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2017-18 COLLEGE PROFILE

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ACCREDITATION

Accredited by the Western Association of Schools and Colleges (WASC) as well as the Association of Christian Schools International (ACSI).

2017 NATIONAL BLUE RIBBON SCHOOL

The School & Community

Founded in 1977, Santa Fe Christian Schools is a coeducational independent college preparatory day school located within the highly competitive San Dieguito School District. The school is comprised of a Lower, Middle, and Upper School which serves 1,019 students in Kindergarten through 12th grade from the coastal areas of northern San Diego. There are 437 students enrolled in the Upper School. The school offers \$1.8 million in tuition assistance to approximately 26% of our students annually. Over 98% of Santa Fe Christian's teaching faculty have advanced degrees, teaching credentials or both. Our teaching faculty have an average tenure of 10 years.

Student Commitment

Students seeking admission are evaluated on past academic achievement (as indicated in transcripts from the applicant's previous school and by letters of recommendation); ability (as evidenced by standardized achievement tests); and a personal interview with the applicant and his or her parents. Applicants must score average, or above average, on the ISEE and show themselves to be an independent learner with the ability to be successful in a traditional classroom environment. Christian faith and strong character must be evidenced.

Advanced Placement & Honors Courses

SFCS offers 17 AP courses and 10 Honors courses. The school does not limit the number of Honors or AP classes a student can take each year. AP students must sit for the AP exam in May.

ADVANCED PLACEMENT

Biology	English Literature & Composition	Statistics
Calculus AB	French Language	Studio Art: Drawing
Calculus BC	Government	Studio Art: 2-D Design
Chemistry	Music Theory*	U.S. History
Computer Science Principles*	Physics C: Mechanics*	World History
English Language & Composition	Spanish Language	

*AP Comp. Science Principles /AP Physics C: Mechanics newly offered; Music Theory not offered 2014-2015 or 2015-2016

HONORS

Advanced Math: Theory & Proof	Biology	English I
Algebra II	Chamber Chorale	English II
Art Advanced	Chemistry	Pre-Calculus
		Linear Algebra

2017 - 2018 Graduation Requirements

Students take at least five core courses and two electives each year, totaling 260 credits minimum. Each full-year course is 10 credits.

Bible*	6 semesters	Foreign Language	4 semesters
English	8 semesters	VPA/Practical Arts****	4 semesters
Mathematics**	6 semesters	Physical Education	4 semesters
Science***	6 semesters	Health	1 quarter
Social Studies	6 semesters	Core Elective	2 semesters

*Plus an additional Bible elective or a two-term pass/fail Junior Bible Seminar in the 11th grade

Through Algebra II required *Biology, Chemistry plus one required

****One year VPA plus one VPA or Practical Art

Mission Statement The mission of Santa Fe Christian Schools is to partner with Christian parents within a Bible-based community, in order to disciple students to embrace biblical truth, strive for academic excellence, and model Christ-like leadership to influence their homes, churches, and communities for Christ. Our vision is to seek to honor God by preparing Christian leaders of tomorrow to serve the Lord Jesus Christ.

Class Rank & Grading

Santa Fe Christian does not compute class rank. The school operates on a semester basis with grades issued at six week intervals. Grade point average is based on all courses taken at Santa Fe Christian (except Art Lab, Library Aide and Strength & Conditioning).

Letter Grade	Numerical Value	Regular	AP/Honors
A	89.5 and above	4.0	5.0
B	79.5 and above	3.0	4.0
C	69.5 and above	2.0	3.0
D	59.5 and above	1.0	1.0
F	59.4 and below	0.0	0.0

Class of 2017 Test Results*

Students: 123

100% attending college
96% four-year college / 4% two-year
45% attending college out-of-state

SAT

EBRW - Mean	612
Math - Mean	605
Mean Total Score	1220

ACT	Mid - 50%	Mean
English	23 - 31	26.8
Math	22 - 28	25.7
Reading	23 - 31	27.0
Science	23 - 30	25.7
Composite	23 - 30	26.4

Advanced Placement (AP)*

May 2017 Administration

Students enrolled in AP classes	218
Exams administered	556
Exams with score of "3" or higher	397
71% AP pass rate	

AP Awards

AP Scholar	46
AP Scholar with Honor	21
AP Scholar with Distinction	37
National Scholar	5

*Sources: SAT Class of 2017 Scores by Institution, College Board K-12 Educators Score Reporting Portal; 2017 ACT College Readiness Letter; 2017 National Merit Scholarship Program; 2017 Advanced Placement Program, The College Board.

Class of 2018

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Students: 114

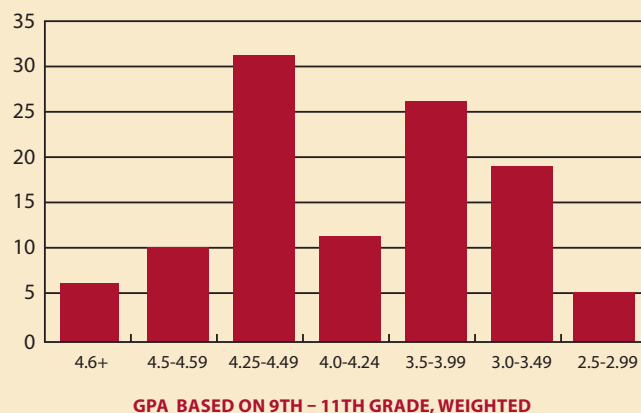
Total Upper School Students (9-12): 437

PSAT/NMSQT

Class of 2018 Qualifiers: 6

National Merit Semi-Finalist: 2

Class of 2018 GPA Distribution



CIF Athletics

SFCS fields 22 CIF teams, in diverse sports, competing in the San Diego Section of the California Interscholastic Federation. Teams include boys' and girls' varsity: baseball, basketball, cross country, football, golf, lacrosse, soccer, softball, swim, tennis, track & field, volleyball and water polo.

2013-2017 State, CIF, and League Championships and Awards, including:

2017 CIF Div I Champs Boys' Basketball
2017 CIF Div III Champs Boys' Golf
2017 CIF Open Division Champs Girls' Volleyball
2017 Coastal League Champs Boys' Lacrosse
2017 Coastal League Champs Boys' Track and Field
2017 Coastal League Champs Girls' Track and Field
2017 Coastal League Champs Girls' Volleyball
2016 CIF Div I Champs Boys' Lacrosse
2016 CIF Div III Champs Boys' Golf
2016 Coastal League Champs Boys' Baseball
2016 Coastal League Champs Football
2016 Pacific League Champs Girls' Softball
2015 Pacific League Champs Boys' Tennis
2015 Coastal League Co-Champs Girls' Soccer
2014 Pacific League Champs Boys' Tennis
2014 Coastal League Champs Boys' Baseball
2013 Coastal League Champs Girls' Lacrosse

Discipline Reporting Policy Santa Fe Christian Schools recognizes high school as a time for personal maturity and spiritual growth where students may make mistakes. As a private, Christian school with high standards for student conduct and behavior, students who are engaged in severe or repeated discipline issues are unable to graduate from SFCS. If a student has graduated from SFCS, his or her behavior is considered to be in good standing and without deficiency; any discipline related issues were resolved through corrective actions. Serious, severe, or repeated discipline issues result in dismissal from, or exclusion from reenrolling at SFCS. It is therefore the practice of SFCS that discipline records are not to be reported to colleges and universities. Administration reserves the right to allow reporting to colleges and universities for specific circumstances or when necessary.



College Matriculations & Acceptances 2012 - 2017

Santa Fe Christian students were accepted to, **and are attending**, the following colleges and universities:

The University of Alabama	Drexel University	University of Maryland	Seattle University
American University	Duke University	Massachusetts Institute of Technology	Sewanee: The University of the South
Arizona State University	Elon University	Miami University, Oxford	Sonoma State University
The University of Arizona	Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University	University of Miami	University of South Carolina
Auburn University	Emerson College	Michigan State University	University of Southern California
Azusa Pacific University	Emory University	University of Michigan	Southern Methodist University
Bard College	Florida State University	Middle Tennessee State University	Southern Oregon University
Baylor University	University of Florida	University of Minnesota, Duluth	St. Bonaventure University
Belmont University	Fordham University	University of Minnesota, Twin Cities	St. Olaf College
Bentley University	Furman University	University of Mississippi	Stanford University
Bethel University-MN	George Fox University	Montana State University, Bozeman	Syracuse University
Biola University	The George Washington University	University of Nevada, Reno	The University of Tampa
Boise State University	Georgetown University	New York University	University of Tennessee, Knoxville
Boston College	Georgia Institute of Technology	The University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill	Texas A&M University
Boston University	Gonzaga University	North Carolina State University	Texas Christian University
Bryant University	Gordon College	North Central College	Texas Lutheran University
Bucknell University	Grand Canyon University	Northeastern University	Texas Tech University
California Baptist University	Grinnell College	Northern Arizona University	The University of Texas, Austin
California Institute of Technology	Harding University	Northwest University	The Master's University
California Lutheran University	University of Hartford	Northwestern University	The New School - All Divisions
California State Polytechnic University, Pomona, San Luis Obispo	Harvard University	University of Notre Dame	The Ohio State University
California State University, Chico, Fullerton, Long Beach, Monterey Bay, San Diego, San Marcos	Harvey Mudd College	Occidental College	Trinity College
University of California, Berkeley, Davis, Irvine, Los Angeles, Riverside, San Diego, Santa Barbara, Santa Cruz	University of Hawaii at Manoa	Ohio Wesleyan University	Trinity International University
Calvin College	Hawaii Pacific University	The University of Oklahoma	Trinity University
Carnegie Mellon University	High Point University	Olivet Nazarene University	Tulane University
Carthage College	Hillsdale College	Orange Coast College	University of Tulsa
Case Western Reserve University	Holy Cross College	Oregon State University	United States Air Force Academy
Cedarville University	College of the Holy Cross	University of Oregon	University of St Andrews
Chapman University	Hope College	Pacific Lutheran University	University of Utah
College of Charleston	The College of Idaho	University of the Pacific	Valparaiso University
University of Chicago	University of Idaho	Pennsylvania State University	Vanderbilt University
Claremont McKenna College	University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign	Pepperdine University	Vanguard University of Southern California
Clemson University	Indiana University at Bloomington	Pitzer College	Vassar College
University of Colorado at Boulder	Iowa State University	Point Loma Nazarene University	Villanova University
Colorado Christian University	Johns Hopkins University	University of Portland	University of Virginia
University of Colorado, Colorado Springs	University of Kansas	Princeton University	Wagner College
Colorado School of Mines	Kent State University	University of Puget Sound	Wake Forest University
Colorado State University	University of Kentucky	Purdue University	Washington and Lee University
Concordia University - Irvine	The King's College	University of Redlands	Washington College
Columbia University	University of La Verne	Regis University	Washington State University
Cornell University	Lafayette College	Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute	Washington University in St. Louis
Cornish College of the Arts	Laguna College of Art and Design	Rice University	University of Washington
Creighton University	Lehigh University	Rose-Hulman Institute of Technology	Westmont College
Dallas Baptist University	Lewis & Clark College	Saint John's University (MN)	Wheaton College IL
Dartmouth College	Liberty University	Saint Louis University	Whittier College
Davidson College	Linfield College	Saint Mary's College of California	Whitworth University
University of Delaware	Lipscomb University	Samford University	Willamette University
Denison University	Louisiana State University	University of San Diego	College of William and Mary
University of Denver	Loyola Marymount University	University of San Francisco	University of Wisconsin, Madison
DePaul University	Loyola University Chicago	San Jose State University	Yale University
	Loyola University New Orleans	Santa Clara University	
	Marquette University	Savannah College of Art and Design	
	Marshall University	Seattle Pacific University	