



FREMONT UNION HIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT

Homestead High School

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College Entrance Examination Board (CEEB): 053462

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School Profile 2006-2007

Accredited by the Western Association of Schools and Colleges (WASC) through 2007 California Distinguished School

Homestead is a nationally recognized 4-year comprehensive high school offering a well-rounded educational program to students in Cupertino, Sunnyvale, and Los Altos. Homestead opened in 1962 and continues to serve a socially, economically, and ethnically diverse student body.

Total Enrollment	Caucasian	Asian	Latino	African American	Filipino	Pacific Islander	American Indian	Limited English Proficiency	Free and Reduced Lunch
2271	1092	794	258	56	49	11	11	138	275

GPA and Related Procedures

- Credit is awarded on a per-semester basis at the end of January and June
- GPA is computed each semester and cumulatively at end of grades 10, 11 and 12.
- Three GPA's are identified on the transcript:
Total GPA: all courses grades 9 - current
Academic GPA: academic courses grades 9 – current
University GPA: academic courses grades 10 – current
- GPA is based on the following scale: A=4 B=3 C=2 D=1 F=0
- Advanced and Honors courses are not given additional point values, but are noted by the course title.
- College Preparatory courses are identified on the transcript with a "P".
- **Fremont Union High School District** policy prohibits the reporting of class rank.

Class of 2006

Deciles	University GPA (unweighted)
1	4.00 – 3.917
2	3.913 – 3.731
3	3.708 – 3.545
4	3.542 – 3.353
5	3.348 – 3.185
6	3.182 – 2.962
7	2.958 – 2.962
8	2.63 – 2.200
9	2.179 – 1.500
10	1.481 – 0.444

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

Subject	Years	Units
English	4	40
Social Studies	3	30
Mathematics*	2	20
Physical Education	2	20
Science	2	20
Electives	(varies)	70

Subject	Years	Units
Plus 20 credits in 2 of the following 3 areas:		
Modern Language	1	20
Applied Academics*	1	
Fine Art*	1	
Total Units		220

- 10 units is equal to one year of work in a subject.
- All students must pass the California High School Exit Exam to receive a diploma.
- **Electives** includes all courses beyond required coursework

- **Applied Academics*** includes Industrial Technology, Business, Regional Occupational Program, Work Experience
- **Fine Arts*** includes all courses in Art, Music, and Drama
- **Mathematics*** minimum Algebra and Geometry

COLLEGE ADMISSIONS TEST SCORES

SAT Reasoning Test – Class of 2006

Number of Seniors	HHS Mean Critical Reading	National Mean Critical Reading	HHS Mean Math	National Mean Math
80.7%	572	503	619	518

Advanced Placement Testing (04/05)

Total Number of Students	368
Number of Exams	726
Percent Passing (Scores of 3 or higher)	73%

National Merit Program

2007 Finalists	15	Commended	36
2006 Finalists	10	Commended	16
2005 Finalists	12	Commended	26
2004 Finalists	7	Commended	24

HONORS AND ADVANCED PLACEMENT COURSES

<u>Honors Classes Offered</u>	<u>Advanced Placement Courses Offered</u>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • American Literature/writing • Chinese 4 • Spanish 4 • Physics 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Pre Calculus • French 4 • Japanese 4 • Chemistry
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Art Studio • English • French Language • Spanish Language • Biology • Chemistry • Physics 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Music Theory • Calculus AB • Calculus BC • Statistics • Computer Science • U S History • U S Government

Advanced Placement Testing – May 2006

Total Tests	Biology	Calculus AB	Calculus BC	Chemistry	Comp Sci A	Comp Sci AB	Eng Lang Comp	Eng Lit Comp	Environmental Science	French Lang	French Lit	Gov't & Pol (US)	Music Theory (alt)	Physics C: Elect & Mag	Physics C: Mechanics	Spanish Lang	Statistics	Studio Art	US History	World History	European History
726	102	55	72	41	12	11	6	65	2	7	1	64	16	46	44	13	28	11	128	1	1

COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES ATTENDED BY THE CLASS OF 2006

<i>California Private/Public Colleges & Universities</i>			<i>Out of State Colleges & Universities</i>		
Azusa Pacific U	Biola U	CA Culinary Academy	Adelphi U	American U	Arizona State U
Caltech	UC Berkeley	UC Davis	U of Arizona	U of British Columbia	Brown U
UC Irvine	UC Los Angeles	UC Merced	Brandeis U	Clemson College	Colorado U @ Boulder
UC Riverside	UC San Diego	UC Santa Barbara	Connecticut College	Cornell U	Drexel U
UC Santa Cruz	Cal Poly SLO	Cal Poly Pomona	Emory U	Goucher College	Harvard U
CSU Chico	CSU Fresno	CSU Fullerton	Hawaii Pacific U	Hofstra U	U of Illinois @ Urbana-Champaign
CSU East Bay	CSU Humboldt	CSU Long Beach	Juilliard School	U of Mass	MIT
CSU Los Angeles	CSU Monterey Bay	CSU Northridge	New York U	Northwestern U	U of Oregon
CSU Sacramento	CSU San Bernardino	San Diego State U	Parsons	U of Penn	Reed College
San Francisco State U	San Jose State U	Sonoma State U	U of Rochester	Rhode Island School of Design	St. Louis U
Chapman U	Loyola Marymount U	Mills College	Savannah College of Art & Design	Tulane U	Wake Forest College
Occidental College	U of the Pacific	Pepperdine U	U of Washington	Wellesley College	Whitworth College
Pitzer College	U of San Diego	U of San Francisco			
Santa Clara U	U of Southern California	Stanford U			

Other Information

Outstanding Co-Curricular Activities (A partial list of activities below)

- Award-winning music program; orchestra, jazz ensemble, concert band and marching band tour internationally.
- State and nationally recognized Speech and Debate program, Competitive Math Club, Robotic Team and National ranked and first in state Future Business Leaders of America Program.
- Full interscholastic athletic program with sports teams, two spirit squads, drill team and color guard.
- Award-winning service clubs including: Interact Club, Key Club and Octagon Club.
- Award-winning journalism publications, both newspaper, literary magazine and Yearbook.
- Ethnic Fest and International Night to promote and celebrate campus diversity and ethnicity.
- Canned Food Drive to serve the needs of the Sunnyvale community.

Quality Education

- AP and Honors courses have open access to all students.
- Technology integrated into classroom instruction. Computer and internet access in computer labs and library available to disadvantaged students.
- Volunteer work is not required for graduation, yet students complete thousands of hours of community service.
- Award-winning Peer Tutorial After-school Program matches hundreds of peer tutors with student tutees.
- AVID (Advancement Via Individual Determination), an in-school academic support program for grades 9-12 that prepares students for college eligibility and success.