

# Coronado High School El Paso Independent School District 100 Champions Place <br> El Paso, Texas 79912 

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## COMMUNITY:

El Paso is an international city located on the U.S. Mexico Border with a population of more than one-half million.

## SCHOOL:

Coronado is a four-year high school on the west side of El Paso. It is one of eleven high schools in the El Paso Independent School District. The surrounding area is mostly middle class, but also includes two Federal housing projects. The facilities include four two-story Academic buildings, two gymnasiums, one horticulture/ agriculture Building, a football stadium with an all-weather track, eight tennis courts, a fine arts building, and 20 portable classrooms.

## ETHNIC MAKEUP:

Hispanic: 83.3\%
Native American: .16\%
Asian: 2.05\%
Black or African American: 1.61\%
Hawaiian: .08\%
White: 12.1\%

## SCHOOL YEAR:

The school year is 36 weeks in length, divided into two 18-week semesters. The school schedule is an A/B block. Classes are 90 minutes in length. Students are enrolled in 8 class periods- 4 classes meet on A day and 4 classes meet on B day.

## EXTRA -CURRICULAR:

We offer membership in an outstanding band, orchestra, and choir. Students may choose from a variety of major sport classes including football, soccer, basketball, golf, softball, track, volleyball, and wrestling. In addition, more than 75 clubs are open to interested students. There are also a number of academic teams for student competition.

## ACCREDITATION:

All high schools in the EL Paso Independent School District are accredited by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools and the Texas Education Agency.

## CURRICULUM:

Students are offered courses in every area necessary for college entrance, as well as a wide range of vocational courses.

Advanced placement and pre advanced placement- courses are offered in almost every subject area. Approximately 23 AP courses are offered.

INTERNATIONAL BACCALAUREATE DIPLOMA PROGRAMME The IB Diploma Programme offered at Coronado High School, one of only 60 such programs in the state of Texas. The IB program is designed to be the best college preparatory program available and is recognized worldwide. Students must take externally designed exams in six areas, write a 4,000 word extended essay, and complete a selfdesigned project which incorporates creativity, activity, and service to earn the IB diploma. Students will also be able to earn multiple endorsements. Approximately 21 courses are offered.

## DUAL CREDIT/ON RAMPS:

Students can obtain high school and college credit while enrolled in dual credit and/or UT On Ramps courses. Dual Credit and UT On Ramps courses offered are listed on the next page.

## CREDIT POLICY:

One-half credit is granted for each semester course successfully completed. Three-hour vocational courses are given one and one-half credits per semester.

## GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS:

Students entering ninth ( $9^{\text {th }}$ ) grade in 2014-2015 are required to select a program of study for an endorsement and complete 26 credits in the four core areas. Specific subject areas depend on student's endorsement

## GRADING SCALE:

Students are awarded numerical grades. For the purpose of ranking incoming students, a mean grade is given when no numerical grade is available. Advanced Placement, Pre-Advanced Placement, Dual Credit, On Ramps, and International Baccalaureate are weighted for GPA only. The top quality points from the following courses shall be used to determine class rank. Students who complete the distinguished level of achievement program and are in the top ten percent of the graduating class as determined by class rank will be recognized as a District honor graduate.

## Courses used for rank and top honors:

4 English
4 Math
4 Science
3 Social studies
2 Languages other than English
1 Physical education
1 Fine arts
5 Electives

| Pre-AP \& IBPrep* Courses | IB Diploma Courses | AP Courses | UT On Ramps | Dual Credit Courses |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| English I | English III IB HL (Literature HL part 1 ) | English III | US History | English III |
| English II | English IV IB HL (Literature HL part 2) | English IV | Statistics | U.S.History |
| Algebra I | Mathematics: Applications and Interpretations SL | Calculus AB | Pre-Calculus | State \& Local Government |
| Geometry | Mathematics: Analysis and Approaches SL part 1 | Calculus BC | English 3 | U.S. Govt |
| Algebra II | Mathematics: Analysis and Approaches SL part 2 | Statistics | Earth \& Space Science | Pre-Calculus |
| Pre-Calculus | Mathematics: Analysis and Approaches HL part 1 | World History | Algebra 2 |  |
| Spanish III | Mathematics: Analysis and Approaches HL part 2 | Human Geography |  |  |
| French III | Biology 1 HL | U.S. Government |  |  |
| Japanese III | Biology 2 HL | U.S. History |  |  |
| Anatomy \& Physiology | Chemistry SL | Environmental Science |  |  |
| Biology | History of the Americas 1 HL | Macroeconomics |  |  |
| Ethics* | History of the Americas 2 HL | Biology |  |  |
|  | ITGS SL | Chemistry |  |  |
|  | Theory of Knowledge IB | Art 2D Design |  |  |
|  | Spanish 4 SL | Art Drawing |  |  |
|  | Spanish 5 HL | Physics 1 |  |  |
|  | French 4 SL | Physics 2 |  |  |
|  | Japanese 4 SL | Psychology |  |  |
|  | German 4 SL | Spanish 4 |  |  |
|  | Music SL | Spanish 5 |  |  |
|  | Music HL | Japanese 4 |  |  |
|  | Visual Arts SL | French 4 |  |  |
|  | Visual Arts HL |  |  |  |
|  | Dance SL |  |  |  |

## Graduates Pursuing Higher Education

| Number of 2021 Graduates* | 657 |
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| 4 year college | $73 \%$ |
| 2 year college | $22 \%$ |
| Vocational/ Career Institute/Military | $1.22 \%$ |
| Undecided | N/A |

*Numbers based on data from 2019-2020. Information from 2020-2021 is not representative as students were virtual.

## College Admissions Testing:

| SAT (2019-2020) School Day Administration |  | SAT (2019-2020) Saturday Administration |  | ACT (2018--2019) |  |
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| Students tested | 596 | Students tested | 54 | Students tested | 107 |
| Mean SAT, ERBW | 510 | Mean SAT, EBRW | 564 | Mean English Score | 24.6 |
| Mean SAT, Math | 489 | Mean SAT, Math | 523 | Mean Math Score | 23.6 |
| Mean Total score | 999 | Mean Total Score | 1087 | Mean Reading Score | 25.6 |
|  |  |  |  | Mean Science Score | 23.7 |
|  |  |  |  | Mean Composite Score | 24.5 |

Recognitions: National Merit Semi-Finalists class of 2021-2
National Hispanic Recognition Program class of 2021-15
National Merit Commended Students class of 2021-5

