

Mt. Diablo High School

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MT. DIABLO

UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

2023-2024 School Profile

CEEB: 050-660

CDS: 07-61754-0734566

County: Contra Costa
District: Mt. Diablo Unified
Type: Public-Comprehensive
Charter: No
Title 1: Yes-Schoolwide
Grade Span: 9-12

Enrollment: 1,488
9th: 372
10th: 334
11th: 355
12th: 427

Sex: Female (682) 45.83%
Other Gender 0.13 %
Male (804) 54.03%

English Language Learners: 35.1%

Free/Reduced Lunch: 70.84%

ADMINISTRATION

Principal: Dr. Markell McCain

Vice Principals/Administrators: Dr. Ryan Murrow, Josie Kirkland, Elizabeth Mangelsdorf, Suleyma Moss

COUNSELING

Academic Counselors: Brian Rodda, Mala Datta, Leidi Arias Yaretzie Amaya

Social/Emotional Counselors: Chris Carley

College and Career Advisor: Erika Ramos

FACULTY

Administrators (5)	Counselors (4)	Teachers (77)
Classified (25)	Librarian (0)	Speech Therapist (1)
Psychologists (2)	Nurse (1)	

MOUNT DIABLO HIGH SCHOOL VISION STATEMENT

We graduate students prepared for college, career, and civic responsibility.

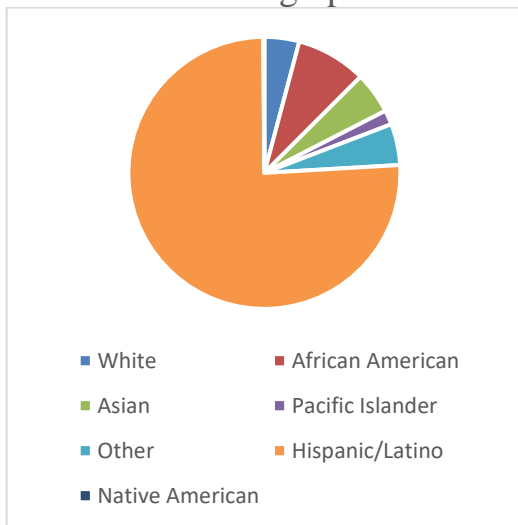
MOUNT DIABLO HIGH SCHOOL MISSION STATEMENT

We will raise all of our students' ability to read, write, and think critically through engaging, rigorous, standards-based instruction.

We will improve all of our students' physical health, emotional well-being, and sense of responsibility to self and the community.

We will instill determination in all of our students to persevere in reaching their goals.

Student Demographics



Mt. Diablo High School is a comprehensive four-year public high school enrolling between 1,500 to 1,700 students in grades 9 to 12. Mt. Diablo High School is accredited by the Western Association of School and Colleges (WASC). Our school day is comprised of six required periods with limited zero and seventh periods offered. Core academic coursework is provided alongside, and in concert with, career and pathway-specific courses that are unique to career educational goals post-secondary for students. In the last academic year, our school has stemmed away from the California Partnership Academy models, but still offers career technical education courses for our students to take and explore. With focuses in culinary, hospitality, healthcare, biotechnology, ICT, art and digital media, and engineering. Mt. Diablo High School, is home to many of our international students and English Language Learners who take a mix of sheltered and all- English instruction courses.

GRADING SYSTEM

Based on a 4.0 scale (students class ranking is computed on a semester basis and is a direct computation of compiled grades)

- A = Excellent (4.0)
- B = Above Average (3.0)
- C = Average (2.0)
- D = Below Average (1.0)
- F = Failure (NC)
- IC = Incomplete
- NC = No Credit
- CR = Credit
- P = Pass
- NP = No Pass
- r = repeated course
- WF = Withdrawal Fail (Dropped post deadline)

AP/HONORS COURSE GRADING SYSTEM

Based on a 5.0 scale (students class ranking is computed on a semester basis and is a direct computation of compiled grades)

- A = Excellent (5.0)
- B = Above Average (4.0)
- C = Average (3.0)
- D = Below Average (2.0)
- F = Failure (NC)

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

Social Studies (3 years)	30 credits
English (4 years)	40 credits
Math (3 years)	30 credits
*must include Algebra 1	
Science (2 years)	20 credits
10 credits LIFE science	
10 credits PHYSICAL science	
VAPA/World Language/CTE	20 credits
*from two of the three areas	
Electives	60 credits
Physical Education (2 years)	20 credits

TOTAL: 220 credits

COVID-19 POLICY CHANGES

Grading Policy: For the Spring 2020 and Summer 2020 terms, Credit (CR) and No Credit (NC) marks were used as district grading standards. However, students received letter grades (A,B,C,D,F) for the Fall 2020, Spring 2021, and Summer 2021 terms with the exception of any grade changes under AB104. Eligible coursework for students currently in the 10th to 12th grade for the 2021-22 academic year will receive a Pass/No Pass mark under AB104. Furthermore, AB104 permits student who have identified as eligible to graduate from high school with reduced coursework requirements set forth by the California State Law: CA State minimum: 130 credits in specified courses.

Instructional Method: As per district mandate, Mt. Diablo High School followed a distance-learning model for the 2020-21 school year. The 2021-22 academic year will be in-person. As we monitor the development of COVID-19, Mt. Diablo HS and MDUSD will adhere to any changes in directives as issued by the state of California.

Standardized Testing: MDUSD administered the CASSP standardized test for the 11th graders during the 2022-2023

HONORS AND ADVANCED PLACEMENT COURSES

Advanced Placement – 16 courses

- World History
- Computer Science A
- English Language
- US History
- Biology
- Art: 2-D Design
- US Government and Politics
- Calculus AB
- Art: 3-D Design
- Spanish Literature and Culture
- Psychology
- Spanish Language
- Computer Science Principles

Honors – 1 Course

- Yearbook

STANDARDIZED TESTING

Average SAT Score: 982
Average ACT Score: 21

CAASPP- ELA Standard Met or Exceeded: 37.75 % CAASPP- Math Standard Met or Exceeded: 12.76 %

GRADUATION/COLLEGE-BOUND

Graduation Rate	89% (2021)	80% (2020)	84.8% (2019)	83.3% (2018)
4-Year University Acceptance Rate	21.36% (2021)	24.05% (2020)	27.23% (2019)	23.99% (2018)
Total Scholarship Earnings	\$70,000 (2021)	\$133,500 (2020)	\$139,657 (2019)	\$107,000 (2018)

University Acceptances (Class of 2018 to 2021)

California State University (CSU)

California Polytechnic State University-San Luis Obispo	15	California State University-Monterey Bay	08
California State Polytechnic University-Pomona	08	California State University-Northridge	01
California State University Maritime Academy	01	California State University-Sacramento	74
California State University-Bakersfield	03	California State University-San Marcos	01
California State University-Channel Islands	02	California State University-Stanislaus	04
California State University-Chico	50	Humboldt State University	05
California State University-East Bay	154	San Diego State University	12
California State University-Fresno	03	San Francisco State University	138
California State University-Fullerton	04	San Jose State University	77
California State University-Long Beach	13	Sonoma State University	44
California State University-Los Angeles	05		

University of California (UC)

University of California-Berkeley	19	University of California-Riverside	07
University of California-Davis	37	University of California-San Diego	15
University of California-Irvine	11	University of California-Santa Barbara	29
University of California-Los Angeles	08	University of California-Santa Cruz	33
University of California-Merced	40		

California Community Colleges

Butte College	Las Positas College	San Jose City College
City College of San Francisco	Los Angeles Southwest College	
Diablo Valley College	Los Medanos College	

Private / Out-of-State

Academy of Art University	Johnson C Smith University	Talladega College
Alabama State University	Langston University	Tennessee Technological University
Arizona State University-Tempe	Linfield University	The University of Arizona
Atlanta Technical College	Loyola Marymount University	Unitek College
Azusa Pacific University	Marymount California University	Universal Technical Institute
Benedict College	Menlo College	University of Colorado Colorado Springs
Bethesda University	Mercy College	University of Colorado Denver
Brenau University	Michigan Technological University	University of Denver
California College of the Arts	Middlebury College	University of Hawaii at Manoa
California Lutheran University	Mills College	University of La Verne
Clarkson University	Montana State University	University of Nevada-Las Vegas
Colorado State University-Fort Collins	New York University	University of Nevada-Reno
Creighton University	Northeastern University	University of North Texas
Dominican University of California	Northern Arizona University	University of Oregon
East Stroudsburg University of Pennsylvania	Notre Dame de Namur University	University of Portland
Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University	Oregon State University	University of San Diego
Emory University	Otis College of Art and Design	University of San Francisco
Escuela Superior De Enfermeria Y Obstetricia	Pacific University	University of Southern California
Franciscan University of Steubenville	Paul Quinn College	University of the Pacific
Fresno Pacific University	Portland State University	University of Tulsa
George Fox University	Regis University	University of Utah
Georgia State University	Rochester Institute of Technology	University of Washington-Seattle
Hawaii Pacific University	Saint Martin's University	Washington State University
Hi-Tech School of Miami	Saint Mary's College of California	Washington State University-Vancouver
Hofstra University	Seattle University	Western Oregon University
Holy Names University	Seton Hall University	Whittier College
Iowa State University	Southern Oregon University	Worcester State University
Johnson & Wales University-Charlotte	St. John's University-New York	Xavier University (Ohio)
Johnson & Wales University-Providence	Stillman College	Xavier University (Louisiana)