

# Dunn School

## 2023-2024 Course Offerings

<b><u>FULL YEAR COURSES</u></b>	
<b><u>Humanities - English</u></b> English 9 English 10 Advanced English 10 English 11 Advanced English 11* English 12 Advanced English 12* Creative Writing Speech and Debate	<b><u>Humanities - History</u></b> History 9 World History Advanced World History* U.S. History Advanced U.S. History* Advanced American Studies Government
<b><u>Math</u></b> Integrated Math 1 Advanced Integrated Math 1 Integrated Math 2 Advanced Integrated Math 2 Integrated Math 3 Advanced Integrated Math 3 Integrated Math 4 Advanced Statistics* Advanced Calculus (AB)* Advanced Calculus (BC)* Computer Science	<b><u>Science</u></b> Conceptual Physics Chemistry Advanced Chemistry I Advanced Chemistry II* Biology Advanced Biology I Advanced Biology II* Advanced Physics (11th-12th) Anatomy and Physiology Advanced Environmental Studies Introduction to Engineering
<b><u>Visual Arts</u></b> Studio Art 1 Studio Art 2 Studio Art 3 - Portfolio Development Studio Art 3 - Portfolio Completion Ceramics 1 Ceramics 2 Ceramics 3 - Portfolio Development Ceramics 3 - Portfolio Completion Digital Photo 1 Digital Photo 2 Digital Photo 3 - Portfolio Development Digital Photo 3 - Portfolio Completion Videography	<b><u>World Language</u></b> Spanish 1 Spanish 2 Advanced Spanish 2 Spanish 3 Advanced Spanish 3 Spanish 4 Advanced Spanish 4* Multi-Lingual Support (MLS)
<b><u>Performing Arts</u></b> Applied Music Fundamentals Ensemble 1 Ensemble 2 Ensemble 3 Vocal Ensemble Acting	<b><u>Interdisciplinary Electives</u></b> Jurgensen's Toolkit Jurgensen's Pioneers (11th only) Jurgensen's Investors and Philanthropists Entrepreneurship Economics (11 and 12)

<b><u>SINGLE TRIMESTER COURSES</u></b>		
<b><u>Fall Trimester</u></b>		<b><u>Winter Trimester</u></b>
<b><u>History:</u></b> History & Philosophy of Status and Power (11th-12th only)		<b><u>History:</u></b> Chumash Studies (11th-12th only)
<b><u>English:</u></b> Sports Journalism		<b><u>English:</u></b> Refugee Literature
	<b><u>Spring Trimester</u></b>	
	<b><u>History:</u></b> Peace and Conflict (11th-12th only)	
	<b><u>English:</u></b> Journalism	
	<b><u>Elective:</u></b> Racecar	

\*This is the course that is comparable to the course that most prepares students for the AP exam

Students must be enrolled in five (5) academic classes each semester; four (4) of the five (5) classes must be core courses from within the subjects of English, History, Math, Science, and World Language.

Advanced courses receive 1 bonus point when calculating weighted GPAs.

### **Dunn Academic Graduation Requirements**

Dunn's academic graduation requirements are based on the commitment to our students' intellectual lives and their preparation for future academic challenges and life-long learning. Students must meet the departmental requirements and be enrolled in a **minimum of 5 academic classes each trimester**. Many Dunn students apply to the University of California system; every student who completes Dunn's minimum graduation requirements with grades of C- or higher will meet the UC subject area requirements. Students who aspire to attend highly selective colleges/universities should accept the highest level of academic challenge possible.

Dunn's graduation requirements provide a framework for learning by design and create flexibility for students to pursue courses that support their future goals.

<i><b>Subject</b></i>	<i><b>UC Requirements</b></i>	<i><b>Dunn Graduation Requirements</b></i>	<i><b>Recommendations for Highly Selective Colleges*</b></i>
English	4 years	4 years	4 years
History	2 years to include World and U.S. History	3 years to include World and U.S. History	4 years
Math	3 years 4 years recommended	3 years to include Math 3	4 years
Science	2 years of lab science to include Chemistry and Biology 3 years recommended	3 years to include Chemistry and Biology	4 years
World Language	2 years of one language 3 years recommended to include the third level	2 years of one language to include the second level	4 years
Arts	1 year to include completion of one year-long course	1 year to include completion of one year-long course	1 year

\*Select the most rigorous courses offered in areas of greatest interest (Honors or Advanced)

To receive a Dunn diploma, students must complete their senior year at Dunn. The passing grades are A, B, and C. The failing grades are D and F. The UC system requires a C- or higher for classes used to determine admissibility.