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International Baccalaureate • International Studies “Embracing Diversity, Valuing Excellence”

School Profile 2025-2026

Our School

Mira Loma High School, a California Distinguished School educating International Baccalaureate students since 1991, is one of nine high schools in San Juan Unified School District. MLHS prides itself on its seven distinctive programs including: International Baccalaureate Middle Years Program (MYP), International Baccalaureate Diploma (DP), International Baccalaureate Career-related Programme (IBCP), International Studies (IS), Career Technical Education (CTE), English Learner (EL) and Special Education. MLHS serves 475 EL students (majority Middle Eastern, Russian and Ukrainian refugees), and 145 Special Education students. MLHS's programs have created a dynamic magnet for students in our neighborhood as well as it's surrounding cities. Known for our inclusive environment, MLHS brings together the brightest and hardest working students in the region with the most diversity of thought and background. Through our work with Equal Opportunity Schools (EOS), we are proud of our growing number of student enrolling in challenging advanced level courses. MLHS is accredited by the Western Association of Schools and Colleges, receiving a 6-year accreditation in 2023. In 2023 MLHS began receiving additional funding to bridge educational gaps through the Federal Title 1 program.

Our Community & Students

MLHS is a comprehensive public high school, serves 1695 students, 385 of whom are in our Class of 2026. Mira Loma prides itself on its ethnic and culturally diverse community, made up of approximately 25+ ethnicities and 38 languages. MLHS sits in a well-established neighborhood with a mixture of urban and suburban areas. Adding to our diversity is our districts “Open Enrollment” policy that allows students to attend any of the nine high schools in the district. 62% of students come from a socioeconomically disadvantaged background. MLHS IB students are academically driven in the rigorous IB coursework and their independent MYP Personal Projects and DP extended Extended Essays. IB students show compassion and global awareness through their Creativity, Action & Service hours. Approximately a third of the IB students travel from other communities to belong to the MLHS IB Program, the **most well established and successful IB Program in the region.**

Demographics

2025-2026 Enrollment 1695
Class of 2026 students 385

White 34%
Hispanic/Latino 21%
Black/African 7%
Asian 28%
Pacific Islander 1%
Filipino 1%
2 or more races 8%

The Curriculum

IB Diploma

IB Anthropology
IB Art SL/HL*
IB Biology HL*
IB Chemistry SL
IB Chinese SL/HL*
IB Economics SL
IB English HL*
IB Environmental Systems SL
IB French SL/HL*
IB History of America/Global Studies HL*
IB Japanese SL/HL*
IB Math Applications SL
IB Math Analysis SL/HL*
IB Music SL/HL*
IB Personal & Professional Skills
IB Physics SL
IB Spanish SL/HL*
IB Theater SL/HL*
IB Theory of Knowledge

IB Middle Years Program

MYP Drama
MYP Honor English 4 & 5
Integrated Math 1, 2, 3, 2+, 3+
Pre-Calculus
MYP Honors Biology
MYP Honors Chemistry
MYP Honors Physics
MYP Honors Conceptual Physics
MYP Honors US History
MYP Honors World History
MYP Chinese 1-4
MYP French 1-4
MYP Japanese 1-4
MYP Spanish 1-4
MYP Global Art
Advanced Concert Band
MYP PE 4 & 5

AP
AP Calculus
AP Computer Science

IS
IS Art 2
IS English 1, 2, 3, 4
IS Global Art
IS US History
IS World History

Career Technical

Education
Aviation
Medical Assisting
Cybersecurity

*HL=2 year course, SL= 1 or 2 year course

Program Requirements

IB Diploma: Test in 6 IB Diploma subjects; complete 150 Creativity, Action and Service Hours; write original Extended Essay (4,000 words).

IB MYP: Complete 8 subjects; complete 40 community service hours; create an original Personal Project and Report.

International Studies Diploma: Complete all IS coursework; complete all A-G coursework; complete 100 Community Service Hours.

Graduation Requirements (220 Credits)

World History	10	English	40	PE	20
US History	10	Math	30	Health	5
Am Gov	5	Science	30	Electives	30
Economics	5	World Language	20		
Soc. Studies	5	VAPA/CTE	10		

Grading

Class Ranking: Mira Loma High School **does not rank** it's students.

GPA: Classes are graded on a four-point scale (A=4, B=3, C=2, D=1). IB Courses are graded to align with internationally established standards. For IB, Honors and AP courses, one point is added (A=5, B=4, etc.). Weighted and unweighted grade point averages are reported on the transcript. If a course is repeated, the higher grade is calculated into the GPA.

Testing

SAT 24-25
Mean Total 1268

IB Diplomas 23-24 24-25

Full Diplomas 73 68
CP Certificates 8

IB Examinations (2025)

IB Diploma pass rate 85%
Score of 4-7 on exams 82%
Avg. Total Score 32
IB CP pass rate 88%

Class of 2025 post high school

profile: In a survey of the class the following self-reported their plan for after high school.

- 4 year college 62%
- 2 year college 18%
- Trade School 6%
- Career/other 7%
- Military 3%

National Merit Scholarship Program

Year	Semi-Finalist	Finalist	Commended
2023	17	12	11
2024	4	4	16
2025	9	9	19

In our community

MLHS students participate in a wide variety of academic, athletic, and artistic extracurricular activities. Sixty percent of the student body volunteer in the community, donating 40,000 hours annually to non-profit organizations.

Awards & Recognition

Each year MLHS competes and receives special recognitions in some of the following areas:

2025 Business Professionals of America (BPA)

Speech & Debate

Science Olympiad

Forestry Challenges

Math, Drama, Art, Music, FBLA, Mock Trial and Economics club competitions

Partial list of college designations:

American River College
Boston University
Cal Poly
California State University-Chico
California State University-Monterey Bay
California State University-Sacramento
Columbia University
Cornell University
Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University
Folsom Lake College
Massachusetts Institute of Technology
Michigan State University
Oregon State University
Pitzer College
Purdue University
Rochester Institute of Technology
Sacramento City College
San Diego State University
San Jose State University
Santa Clara University
Sierra College
Southern Oregon University
Stanford University
UC Davis
UC Berkeley
UC Merced
UC Riverside
UC Santa Barbara
UC Santa Cruz
University of Nevada-Reno
University of Washington
University of the Pacific