen Teams
- **2014-15** CA Golden Bell Freshmen Teams: Small Nets, Big Gains **2013-14** CA Golden Bell HEART Academy

# **CONTACT INFO**

#### <u>Administration</u>

Kate Van Luven, Principal Gayle Dockham, Assistant Principal Vincent Gutierrez, Assistant Principal James Benanti, Assistant Principal Luis Chanure Kimberly Elgin Robin Gonzales Dennise Kennedy Vaughan Kusko Maria Magana-Saenz Sherry Walsh

School Counselors

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