



# ADRIAN C. WILCOX HIGH SCHOOL

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Established in 1961, Adrian C. Wilcox is a WASC-accredited four-year public comprehensive high school in Santa Clara Valley, approximately 45 miles south of San Francisco. The school is surrounded by private homes and apartments and serves students from Santa Clara, Sunnyvale, and San Jose. Composed of students from a wide variety of social and economic areas, the general economic background is middle class with many parents engaged in skilled, professional or service occupations in Silicon Valley. The certificated staff includes a principal, 4 Vice Principals, 6 counselors, a librarian, 98 teachers and services from a part time nurse, speech therapist and two psychologists to support our diverse student body. Taking into consideration smaller English Language Learner classes, the average mainstream class size is 28 students. Wilcox High School has a comprehensive curriculum which includes basic instruction programs as well as programs designed for the college bound, AP and Honors courses, vocational-technology, special education and English language development. Units of Credit – Ten units of credit are assigned for each course that meets one period daily for one year. Five units of credit are assigned for each course that meets one period daily for one semester.

- An active AVID program with multiple sections at each grade level
- A Career Technical Education (CTE) Program with classes ranging from automotive technology to fashion design and culinary careers
- An award-winning robotics team
- An athletic program with 21 sports teams, a cheer, dance and drill team
- An outstanding Visual and Performing Arts program that includes a Concert Band, two Orchestras, and a Choir; a drama program with multiple yearly performances and art classes in Ceramics, Sculpture, Drawing and Painting
- Over 50 student run clubs that vary from Speech and Debate to Best Buddies

## School Profile

2020 - 2021

### Graduation Requirements

Subject	Years	Credits
English	4	40
Mathematics	2	20
Science	2	20
Social Science	3	30
World Language	1	10
Visual and Performing Arts/Practical Arts	1.5	15
Physical Education/Health	2.5	25
Electives		70

Total Credits 230

### GPA and Related Information

- Credit is awarded on a per-semester basis in December and June
- GPA is computed each semester and cumulatively at the end of grades 9, 10, 11 and 12
- GPA is calculated on the following scale: A = 4; B = 3; C=2; D=1; F=0
- Advanced Placement and Honors courses are given an additional point value on the GPA and are noted on the transcript by the course title with an “AP” or “H.”
- Due to COVID-19 school closures, spring 2020 grading is credit/no credit and marks do not affect GPAs or percentile rankings

**WHS Total Enrollment for 2020 - 2021: 1983**  
**Class of 2021: 451**

#### Total Enrollment Demographics

Hispanic/Latino	36.8%
White	17.5%
Asian/Pacific Islander	32.1%
Filipino	5%
Black	1.7%
Other	6.9%
English Language Learners	13.9%
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	47.6%
Students with Disabilities	13.1%

### Class of 2021 \*

Decile	Cumulative GPA
1	4.63-4.39
2	4.38-4.17
3	4.16-3.92
4	3.91-3.72
5	3.68-3.44
6	3.43-3.17
7	3.14-2.84
8	2.82-2.49
9	2.48-2.01
10	2.00-0.00

\* Through June 2020

### Advanced Placement Course Offerings (23)

AP Biology	AP Principles of Computer Science
AP Calculus AB	AP Physics 1
AP Calculus BC	AP Physics 2
AP Chemistry	AP Psychology
AP Computer Science	AP Spanish Language
AP English Language and Composition	AP Spanish Literature
AP English Literature and Composition	AP Statistics
AP Environmental Science	AP Studio Art 2 - D
AP European History	AP Studio Art 3 - D
AP French Language	AP US Government and Politics
AP Japanese Language and Culture	AP US History
AP Macroeconomics	

**Honors Course Offerings:** Algebra 2 H, Chemistry H, Geometry H, Human Physiology H, English 9H, English 10H, British Literature H, Theater Productions H  
*Approximately 33.9% of students take an AP course*



### 3 year Advanced Placement Statistics 2017- 2020

	2017 -2018	2018 -2019	2019 -2020
<b>Total # Students</b>	588	578	566
<b>Total # Tests</b>	1403	1300	1241
<b>% Passed</b>	74.5%	73.5%	81.6%

## Class of 2020 Summary

**Senior Class: 431  
427 graduates**

### Post-Graduation Destinations

<b>4-Year Colleges/Universities</b>	<b>47%</b>
<b>2-Year Colleges</b>	<b>43%</b>
<b>Other</b>	<b>10%</b>

### National Merit Scholar Program

	<i>Semi-Finalists</i>	<i>Commended</i>
Class of 2021	5	16
Class of 2020	6	17

### AP Scholar Awards 2020

**84 AP Scholars**

(scores of 3 or higher on 3 or more exams)

**37 AP Scholars with Honor**

(score average of 3.25 or higher on all exams taken and a 3 or higher on 4 or more exams)

**74 AP Scholars with Distinction**

(score average of 3.5 or higher on all exams taken and a 3 or higher on 5 or more exams)

**10 National AP Scholars**

(score average of 4 or higher on all exams taken and a 4 or higher on 8 or more exams)

### Educational Levels for Parents of Current Wilcox Students

Not a high school graduate	11.9%
High school graduate	18.0%
Some College or AA Degree	15.0%
College Graduate	27.4%
Graduate Degree or Higher	23.9%
Decline to state	3.8%

### CLASS OF 2020

#### COMPARISON WITH PREVIOUS CLASSES

#### ACCEPTANCE LETTERS FROM THE FOLLOWING COLLEGES/UNIVERSITIES

#### (# OF STUDENTS IN PARENTHESES)

Arizona State Univ. (13)	Liverpool John Moores University (1)	SUNY Albany (1)	Univ. of Victoria (1)
Augsburg Univ. (1)	Louisiana State Univ. (2)	SUNY Buffalo (1)	Univ. of Virginia (1)
Azusa Pacific Univ. (1)	Loyola Marymount Univ. (3)	SUNY Buffalo State (1)	Univ. of Washington (14)
Baylor Univ. (2)	Loyola Univ. – Chicago (1)	Syracuse Univ. (3)	Univ. of Waterloo (1)
Bentley Univ. (1)	Marymount Manhattan College (1)	The Ohio State Univ. (4)	Univ. of Wisconsin – Madison (2)
Binghamton Univ. (1)	Massachusetts College of Pharmacy & Health Sciences (1)	Tufts University (1)	Ursinus College (1)
Boise State Univ. (1)	McGill University (1)	United State Air Force Academy (1)	Utah Valley Univ. (1)
Boston Univ. (4)	McMaster University (1)	Univ. of Alberta (1)	Virginia Tech (2)
Brooklyn College of the CUNY (1)	Menlo College (4)	Univ. of Arizona (10)	Waseda University (1)
California Baptist Univ. (1)	Miami University – Oxford (1)	Univ. of British Columbia (1)	Washington State Univ. (4)
California Lutheran Univ. (1)	Michigan State Univ. (4)	Univ. of Central Florida (1)	Washington University in St. Louis (1)
Case Western Reserve Univ. (2)	Montana State University (1)	Univ. of Chicago (1)	West Virginia Univ. (2)
Cazenovia College (1)	Morehouse College (1)	Univ. of Colorado – Boulder (13)	Western Oregon Univ. (1)
Clemson University (2)	Mount St. Mary's University, Los Angeles (1)	Univ. of Colorado – Denver (1)	Western Washington University (1)
Cogswell College (3)	Muhlenberg College (1)	Univ. of Connecticut (1)	Whittier College (4)
Colorado Mesa University (1)	Nazareth College (1)	Univ. of Delaware (1)	Willamette Univ. (2)
Colorado State University (7)	New York Univ. (3)	Univ. of Georgia (1)	Worcester Polytechnic Institute (1)
Columbia College Chicago (1)	Niagara University (1)	Univ. of Hawaii – Manoa (7)	Wright State University (1)
Corban University (1)	Northeastern Univ. (2)	Univ. of Idaho (2)	<u>CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY SYSTEM (CSU)</u>
Cornell University (1)	Northern Arizona Univ. (11)	Univ. of Illinois – Chicago (2)	Cal Poly Pomona (17)
Culinary Institute of America – CA (1)	Northwestern Univ. (1)	Univ. of Illinois – Urbana Champaign (4)	Cal Poly SLO (20)
Dominican Univ. of CA (3)	Notre Dame de Namur Univ. (3)	Univ. of Maryland (1)	Bakersfield (1)
Drexel Univ. (1)	Occidental College (4)	Univ. of Massachusetts – Amherst (3)	Channel Islands (1)
Embry-Riddle Aeronautical Univ. – Daytona Beach (1)	Ohio University (1)	Univ. of Massachusetts – Lowell (1)	Chico (18)
Embry-Riddle Aeronautical Univ. – Prescott (2)	Oregon Institute of Technology (2)	Univ. of Miami (1)	Dominguez Hills (1)
Emerson College (1)	Oregon State Univ. (9)	Univ. of Michigan (2)	East Bay (24)
Fashion Institute of Technology (1)	Otis College of Art and Design (1)	Univ. of Minnesota (3)	Fresno (6)
Fordham Univ. (3)	Pace Univ. – New York (1)	Univ. of Missouri – St. Louis (1)	Fullerton (18)
Georgetown Univ. (1)	Pacific Union College (1)	Univ. of Montana (1)	Long Beach (20)
Georgia Institute of Technology (1)	Pacific Univ. (5)	Univ. of Nevada – Las Vegas (3)	Los Angeles (5)
Georgia State University (1)	Pennsylvania State Univ. (11)	Univ. of Nevada – Reno (16)	Monterey Bay (12)
Grand Canyon Univ. (1)	Portland State Univ. (1)	Univ. of New Hampshire (1)	Northridge (2)
Hamline University (1)	Purdue Univ. (18)	Univ. of New Mexico (3)	Sacramento (37)
Hawaii Pacific Univ. (1)	Queen's University (1)	Univ. of North Dakota (1)	San Bernardino (2)
Hilbert College (1)	Regis University (1)	Univ. of Northern Colorado (1)	San Diego State (22)
Hofstra Univ. (4)	Rochester Institute of Technology (1)	Univ. of Oregon (15)	San Jose State (87)
Houghton College (1)	Rose-Hulman Institute of Technology (1)	Univ. of the Pacific (22)	San Marcos (3)
Illinois Wesleyan Univ. (1)	Rutgers University (5)	Univ. of Pittsburgh (2)	Stanislaus (10)
Indiana University – Bloomington (3)	Saint Mary's College of California (10)	Univ. of Portland (8)	San Francisco State (36)
Iowa State Univ. (2)	Sam Houston State Univ. (1)	Univ. of Puget Sound (1)	Humbolt State (5)
Keuka College (1)	Samford University (1)	Univ. of Redlands (1)	Sonoma State (18)
La Sierra University (1)	Santa Clara Univ. (26)	Univ. of Rochester (1)	<u>UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA SYSTEM (UC)</u>
Lamar University (1)	Sarah Lawrence College (1)	Univ. of San Francisco (14)	Berkeley (11)
Lewis & Clark College (2)	Seattle Pacific University (2)	Univ. of Southern California (5)	Davis (29)
	Seattle University (2)	Univ. of Tampa (1)	Irvine (24)
	Seton Hall University (2)	Univ. of Texas – Austin (4)	Los Angeles (8)
	Sierra College (1)	Univ. of Texas – Dallas (2)	Merced (14)
	Southern Oregon Univ. (2)St.	Univ. of Texas – El Paso (1)	Riverside (25)
	Bonaventure Univ. (1)	Univ. of Utah (1)	San Diego (20)
	St. John's Univ. (2)		Santa Barbara (27)
	St. Olaf College (1)		Santa Cruz (34)

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