



## 2023-2024 School Profile

Vista del Lago High School  
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### Community

Folsom Cordova Unified School District encompasses an area northeast of downtown Sacramento, California. Its boundaries include the cities of Folsom and Rancho Cordova, California, both of which adjoin Highway 50, which leads east to Lake Tahoe. The community in which the school is located has a population of approximately 73,000. Currently the district consists of 27 schools, including 20 elementary schools, 4 middle schools, 3 comprehensive high schools plus continuation high schools, adult education and other service centers.

### School

Vista del Lago High School is a comprehensive four-year public high school enrolling 1800 students in grades 9 through 12. Opening in 2007, the school graduated its first senior class in 2010. In 2023, Vista del Lago High School was granted accreditation status through the **Western Association of Secondary Schools and Colleges through 2029**. The student body has a population of 55% White, 27% Asian, 10% Hispanic, 1.1% Black .02% American Indian and .5% identify as two or more races.

### Curriculum

The academic calendar is a **4x4 block schedule** split into two terms. Students are enrolled in four classes per term, eight total over a school year. Classes meet daily and are 91 minutes in duration. Letter grades of A, B, C, D, and F are used. The marking system is as follows: A=4; B=3; C=2; D=1; F=0. A cumulative grade point average is computed using a 4.0+ scale and includes all work completed in grades 9 through 12. **The transcript includes both a weighted and unweighted GPA as well as a college prep GPA, which excludes freshman grades and non-approved UC a-g courses.** Advanced placement courses are weighted; honors courses are not weighted with the exception of Honors Chemistry. If a course is repeated, the higher grade is calculated into the GPA, unless the grade is an "F" grade, in which case it remains as part of the GPA calculation.

**Class Rank is not reported as of the class of 2020.** The class of 2024 has 464 students.

### Standardized Test Results

33% of the class of 2022 took the SAT test	
School Mean Score	1283

### Advanced Placement Results

In May 2023, **625** participated in the AP examinations. A total of **1259** exams were taken in **24 subjects**. **85%** of the AP exams received scores of 3 or higher.

### Special Curriculum Features

Advanced Placement Program courses are offered in Drawing, English Language, English Literature, Government, United States History, World History, Calculus AB, Calculus BC, Statistics, Biology, Environmental Science, Chemistry, Computer Science A, Computer Science Principles, Physics 1, Physics 2, Human Geography and Psychology. **Students are selected for the AP program based on their interest.** All AP classes are offered annually. Honors courses are offered in Chemistry.

### Advisory

Advisory classes meet once per week. Students stay with their advisory teacher over the course of their four years at Vista. The advisory program has three purposes; create positive and caring relationships among staff and students, provides a support system to promote high levels of learning for all students and gives school wide exposure to relevant and important issues, which include college and career readiness as well as social and emotional growth. Advisory is given a P or F but is not included in the GPA or given credits.

### Class of 2023

The class of 2023 had **423** members. Their overall weighted GPAs breakdown was:

<b>106</b> earned <b>4.0+</b>	<b>70</b> earned <b>2.0-3.0</b>
<b>237</b> earned <b>3.0-4.0</b>	<b>5</b> earned <b>less than a 2.0</b>

### College Prep

80% of graduating seniors completed a-g requirements  
69% of a-g completers matriculated to a four-year college in 2023

### Post-High School Placement of the senior class

**57%** self-reported enrolling in 4-year colleges  
**39%** self-reported enrolling in 2-year institutions  
**7%** selected work, military service, technical instruction or other

### Spring 2020: COVID-19

As a result of the COVID-19 national pandemic, Vista del Lago went to full time distance learning as of March 13, 2020. Consequently, the entire final semester of the second term was online. In order to equalize the learning environment we granted only CR/NM for the Q4 grading period.

**Credit (CR)**-student earned A, B, C or D in the course

**No Mark (NM)**-student earned F in the course

No grade points were awarded for this grading period in the GPA

**AB 104:** for the 2020–21 school year, students were permitted to request a grade change from a letter grade on the student transcript to Pass or No Pass. This is indicated on our transcripts as a **P** or **NP**. **No grade points were awarded for any P grade earned.**