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2020 – 2021 SCHOOL PROFILE

School Overview

Coliseum College Prep Academy (CCPA) is a public school in Oakland Unified School District. Designed by a team of parents, students and educators to offer a high quality, college prep education for historically underserved students in the Coliseum neighborhood of East Oakland, CA, the school’s vision is to deliver a rigorous academic program that meets each learner’s unique needs, capitalizes on their passions, and connects their learning to the real world. CCPA educates students to become Learners, Thinkers, Communicators and Community Members.

CCPA Snapshot

Total Enrollment: 602 (grades 6 – 12)

Latino:	76%	African American:	15%
Other Ethnicities:	9%	English Lang Learner:	36%
Free/Reduced Lunch:	94%	First Gen College:	96%
Class of 2021 Enrollment:	66	Highest GPA in 12 th Grade:	4.45

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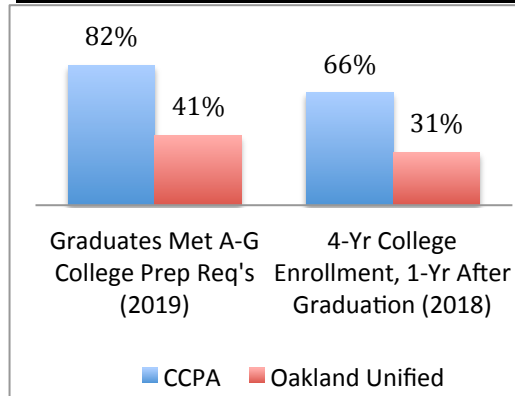
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Community Context

CCPA empowers students to become change agents in their community, combining rigorous academic coursework with community engagement opportunities. CCPA students embody Oakland’s history of being at the forefront of social justice movements, and its legacy of resilience in the face of struggle. CCPA has the highest college-going rate in the district despite its

location in one of Oakland’s highest poverty neighborhoods. The school takes a longitudinal approach to education that emphasizes academic and social / emotional support, community and family partnerships, an extended school day, and intensive, individualized college advising. CCPA embarked on a 7-year expansion plan in 2019-20, and will double in size by 2026, enrolling a 6th grade class of 130 each year for 7 years until the total enrollment exceeds 900.

School & District Comparisons



Dual Enrollment

Beginning in 10th grade, students have opportunities to take Dual Enrollment (DE) courses, which are UC & CSU transferable classes taught by college professors from the Peralta Community College District. In January, CCPA holds a 3-week Intersession, and 10th-12th graders take an immersive DE college course which meets for a full semester's worth of hours. All college coursework is posted on both high school and community college transcripts, and a semester-long college course earns students a year's worth of high school credit.

Humanities

In 11th and 12th grade, English and History are combined into a double-period Humanities core, allowing for in-depth and interdisciplinary analysis of the contradictions, conflicts and struggles that have propelled society. History classes use an ethnic studies framework and examine the narratives of both those in power and those oppressed.

STEM

Students are enrolled in both math and science classes for all four years of high school. All students take Biology, Chemistry and AP Environmental Science, and have the option to take Computer Science. The STEM curriculum culminates with either AP Calculus AB and Physics, or Statistics and Maker Space, an applied engineering class.

Post Session *Suspended in 2020 due to COVID-19.*

Post Session is a two week mini-term at the end of the school year that expands the educational experience beyond the gates of the CCPA campus, offering art and PE electives that capitalize on the Bay Area's cultural and natural resources. Courses range from filmmaking to backpacking to studying Shakespeare and traveling to the Oregon Shakespeare Festival to see live theater -- experiences that students would otherwise not have access to.

Senior Capstone Project

The Senior Capstone project, a graduation requirement, typically involves a research paper, group project and internship which focus on examining and seeking solutions for a social issue faced by people in Oakland. Parameters and deliverables for the Senior Capstone project for the Class of 2021 are pending due to COVID-19.

COVID-19

CCPA transitioned to online learning in mid-March 2020, and the School Day SAT scheduled for 3/25/20 was canceled. Per a district-wide policy, all grades for spring semester 2020 were changed to Credit / No Credit, and no extra points were given for AP courses. Students enrolled in college classes had the option to receive a letter grade, and earn extra points in their GPA.

The 2020-2021 school year launched with distance learning as the mode of instruction. Students are in pods of 34, with four instructors, and the year is divided into four mini-mesters, so that students have fewer courses to manage at any given time. Classes change at the end of each mini-mester, and grades are posted on transcripts. Teachers are working collaboratively to redesign curriculum for distance learning, with an emphasis on depth over breadth, and engaging, relevant and interdisciplinary content delivered in both synchronous and asynchronous formats.

Like many low-income communities of color, East Oakland has been disproportionately impacted by COVID-19. CCPA is one of the food distribution centers for Oakland Unified School District, and has been providing school breakfast and lunch as well as groceries from the food bank to 1,000 families twice a week since March 2020. The 94621 zip code where CCPA is located is a hotspot, with high rates of infection. Additionally, the economic fallout has been immense, with many families out of work, and many students taking on new jobs or increasing their work hours to support their families. People in East Oakland that haven't lost their jobs are working in essential front-line positions, which increase the risk of infection. Additionally, while sheltering in place, many students have had significant responsibility caring for younger siblings and other relatives, and are often left in charge of helping their siblings with online learning.

The day school closed in March 2020, CCPA began distributing technology to ensure students had what they needed to access distance learning; 38% of CCPA students have received computers from the school, and 11% have received internet

hotspots.

CCPA Class of 2021 Program of Study				
Subject	9 th Grade	10 th Grade	11 th Grade	12 th Grade
English & History	English 1	English 2 World History	Humanities: English 3 US History	Humanities: English 4 Government / Economics
Math	Algebra I / Geometry	Algebra 2	Geometry / Math Analysis	Probability & Statistics / AP Calculus AB
Science	Biology	Chemistry	AP Environmental Science	Maker Space / Physics
Foreign Language	Spanish 2 / Spanish 3	AP Spanish (only for for 9 th grade Spanish 3 students)		
Elective	Ethnic Studies / BUILD: Business Entrepreneurship / Computer Science	Art DE College Class / AP Computer Science Principles	DE College Class / Internship College Seminar (req)	DE College Class College Seminar (req) Internship (pending)

Important Notes

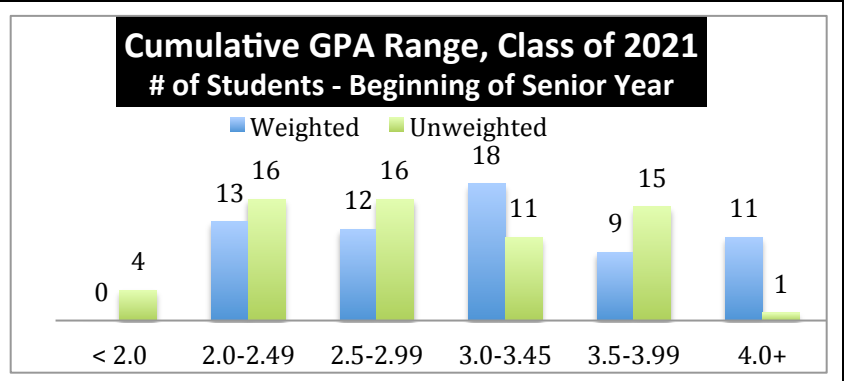
- Students have little to no choice in their high school course selection, but can choose college courses based on their interests.
- Students can accelerate in math in 9th Grade by taking both Algebra and Geometry.
- Students only have access to foreign language courses in grades 9-10. Placement is based on Spanish language proficiency.
- CCPA has a full inclusion model for the 20% of students in special education.

AP & Honors Courses

- AP Calculus AB
- AP Computer Science Principles
- AP Environmental Science
- AP Spanish
- Honors English elective (Only offered 2018-'19)

Grading Scale

Course Grade	Standard Course Weighting	AP/College Course Weighting
A (90-100)	4.0	5.0
B (80-89)	3.0	4.0
C (70-79)	2.0	3.0
F (below 69)	0.0	0.0



Class Rank & GPA

Total Weighted GPA is used for Class Rank, and includes all courses taken in grades 9 -12, with an extra point for AP and college classes. Academic GPA includes only UC approved college prep courses marked with a 'p'.

Transcript Abbreviations

p	College Prep	Approved UC/CSU course, listed on the University of California Course List. Counts towards Academic GPA. https://hs-articulation.ucop.edu/agcourselist#/list/details/420/
*	Non Academic	Counts towards Total GPA but not Academic GPA. Counts for OUSD graduation requirements, but not UC/CSU entrance requirements.

NM	No Mark	Student was not enrolled long enough to receive a grade.
r	Repeated	Student repeated failed course. Passing grade replaces F in GPA calculations.

Partnerships & Extracurricular Activities

CCPA strives to connect students to enriching summer opportunities and promotes participation in college access and success organizations, as these experiences lay the foundation for success in college. Key partners include • Code Nation • College Track • East Bay Consortium/Cal-SOAP • Learning AFAR/No Barriers Youth • METS (Trio) • Mission Bit • Oakland Promise • PiE Robotics • Students Rising Above • Summer Search • Upward Bound. CCPA has limited sports, few clubs, and no traditional extracurricular activities like drama, music, student gov't, or yearbook due to the extended school day, internships, and college classes. Due to COVID-19, fall sports have been postponed until December 2020, and many summer programs were cancelled.

College Advising

Juniors and Seniors take a College Seminar class, which focuses on college and career exploration in 11th grade, and step-by-step support with the college application and matriculation process in 12th grade. This intensive and sustained support, coupled with ongoing family communication and 1:1 meetings with students, has increased the college application rate to almost 100%; four-year college acceptance rate to +/-80%; and reduced "summer melt" to less than 15%. With the launch of Oakland Promise in 2016, CCPA graduates receive college success and persistence support.

College Acceptances and Matriculation 2016-2020

Schools listed in **bold** denote institutions where graduates enrolled. Schools marked with an asterisk (*) denote institutions from which CCPA alumni have graduated.

Alabama State University
Allegheny College
Barnard College
Berkeley City College
Bennett College
Bethune-Cookman University

Boston University

Brown University
Cal Maritime
Cal Poly, Pomona
Cal Poly, San Luis Obispo

California State University:

Bakersfield, Channel Islands, **Chico ***, Dominguez Hills, **East Bay ***, **Fresno**, Fullerton, Humboldt, Los Angeles,

Long Beach, Monterey Bay, **Northridge**,

Sacramento, San Bernardino,

San Diego *, **San Francisco ***, **San Jose***

San Marcos, **Stanislaus ***

Carleton College

Chabot College

Columbia University

Clark Atlanta University

Colby Sawyer College

College of Alameda*

Dillard College

College of Alameda *

Creighton University

Earlham College
Fisk University
Franklin & Marshall College

Gettysburg College

Grambling State

Guilford College

Hampton University

Hawaii Pacific University

Holy Names University*

Howard University

Jackson State University

Kenyon College

Laney College*

Langston University

Lawrence University

Lewis & Clark College

Manhattanville College

Merritt College*

Mills College

Morgan State

Norfolk State University

Paul Quinn College

Saint Mary's College of CA

Santa Clara University

Scripps College

Smith College

Sonoma State University*

Spelman College

Stanford University

Stillman College

Texas Southern University

Trinity College

Tufts University

Tuskegee University

University of California, Berkeley *

University of California, Davis *

University of California, Irvine

University of California, Los Angeles*

University of California, Merced *

University of California, Riverside

University of California, San Diego

University of California, Santa Barbara

University of California, Santa Cruz *

University of Kentucky

University of Oregon

University of Nevada, Las Vegas

University of New Orleans

University of the Pacific

University of Puget Sound*

Wesleyan University*

Whitman College

Whittier College

Woodbury University

Xavier University of Louisiana