



## ABOUT THE DISTRICT

Placentia-Yorba Linda Unified School District is one of only two public school districts in Orange County certified to accept F1 Students. The district is known for its academic quality, with schools that rank as some of the best in California. PYLUSD offers an authentic American high school experience in four comprehensive high schools: El Dorado, Esperanza, Valencia, and Yorba Linda. There, students can enroll in several Advanced Placement and Honors classes, award-winning academic teams, and prestigious visual and performing arts programs.

# PLACENTIA-YORBA LINDA UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

Placentia, California

## QUICK FACTS:

# of Students: 23,300  
# of High Schools in District: 4  
Estimated Start Date: Late August  
Estimated End Date: Mid-June

Graduation Offered: Yes  
Is ESL Offered: No  
Fall Semester Program: Yes  
Spring Semester Program: Yes

Teacher:Student Ratio: 1:24  
Nearest Airport: Los Angeles International Airport  
Airport Code: LAX



## FACILITIES

PYLUSD has modernized 3 of its high schools and built a brand-new one to provide secondary students with the highest quality campuses, including state-of-the-art laboratories (science, tech) and fine arts facilities.



# COURSES OFFERED



## Math

Algebra, Geometry (Honors), Trigonometry (Honors), Precalculus (Honors), Calculus (AP), Statistical Reasoning Sports, Statistics (AP), Computer Science (AP), College Readiness Math, General Math, Business Math.



## Science

The Living Earth (Honors), Biology (AP), Anatomy and Physiology, Body Systems & Disorders, Chemistry in the Earth System (Honors), Chemistry (AP), Physics in the Universe (Honors), Physics (AP), Environmental Science (AP).



## Social Studies

World History, Culture, & Geography, Human Geography (AP), European History (AP), US History (AP), Economics, Macroeconomics (AP), Microeconomics (AP), US Government & Politics (AP), Contemporary World Affairs, Psychology (AP), Sociology.



## English

Language Arts (Honors), English Language & Composition (AP), Expository Reading and Writing Composition, English Literature & Composition (AP), Journalism, Publications/Newspaper.



## Languages

Mandarin (Honors, AP), French (AP), German (Honors, AP), Japanese (Honors, AP), Spanish (Honors, AP).



## The Arts

Drawing & Painting (AP), 3-D Art (AP), Ceramics (AP), Photography, 2-D Art (AP), Video Production, Animation, Brand Creation, Jazz Ensemble, Art History (AP), Digital Design & Illustration, Graphic Design, Photography, Digital Photography, Film Production/Broadcast, Chorus, Vocal Jazz, Theater Arts, Musical Theater, Theater Production, Advanced Dance, Multimedia Journalism.



## Electives

Aerospace Science, Computer Science Principles, Computer Science (SP), Business Law, Marketing, Manufacturing Design, Mechatronics, Mobile Game Development, IT Essentials, Network Support, Cyber Security, Engineering Design, Woodworking, Business Management & Leadership, Intro to Finance & Technology, Accounting.



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# EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

## ATHLETICS

## SCHOOL CLUBS

### BOYS

*Fall* Football, Water Polo, Cross-Country

*Winter* Basketball, Soccer, Wrestling

*Spring* Baseball, Golf, Lacrosse, Tennis, Track & Field, Volleyball, Swimming

### GIRLS

*Fall* Golf, Tennis, Cross-Country, Volleyball, Competitive Cheer & Song/Dance

*Winter* Basketball, Soccer, Water Polo

*Spring* Softball, Lacrosse, Track & Field, Swimming

- Band
- Choir
- Orchestra
- Theatre Club
- Chess Club
- Creative Writing Club
- D&D Club
- Fantasy Football Club
- Foreign Film Club
- Fashion Club
- Anime Club
- Key Club
- Korean Culture Club
- Mathletes
- Medical Club
- Literature Club
- Sports Debate Club
- STEM IT UP Club
- Crochet and Knit Club

## ENROLLMENT RESTRICTIONS

Age: 14-18

Skype Interview & English Assessment Test Required

Already Graduate Students: No

Students can only tryout for JV Sports

\*\*Please note that fact sheets are created out of season and information is subject to change. We do our best to update information, but please reach out to headquarters to verify the availability of clubs, sports and classes yearly.\*\*

# COMMUNITY PROFILE

Placentia is located in the northeast corner of Orange County, about 30 miles east of Los Angeles. The region is home to some of the state's signature sights, including Laguna Beach, Mission San Juan Capistrano, and Disneyland – making this region a popular vacation destination. The city's name comes from a Latin word that means "a pleasant place to live." The city offers a dense suburban feel and a quiet neighborhood. There is an abundance of recreation and leisure opportunities in the community, including shopping malls, theme parks, sports, and entertainment venues, and beautiful hiking and biking trails.



Population: 51,274

Nearest Major City: Los Angeles

Temperature Range: 9°C to 30°C