# 2025 - 2026 School Profile

# **Fusion Academy Palo Alto**



# **About Fusion Academy**

Fusion Academy is an accredited private school (grades 6-12) and part of Fusion Education Group, a worldwide network of schools. Courses are offered at Essential, College Prep, and Honors levels. Fusion students become articulate in both academic discourse and self-advocacy. We celebrate multiple pathways to success and prepare students to navigate their journey with confidence and competence.

- One-to-one: one student and one teacher per class
- Classes for credit
- Middle and high school
- Tutoring and mentoring
- Post-secondary counseling
- ACT/SAT test prep
- Customized scheduling
- Homework Café homework completed on campus
- Open enrollment
- Select small group and self-directed classes available

# **Learning Philosophy**

Fusion's learning philosophy is Love, Motivate, Teach. This thoughtfully designed approach prioritizes social-emotional learning by making the student-teacher relationship foundational. Through our balanced oneto-one teaching and mentoring approach, teachers spend time getting to know each student and design a learning experience based on the student's strengths, interests, and goals. Teachers see each student as an individual capable of succeeding and when a student feels safe and cared for, they are more engaged in the learning process.

## **Schoolwide Learner Outcomes**

When we teach and mentor our students we support them academically, socially and emotionally to become:



Resourceful



Self-Aware





### Accreditation

Fusion Academy Palo Alto is accredited by:





# **Campus Information:**

Fusion Palo Alto 2191 E. Bayshore Road, Suite 100 Palo Alto, CA 94303

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School Code CEEB #054887





# **Graduation Requirements:**

English	40 credits
Social Science	30 credits
Math	30 credits
Science	30 credits
World Language	20 credits
Visual & Performing Arts	10 credits
Wellbeing	5 credits
Personal Development	25 credits
Electives	40 credits

**Total** 230 credits

# Grading Scale:

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Grade	Range	Points
97-100	A+	4.0
93-96	А	4.0
90-92	A-	4.0
87-89	B+	3.0
83-86	В	3.0
80-82	B-	3.0
77-79	C+	2.0
73-76	С	2.0
70-72	C-	2.0
67-69	D+	1.0
63-66	D	1.0
60-62	D-	1.0
0-59	F	0.0

#### Sample of College Acceptances:

#### Midwest

Columbia College (Chicago) DePaul University Loyola University, Chicago Miami University, Ohio Michigan State University Northwestern University Ohio State University Purdue University University of Chicago University of Illinois University of Michigan
University of Minnesota
University of Notre Dame
University of Wisconsin - Madison

#### Northeast

Amherst College Bard College Barnard College Berklee College of Music Binghamton University Boston University
Carnegie Mellon University Columbia University Drexel University Fordham University Landmark College New York University Pace University Penn State University Syracuse University The New School Tufts University University of Connecticut University of Massachusetts

#### Southeast

American University Appalachian State University Auburn University Elon University Emory University Florida International University George Washington University Georgetown University Georgia Tech High Point University

Louisiana State University Lynn University NC State University

Ole Miss University Savannah College of Art and Design University of Alabama University of Central Florida University of Georgia

#### Virginia Tech University Southwest

Arizona State University Baylor University Colorado State Úniversity Rice University Southern Methodist University Texas Christian University Texas State University University of Arizona University of Colorado, Boulder University of Oklahoma University of Texas - Austin

## West

Cal State Universities: Cal Poly San Luis Obispo Cal State Long Beach Cal State Northridge San Diego State University San Francisco State University San Jose State University Chapman University Loyola Marymount University Oregon State University

Pepperdine University Saint Mary's College of California Seattle University Southern Methodist University Stanford University

University of California:

Berkeley Davis Irvine Los Angeles San Diego Santa Barbara

Santa Cruz University of Oregon University of Puget Sound University of San Diego University of San Francisco University of Southern California University of Washington Washington State University Whitman College

# **Fusion Academy High School Course Offerings:**

Fusion Academy offers a wide variety of courses, including many that are approved for both the University of California (UC) a-g system and the National Collegiate Athletic Association (NCAA). All courses are taught by highly qualified educators who are specialists in their fields.

**English** English 9-12\*

History

Ancient Civilization\* Big History Project - World History Cultural Geography\*

Economics<sup>3</sup> **Ethnic Studies** Modern World History\* United States Government\* United States History\*

Math Pre-Algebra Algebra 1\* Algebra 1 Extended Algebra 2 with Trigonometry\* Business Math

Pre-Calculus\* **Business Calculus** Calculus\* Consumer Math Geometry\* Integrated Math 1-3\*

Math Analysis with Trigonometry Math for College Readiness

Statistics\* Trigonometry

Lab Science (L = Life, P = Physical) Anatomy & Physiology (L)\*
Astronomy (P)\*
Biology (L)\*

Chemistry (P)\*

Conceptual Chemistry (P) Conceptual Physics (P) Earth Space Science (P) Environmental Science (L)\*

Marine Biology (L) Physical Science (P) Physics (P)\* Zoology (L)

World Language American Sign Language 1-5\*

French 1-5\* German 1-4\*, 5 Hebrew 1-4\* Italian 1-3\* Japanese 1-5\* Korean 1-3\* Latin 1-4\* Mandarin 1-5\* Spanish 1-5\*

World Language Conversation

Personal Development Community Minds Executive Skills Global Perspectives

Health

Health and Physical Education^ High School Career Discovery Leadership

Life Management Skills^

Life Skills: Navigating Adulthood Math Skills & Strategies Nutrition and Wellness

PE - Board Sports 1-4 - Dance PΕ

PE - Foundations of Personal Fitness 1-4

PE - Group Board Sports 1-4

PE - Group PE 1-4

PE - Independent PE 1-4 PE - Yoga 1-4 Peer Counseling Personal Finance Personal Fitness^ Personal Psychology^ Post-Secondary Exploration Post-Secondary Kickstart Reading Skills & Strategies Roadtrip Nation

Senior Capstone Structured Literacy Study Skills

The Science and Practice of Mindfulness

Work Experience

Visual & Performing Arts

Actina

Advanced Digital Media and Web Design^ Animation Production

Art History Bass 1-2

Digital Media Fundamentals

Digital Photography 1-4 Advanced Digital Photography\*

Drums 1-2 Fashion Design Fiber Arts Film Studies Graphic Design Guiṫar 1-2 Illustration Interior Design Music Appreciation Music Theory 1\*, 2-4

Painting Piano

Portfolio Development Recording Arts 1-4 Advanced Recording Arts

Songwriting Studio Art 1-5 Advanced Studio Art\* Theater Appreciation

Theater, Cinema, & Film Production Vocal Fundamentals 1-2

Wellbeing Wellbeing: Art Wellbeing: Makers Wellbeing: Mindset Wellbeing: Music Wellness

**Business Electives** 

Advertising and Sales Promotion^ Business Communications

Business Entrepreneurship **Business Law** Business Ownership Hospitality and Tourism^ International Business^ Introduction to Manufacturing^

Management Marketing

Restaurant Management^ Sports and Entertainment Marketing

**Humanities Electives** African American History

Anthropology Creative Writing Criminology

Culinary Arts Gothic Literature: Monster Stories History of the Holocaust^

HS Intermediate ELL 1-2 HS Advanced ELL 1-2

Introduction to Women's Studies: A Personal Journey Through Film^

Journalism

The Lord of the Rings: An Exploration of the Films and their Literary Influences^ Mythology & Folklore: Legendary Tales

Philosophy Poetry

Positive Psychology

Psychology Reading and Writing for Purpose<sup>A</sup> Research and Technical Writing

Screenwriting Social Problems^ Sociology Speech/ World Religions^

Service Electives

Careers in Criminal Justice Controversies in American Politics

Criminology^ Deaf Studies

Early Childhood Education

Law and Order^ Principles of Public Service^

Social Entrepreneurship Social Justice

STEM Electives

3D Modeling Agriscience^ Archaeology/ Artificial Intelligence Astronomy^ Biotechnology

Coding Computer Programming 1-2

Computer Science Concepts of Engineering and Technology^

Cybersecurity, Digital Citizenship^ Engineering Forensic Science Game Design 1-2

Great Minds in Science^ Health Science^ Introduction to Social Media^ Office Fundamentals: Excel^ Office Fundamentals: Outlook^

Office Fundamentals: Powerpoint^ Office Fundamentals: Word^ Principles of Agriculture^ Renewable Technologies^ Robotics

Veterinary Science: The Care of Animals Web Development

Mini Courses

Algebra 2 Prep Artificial Intelligence Applications Forensic Science: Deconstructing the CSI Effect

Introduction to Artificial Intelligence Political Science Media & Politics Studio Art: Developing Your Own Portfolio

Writing the Great American Novel

\*Honors courses offered. All honors courses are computed on a 5.0 scale. ^Course offered only as self-directed State-specific courses and middle school courses are not listed above. For more information on all courses visit FusionAcademy.com/CourseCatalog

NOTE: Fusion Academy is committed to providing a dynamic educational experience that is personalized based on the needs of each student. As such. Fusion Academy does not participate in the practice of ranking students.

## **Fusion Endorsements:**

The Fusion Endorsement program provides a more robust and rigorous experience tailored to a student's area of interest. Students must meet endorsement-specific requirements and earn at minimum 250 credits in total to receive the Endorsement distinction on their transcript.

## **Endorsement Options:**

STEM-Technology World Language **Humanities** Visual & Performing Arts Leadership