

QUICK FACTS

- Established in 1997
- Average 1:10 Teacher to Student Ratio
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- UC Approved Courses
- Flexible Schedule for Touring Athletes/Musicians
- Monthly Counseling & Advisement
- Caring and Safe Community
- Focus on Content Mastery
- Rigorous Academic Courses
- International Program
- 100% College Acceptance
- Student-Centered Curriculum
- Accredited Online Courses
- Quality College Prep Education
- Personalized Career Planning & Counseling
- SAT, ACT and AP Prep
- Talent Assessment & Enhancement
- Individualized Learning Magnet Programs
- Project-Based Learning
- School-Wide Mindfulness Program
- Enrichment Services and Resources
- Service Learning Abroad
- Monthly Outdoor Experiential Education
- P.E. Alternatives like Skating & Surfing
- Multi-Level Music Program
- 80% of Teachers hold M.A.'s, and/or Ph.D.'s
- Emphasis on Leadership, Community and Service



A PRIVATE PREPARATORY
SCHOOL FOR GRADES 7-12

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DECISION



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Choosing which school to attend is a decision that will shape you and your future in unimaginable ways. It is a choice that requires thorough research, thoughtful discussion and extensive deliberation. You want to choose a school whose goal is to graduate students capable of making positive contributions to society. In understanding this, we ask you to consider Pacific Academy and the fundamental elements that set us apart from other schools.

VISION

We strive to offer students the opportunity to grow personally, socially and academically in an environment guided by respect.

MISSION

Pacific Academy cultivates students' natural abilities and strengths using a holistic, individualized approach. In turn, students are prepared for entrance to and success at their best-match university. Students also become compassionate, creative, inquisitive and responsible global citizens.

Curriculum & Programs

The Pacific Academy curriculum is driven by a focus on experiential learning, creativity, cross-disciplinary studies, school events, and student-led activities. Faculty and students collaborate on new initiatives, new electives, and new ways of connecting concepts across the curriculum. **Project-Based Learning (PBL)** serves as a cornerstone of Pacific Academy's educational methodology. With PBL, students acquire knowledge through immersive, hands-on activities.

Our **Service-Learning Program** allows students to experience the impact of community service on every facet of life and to understand the social issues behind the necessity for service. Students will have the opportunity to travel both nationally and internationally to live with and within communities they serve.

With the **Magnet Programs'** class offerings, students are able to excel in fields such as science, bio-med, film & 3D, music, creative arts, design, dance and sports. Students are able to pursue their passions with an individualized, supportive curriculum. Our college preparatory curriculum, dedicated faculty, and experiential education allow students to develop their individual talents and to learn to share them with the community.

"We were with your staff for our child's assessment, and I just wanted to comment on how thrilled we were as parents. It was the best session I have ever been through with any of our children. The primary reason for that is the apparent interest and dedication of your staff and the ability of all the teachers to inspire our child. I've never seen her happier. She seems to be blossoming even in the short time that she has been at Pacific Academy. I can't thank all of you enough!"

PARENT

"Pacific Academy provided me with a strong academic foundation and a flexible schedule. Without Pacific Academy, I would not have had the opportunity to practice the piano as rigorously as I needed, nor would I have won so many competitions, including the prestigious Spotlight Award!"

Phoebe P. STUDENT, Class of 2015
Accepted by Columbia University, Johns Hopkins University, New England Conservatory, Peabody Conservatory and Oberlin Conservatory

"There are many things I like about PA. Due to its small size, teachers and students have the opportunity to get to know each other and express their ideas openly in class discussions. PA provides a very safe environment and tries its best to help students succeed in aspects beyond just academics. There is flexibility here that allows students the chance to discover their strengths and learn how to apply them. PA is truly a unique school with a different approach to traditional teaching."

Macy W. STUDENT, Class of 2013
Accepted by Loyola Marymount University, Claremont McKenna College and several UCs.

"Pacific Academy Encinitas has been and will continue to be a special place for me. The support I have received from PAE enables me to be the student and athlete that I am today."

Carolyn Xie STUDENT, Class of 2015
Accepted by The Wharton School of the University of Pennsylvania, Harvard University, Yale University, Columbia University, Stanford University and UCLA