World-class education for every child in every neighborhood

Choice Applications accepted
October 3—November 14, 2016
Welcome to the 2017-18 Enrollment Options Guide!

To find your neighborhood school, go to www.sandiegounified.org/schoolfinder

• Schedule a tour of your neighborhood school by calling the school or emailing tours@sandi.net

• Enroll at your neighborhood school in person before the end of the 2016-17 school year or after August 14, 2017

• You can also pre-enroll for your neighborhood school over the summer at www.sandiegounified.org/new-student-online-enrollment

You may apply to send your child to a school even if you do not live within its attendance boundaries

• Apply online at www.sandiegounified.org/apply

• The School Choice application period for the 2017-18 school year runs from October 3—November 14, 2016

• Students currently attending a charter school, students who move, and students who are new to the district may apply for consideration at any time. (Proof of new residence is required)

• Families will be notified by mail or phone call if their student is being offered enrollment for one of their choice schools

• See page 20 of this guide for a detailed explanation of our enrollment policies
Welcome to the San Diego Unified School District and thank you for trusting us with the education of your children. We respect and share your wish to see every child graduate with the skills, motivation, curiosity, and resilience to succeed in his or her choice of college and career. This guide is designed to share some of the ways we keep our commitment to help every student succeed.

Neighborhood schools are at the heart of our district vision, and each of our neighborhood elementary and middle schools provides students with individualized lesson plans, state-of-the-art computer technology, and a foundation in the visual and performing arts. By attending their neighborhood school, children develop bonds with neighbors that follow them through high school.

Each of our neighborhood high schools offers a student-centered culture that provides young minds with access to a rigorous academic curriculum, including college preparatory courses and advanced placement (AP) classes. Students also have the opportunity to participate in CIF athletics and get exposure to career opportunities.

There is so much amazing work being done by our students and staff across San Diego that we could not share everything with you in a single catalogue. The purpose of this guide is to provide a sample of some of this work and inspire your family to find out more. As always, our Neighborhood Schools and Enrollment Options office is ready to assist you in that process.

We look forward to working with your family to help all students thrive.

Sincerely,

Cynthia “Cindy” Marten
Superintendent,
San Diego Unified School District
San Diego Unified is the proud recipient of the 2013-2016 Magnet School Assistance Program (MSAP) Federal Grant. Support provided by the grant enables a network of four elementary sites to develop new S.T.E.A.M. (Science, Technology, Engineering, Arts, Mathematics) curricular programs.*

**GRADES** Pre-K/TK–5

*FRANKLIN ELEMENTARY MAGNET
4481 Copeland Avenue | (619) 344-3000
[www.sandiegounified.org/schools/franklin](http://www.sandiegounified.org/schools/franklin)

Franklin Elementary weaves science, technology, engineering, art and mathematics into daily instruction using hands-on, minds-on inquiry learning and exploration. Core subjects are integrated to develop students’ global ideas using content knowledge, problem-solving skills, and critical thinking. Franklin classrooms are alive with students engaged in speaking and listening, reading, writing, computing, designing, creating, and experimenting. Site leadership and staff collaborate and partner with disciplinary experts, universities, museums, businesses, local agencies and organizations.

*JEFFERSON ELEMENTARY IB MAGNET
3770 Utah Street | (619) 344-3300
[www.sandiegounified.org/schools/jefferson](http://www.sandiegounified.org/schools/jefferson)

Jefferson Elementary is focused on a curriculum to develop students’ global ideas using content knowledge, problem-solving skills, and creative thinking. Site leadership and staff are collaborating with disciplinary experts, university specialists, and local STEAM industries to continually enhance their innovative program. Jefferson is also a fully authorized International Baccalaureate School focusing on developing students into well-rounded citizens of the world.

JOHNSON ELEMENTARY (STEM) MAGNET
1355 Kelton Road | (619) 344-4900
[www.sandiegounified.org/schools/johnson](http://www.sandiegounified.org/schools/johnson)

Johnson’s well-rounded and rigorous STEM academic program offers a student-centered, inquiry-based
curriculum, which is enhanced by digital classrooms emphasizing teamwork and collaboration. Every student TK-5th has access to the science, technology, and engineering labs on a weekly basis.

*VALENCIA PARK ELEMENTARY MAGNET
5880 Skyline Drive  |  (619) 344-3500
www.sandiegounified.org/schools/valencia-park

Valencia Park Elementary STEAM Magnet is focused on Science, Technology, Engineering, Arts, and Mathematics, a curriculum to develop students’ global ideas using content knowledge, problem-solving skills, and creative thinking. Site leadership and staff are collaborating with disciplinary experts, university support, and local STEAM industries.

*WASHINGTON ELEMENTARY MAGNET
1789 State Street  |  (619) 344-6300
www.sandiegounified.org/schools/washington

Students at Washington are challenged to use their knowledge of content, problem-solving skills, and creative thinking to examine global issues through STEAM units of inquiry. Site leadership and teachers are collaborating with the Office of School Innovation and experts at local universities and STEAM industries to develop the interdisciplinary curriculum and extracurricular STEAM experiences and after-school clubs.

WEBSTER ACADEMY OF SCIENCE & RESEARCH (STEM)
4801 Elm Street  |  (619) 362-3000
www.sandiegounified.org/schools/webster

The Webster curriculum offers life, earth, physical, and environmental sciences integrated with academics. Students complete in-depth and hands-on studies of animal species, chemical reactions, and earth materials while simultaneously learning necessary research skills. Science/Research Labs support classroom science instruction with inquiry-based problem-solving experiences and research. In-classroom computer activities develop critical thinking/problem-solving, research, and writing skills.

GRADES 6-8

MILLENNIAL TECH MIDDLE MAGNET
1110 Carolina Lane  |  (619) 527-6933
www.sandiegounified.org/schools/millennial-tech-middle

MTM offers a dynamic, 21st Century learning environment for students with a growing interest in STEAM. Specialized courses and clubs include: Conservation Science, Intro to Tech Support Services (ITSS), Robotics Club, MESA (Mathematics, Engineering & Science Achievement), Pre-Engineering/Gateway and Video Broadcasting. With project-based learning supported by a one-to-one computer ratio, students are challenged by rigor and relevance, receiving an enriched educational program preparing them for STEAM careers of the future.
KEARNY HIGH EDUCATIONAL COMPLEX
OF SMALL SCHOOLS
7651 Wellington Street  |  (858) 496-8370
www.sandiegounified.org/schools/kearny-high-educational-complex

Engineering, Innovation, and Design (EID)
This premiere, small-sized, project-based (STEM) school prepares students for college and high-wage, high-skill careers in mechanical and environmental engineering, civil engineering and architecture, and advanced manufacturing. EID has a quality dual-enrollment program with Mesa College and a memorandum of understanding that guarantees student acceptance into San Diego State University. Emphasis is placed on math, science, literacy, and Project Lead The Way (PLTW) engineering course work. Additional opportunities are provided for students to participate in clubs like FIRST Robotics and ACE Mentoring.

School of Science, Connections, & Technology (SCT)
The School of Science offers a rigorous and engaging curriculum focused on Biomedical sciences. Through a Biomedical pathway, students use relevant technology, content knowledge, and skills as they explore real-world scientific learning experiences that prepare them for success in post-secondary education and/or skilled employment in a science-based economy.

SAN DIEGO HIGH EDUCATIONAL COMPLEX
1405 Park Boulevard  |  (619) 525-7455
www.sandiegounified.org/schools/san-diego-high-educational-complex

Science & Technology (SciTech)
SciTech offers Certified California Partnership Academies in biomedical sciences (MedTech) and Green Engineering and Design (GeoTech). iTech, the third pathway, offers courses in Video Production and Broadcast Journalism. These three highly rigorous programs prepare students with the skills and knowledge to be successful in college, post-secondary training, and related industry careers. Students explore science, technology, and career opportunities through interdisciplinary, integrated project-based learning.
INDEPENDENT STUDY | TK-12

MT. EVEREST ACADEMY
4350 Mt. Everest Boulevard | (858) 496-8778
www.sandiegounified.org/schools/mt-everest-academy

Independent Study Program: Flexibility to Pursue Your Passion

A unique school option where highly motivated students can learn on a flexible schedule, which offers weekly study group sessions, one-on-one tutoring, and extensive extra-curricular opportunities; these include science, art, music, engineering, and internships. Emphasis is on a nurturing TK-8 community with an intensive college prep focus in high school.

EARLY COLLEGE | 9-12

SAN DIEGO METROPOLITAN REGIONAL CAREER & TECHNICAL HIGH SCHOOL
7250 Mesa College Drive, K204 | (619) 388-2299
www.sandiegounified.org/schools/san-diego-metropolitan-regional-technical

San Diego Met is located at Mesa College. The Met offers a personalized learning environment based on student interests. Students at the Met can begin taking college classes as early as 10th grade. All students participate in internships for real world, hands-on experience. Graduates meet district, state and UC/CSU admission requirements.

EAST VILLAGE HIGH SCHOOL
1405 Park Boulevard | (619) 525-2000
www.sandiegounified.org/schools/eastvillage

An early college in partnership with San Diego City College

Provides students a small learning environment where they can earn a high school diploma, plus up to 54 college units at San Diego City College free of cost. The school offers small classes, one-to-one student laptops, a dedicated San Diego City College counselor on site, a City College summer enrichment program for rising 10th graders, AVID, college tutors, ASB, student clubs/organizations and community service opportunities.

ONLINE LEARNING | 9-12

iHIGH VIRTUAL ACADEMY
3939 Conde Street | (619) 764-5440
www.sandiegounified.org/schools/ihigh-virtual-academy

College Preparatory/Online and Blended Program

iHigh is a WASC-accredited high school program that combines the flexibility of online instruction with daily access to face-to-face academic support from site-based, credentialed teachers. Online learning options include a full complement of UC A-G coursework. Online courses are offered district wide for students in grades 9-12; middle school students also have the opportunity to take math and world language courses online. Curricular options for students include: credit recovery, first time coursework, AP coursework, MyPath reading and math assessment, and independent study.

GIFTED AND TALENTED | 3-12

GATE/SEMINAR

San Diego Unified offers Gifted and Talented (GATE) programs at numerous schools across the district to advance the development of high potential youth. Testing to identify gifted students typically takes place in second grade. All students who test in the 95th percentile and above on the Cognitive Abilities Test (CogAT) are identified as gifted—as are other students who score highly despite facing educational barriers. Students who receive the highest scores on the identification test are considered highly gifted or “seminar” students. Once a student is identified as gifted, she or he is guaranteed placement in a GATE classroom, where students receive advanced instruction by highly trained teachers. For the latest information on which schools offer GATE and seminar programs, please visit www.sandiegounified.org/school-site-gate-program-summaries.
dual language programs

Dual language programs foster bilingualism and biliteracy, and enhance the awareness of linguistic cultural diversity. All elementary school dual language programs use the partner language (the language other than English) for at least 50% of the instructional day. The shared goals of our Dual Language Programs include: High levels of academic achievement through social and academic interactions, Oral and written proficiency in two languages, and Development of bilingual competence as well as cross-cultural understanding.

GRADES TK-5

BARNARD ASIAN PACIFIC LANGUAGE ACADEMY
2445 Fogg Street  |  (858) 800-5700
www.sandiegounified.org/schools/barnard

Using their knowledge of diverse cultures, Barnard Mandarin immersion students will be able to think and act globally, and become responsible and successful global citizens. Barnard’s Mandarin immersion curriculum includes after-school enrichment programs that promote cultural understanding and positive self-development and access to Native Chinese speaking classroom teachers, guest teachers and interns. Students who graduate from Barnard will continue the Mandarin Immersion track through Pacific Beach IB Middle School (grades 6-8) and Mission Bay IB High School (grades 9-12).

JOHN D. SPRECKELS BILINGUAL MAGNET
6033 Stadium Street  |  (858) 453-5377
www.sandiegounified.org/schools/spreckels

Spreckels is an incredible school where all students receive Spanish language enrichment four days a week for 30 minutes. Additionally, all students receive choral music through their music preparatory teacher. Spreckels offers a wonderful instructional program in all academic areas taught by highly qualified teachers.

GRADES TK-8

LANGUAGE ACADEMY: FRENCH IMMERSION & SPANISH/ ENGLISH DUAL LANGUAGE IMMERSION
4961 64th Street  |  (619) 287-1182
www.sandiegounified.org/schools/language-academy

Language Academy is a multi-cultural school located near San Diego State University. This Magnet school represents a choice for families who feel that learning a second language, French or Spanish, is a vital element of today’s education. Our goal is that students will be fully bilingual and biliterate in at least two languages by the end of the eighth grade.

LONGFELLOW SPANISH IMMERSION MAGNET
5055 July Street  |  (619) 276-4206
www.sandiegounified.org/schools/longfellow

Longfellow is a total language immersion program where students reach high levels of academic achievement in both Spanish and English. In grades TK-2 all instruction is conducted in Spanish. As students progress through subsequent grade levels, English is introduced and gradually increased. In the middle grades, two classes are taught in Spanish and five in English. In the eighth grade, students have the opportunity to take the AP Spanish Language & Culture Exam and earn the Biliteracy Attainment Award. Students who successfully complete the rigorous middle school Spanish courses will receive their college A-G language credit.
**TWO-WAY SPANISH-ENGLISH IMMERSION**

This program enrolls both English-speaking students and English Learners. Both groups of students attend classes together, learning from and supporting one another while developing linguistic and academic competencies in two languages. A 50:50 program model includes an equal distribution of English and Spanish in grades K-5. A 90:10 model begins with kindergarten spending 90 percent of the time in Spanish and 10 percent in English. Each year the English percentage increases by ten percent, and by fourth grade the languages are equally distributed.

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**ONE-WAY FOREIGN LANGUAGE IMMERSION**

Foreign language immersion programs, also referred to as One-Way Immersion programs, are designed for English-speaking students to acquire a second language.

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**DEVELOPMENTAL BILINGUAL (BILITERACY)**

This program supports Spanish-speaking students. It develops high levels of academic proficiency in the students’ primary language while simultaneously developing academic language proficiencies in English.

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CROWN POINT JUNIOR MUSIC ACADEMY
4033 Ingraham Street | (858) 273-9830
www.sandiegounified.org/schools/crown-point

One-hour music classes occur once a week with certified music instructors using the Orff-Schulwerk and Kodaly methods. Children develop their vocal abilities at all grade levels and learn music concepts through movement and games. Students start to read printed music in 3rd grade with recorders, xylophones, and unpitched percussion. Suzuki violin is offered in grades K-3, and string ensemble in grades 4-5. Music is integrated with academics in the classroom. After-school clubs include music (guitar, bass, and drums), recorder, choir, and dance. CPJMA has been awarded the NAMM (National Awarded Music Merit) for two years for academic achievement through music education.

FREESE ARTS & CULTURE MAGNET
8140 Greenlawn Drive | (619) 344-3100
www.sandiegounified.org/schools/freese

Music! Art! Dance! All Freese students participate in these three areas throughout the school year. Additionally, students attend assemblies, go on field trips, and participate in special projects. Thanks to our 20+ partners-in-education, Freese students have many rich experiences in arts and culture.

OAK PARK MUSIC CONSERVATORY WITH ENRICHED STUDIES
2606 54th Street | (619) 344-5000
www.sandiegounified.org/schools/oak-park

At Oak Park, music instruction is integrated throughout the curriculum for all grades, and students have opportunities to make real-world connections via project-based learning. Students learn how to collaborate in small groups, think critically, and communicate effectively. In TK-3, students study music fundamen-
tals, language arts, and rhythmic patterns through the Orff-Schulwerk process. Students in grade 3 learn to read music by playing the recorder. In grades 4-5 students receive weekly instrumental instruction and participate in the orchestra, band, chorus, or guitar ensemble. Oak Park provides an extensive Gifted and Talented Education (GATE) program, which includes cluster and Seminar classrooms.

ZAMORANO FINE ARTS ACADEMY
2655 Casey Street | (619) 430-1400
www.sandiegounified.org/schools/zamorano

Zamorano Fine Arts Academy encompasses a full spectrum of artistic experiences alongside a challenging, standards-based curriculum. Students are given the opportunity to create their own masterpieces in ceramics, painting, drawing, photography, sculpture, and graphic arts. Incorporating arts into our literacy, math, science, and social studies curriculum encourages student expression. Zamorano Fine Arts Academy is proud to have student artwork exhibited throughout the community and in local museums.

CREATIVE, PERFORMING, & MEDIA ARTS MAGNET (CPMA)
5050 Conrad Avenue | (858) 800-5550
www.sandiegounified.org/schools/creativePerformingMediaArts

CPMA offers a rigorous academic and a comprehensive visual and performing arts program. CPMA students should have a strong interest in developing their talents and abilities in the visual and performing arts, arts-based technology, as well as achieving success academically. Art electives include: visual art (drawing, painting), multimedia art and design using technology, music (choral, instrumental, and percussion), video, including broadcast media and film making, drama (writing, speaking, and live performance), technical theatre, and dance (ballet, jazz, tap and modern).

SAN DIEGO SCHOOL OF CREATIVE & PERFORMING ARTS (SDSCPA)
2425 Dusk Drive | (619) 470-0555
www.sandiegounified.org/scpa

The SDSCPA student is passionately creative and focused in his or her art form. Students follow a required series of courses in the arts alongside a college preparatory academic curriculum. In addition to completing a district School Choice application, all incoming students (including current SDSCPA 8th grade students and incoming middle school students, grades 6-8) must participate in an audition process. Students must schedule auditions at https://www.sandiegounified.org/scpa and select ‘Enrollment’ tab for audition information, dates, and rubrics.

The nationally recognized arts program consists of 5 majors:
• Creative writing
• Visual and Media Arts Programs in Fine Arts, Photography, and Cinematic Arts
• Music Programs in Jazz Studies, Orchestra, Choral
• Theatre Programs in Acting, Musical Theatre, Technical Theatre & Design
• Dance (emphasis in Ballet and Modern) SDSCPA

Audition Requirement
IB schools International Baccalaureate Schools®

The International Baccalaureate® (IB) offers programs for students aged 3 to 19 that develop the intellectual, personal, emotional, and social skills to live, learn, and work in a rapidly globalizing world.

**GRADES**  TK-5

**BIRNEY IB MAGNET SCHOOL**
4345 Campus Avenue  |  (619) 497-3500
www.sandiegounified.org/schools/birney

Birney’s International Baccalaureate Magnet features enriched classroom curriculum based on six globally oriented themes: Who We Are, How the World Works, Where We Are in Time and Place, How We Express Ourselves, How We Organize Ourselves, and Sharing the Planet. Weekly integrated enrichment curriculum includes the arts, Spanish, P.E., technology, and hands-on garden education. Students learn to reflect, choose and act to create a better, more peaceful world through tolerance, empathy and inquiry. Students in 5th grade complete their experience at Birney with an IB Exhibition project.

**JEFFERSON IB STEAM MAGNET**
3770 Utah Street  |  (619) 344-3300
www.sandiegounified.org/schools/jefferson

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**MCKINLEY ELEMENTARY—IB WORLD SCHOOL®**
3045 Felton Street  |  (619) 282-7694
www.sandiegounified.org/schools/mckinley

McKinley’s IB programme gives students an inquiry-based education and offers Spanish as a foreign language. McKinley offers the GATE and Seminar programs, music and ceramic classes, and before and after school activities.
SESSIONS IB WORLD—SCHOOL®
2150 Beryl Street | (858) 273-3111
www.sandiegounified.org/schools/sessions

Sessions’ World School program is comprised of six units of study where global issues and grade level curriculum come together. Teachers and students share responsibility for learning through inquiries and discovery learning activities. The IB program is a wonderful way to teach our students about being citizens of a global society.

GRADES 6-8

PACIFIC BEACH MIDDLE—IB WORLD SCHOOL®
4676 Ingraham Street | (858) 273-9070
www.sandiegounified.org/schools/pacific-beach-middle

Pacific Beach Middle is the winner of two California IB Student of the Year Awards, four California IB Exemplary Educators of the Year, two California Teacher Training Awards, and was named a Spotlight School by the California Association of IB World Schools. Our IB student-focused, balanced and globally relevant curriculum emphasizes the development of subject knowledge, interdisciplinary skills, and applying them to service by taking local and global action. Additional course offerings include pre-engineering design, visual arts, award-winning orchestra or band, an in-depth language development in Mandarin Chinese and Spanish, and a nationally acclaimed physical and health education program. Real-world learning is enhanced through clubs, trips, and enrichment activities offered during and after school.

GRADES 9-12

SAN DIEGO HIGH EDUCATIONAL COMPLEX
1405 Park Boulevard | (619) 525-7455
www.sandiegounified.org/schools/san-diego-high-educational-complex

International Studies (IB)
The school’s International Baccalaureate (IB) focus offers students the opportunity to complete the coveted IB Diploma Programme, which is recognized for admission and advanced standing by universities in over 60 countries. The school has received National Blue Ribbon status and yearly US News and World Report Gold Rankings. In addition, the numerous academic AP and IB courses, as well as music studies and multiple language offerings (French, German, Mandarin, and Spanish), prepare students for success in the college/career of their choice.

MISSION BAY HIGH INTERNATIONAL BACCALAUREATE WORLD SCHOOL
2475 Grand Avenue | (858) 273-1313
www.sandiegounified.org/schools/mission-bay

Mission Bay High School’s balanced curriculum enables students to cultivate skills necessary for success in college and career. Pathways at MBHS include International Baccalaureate Diploma Programme (IBDP), Engineering Design and Development, and Computer Science with an emphasis on Game Design. These pathways conclude with college-level capstone courses. Students can take classes in all three programs while developing their language skills in Spanish and Mandarin. MBHS IBDP is a rigorous, world-renowned curriculum that prepares students for an IB World Diploma or university level certificates and life in a global society. MBHS also provides an outstanding performing and visual arts program that includes an award-winning Preservationist Jazz Ensemble and a “Superior” Orchestra, and student artwork displays worldwide.

ROOSEVELT SCHOOL IB MAGNET
3366 Park Boulevard | (619) 293-4450
www.sandiegounified.org/schools/Roosevelt

Roosevelt’s International Baccalaureate Programme promotes international awareness and understanding, community service, and appreciation for the arts, foreign language, music, and technology. Roosevelt’s location next to Balboa Park gives our students opportunities to explore the world-renowned San Diego Zoo and museums. Our students engage in inquiry-based learning to make real-world connections, and become caring and compassionate thinkers and communicators. The IB Programme provides academic continuity with the prestigious IB Diploma Programmes at San Diego High School of International Studies and Mission Bay High School.
BENCHLEY/WEINBERGER COMMUNICATIONS MAGNET
6269 Twin Lake Drive | (619) 463-9271
www.sandiegounified.org/schools/benchley-weinberger
Benchley/Weinberger is a dynamic, high-performing, California Distinguished School with a focus on achievement through communication. Our goal is for all children to have a passion for learning and to empower every child to become a successful, life-long learner by providing a challenging curriculum and teaching high-level communication skills. Our ethnic diversity promotes a positive awareness and understanding of many cultures, and is enhanced by a multicultural curriculum across all content areas.

FLORENCE GRIFFITH-JOYNER MICROSOCIETY MAGNET
4271 Myrtle Avenue | (619) 640-4000
www.sandiegounified.org/schools/joyner
Joyner students create a microcosm of the real world within the school's rigorous academic program. Each student has a role: young entrepreneurs produce goods and services, elected officials establish laws, peacekeepers oversee and monitor safety, judges arbitrate disputes, and reporters track down stories. All citizens earn wages, invest in product ideas, deposit and borrow money, pay taxes, tuition, rent, and use technology to advertise and communicate.

LINDBERGH SCHWEITZER SERVICE LEARNING MAGNET
4133 Mt. Albertine Avenue | (858) 496-8400
www.sandiegounified.org/schools/lindbergh-schweitzer
Lindbergh Schweitzer inspires learning and empowers students to take action that impacts their communities, both locally and globally. Multi-media technology provides possibilities for Service Learning that encourages students to be inventors, investigators, explorers and creators of change. Challenging curriculum in science, math, literacy, art, music, video, and writing engages student-driven passions and critical thinking, and expands learning beyond the walls of the school.

JOHN MUIR GLOBAL CITIZENSHIP/PAIDEIA SCHOOL
4431 Mount Herbert Avenue | (858) 268-1954
www.sandiegounified.org/schools/john-muir
At this California Distinguished School, Paideia learning strategies challenge John Muir students through coached projects and school wide seminars to analyze, question, and think critically. The TK-12 grade span promotes a family atmosphere in a personalized learning environment.

True to its name, John Muir also addresses the personal responsibility all citizens have of protecting and enhancing the environment. The implementation of school-wide Paideia seminars and projects foster cultural awareness, and the skills and knowledge needed to understand worldwide issues and traditions.
Gymnastics, track & field and other physical activities provide unique opportunities to build individual pride in accomplishments, along with good sportsmanship and team spirit. Students research topics such as nutrition, physiology, exercise, and health. Technology is integrated daily into every classroom. The arts are developed through dance, art, music, band, and orchestra instruction. Green offers a school-wide GATE program to all students in all classrooms.

“Practice doesn’t make perfect. Perfect practice makes perfect.”

—Vince Lombardi
Every San Diego Unified high school offers college and career “pathways” aimed at preparing students for a successful future. Pathways provide students with rigorous academic and career/technical education courses in high-skill, high-wage, and high-growth fields. By combining quality classroom instruction with work-based learning experiences, pathways emphasize both college and career preparation.

Students are guaranteed access to the high school serving their community, although they may also qualify for other options. To begin preparing even the youngest learners to be successful in high school, neighborhood elementary and middle schools may offer classes aligned with the pathways emphasized by their local high school. These cohesive communities of neighborhood schools are typically called school “clusters.”
HENRY high school

College & Career Pathways:
• Arts, Media, & Entertainment
• Education, Child Development & Family Services
• Engineering & Design Academy
• Information & Communication Technologies
• Navy Junior Reserve Officers’ Training Corps

HENRY COMMUNITY SCHOOLS

LEWIS MIDDLE SCHOOL
ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS
Foster, Hardy, Hearst, Marvin

PERSHING MIDDLE SCHOOL
ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS
Benchley/Weinberger, Dailard, Gage, Green

HOOVER high school

(SAN DIEGO STATE UNIVERSITY COLLEGE AVENUE COMPACT PARTNERSHIP)

College & Career Pathways:
• Sustainable Academy of Building & Engineering
• Academy of Health and Healthier Communities
• Academy of Information Technology
• Food Service & Hospitality
• Marketing, Sales, & Service
• Army Junior Reserve Officers’ Training Corps

HOOVER COMMUNITY SCHOOLS

CLARK MIDDLE SCHOOL
ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS
Hamilton, Joyner, Rosa Parks, Rowan

WILSON MIDDLE SCHOOL
ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS
Adams, Central, Cherokee Point, Edison, Franklin, Normal Heights

KEARNY high school

(FOUR SMALL HIGH SCHOOLS)

College & Career Pathways:
• School of Science, Connections, & Technology
• School of Digital Media & Design
• School of College Connections
• School of Engineering, Innovation, and Design (EID)

KEARNY COMMUNITY SCHOOLS

MONTGOMERY MIDDLE SCHOOL
ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS
Carson, Chesterton, Fletcher, Linda Vista, Ross

TAFT MIDDLE SCHOOL
ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS
Angier, Cubberley, Jones, Juarez, Wegeforth
**LA JOLLA COMMUNITY SCHOOLS**

- **MUIRLANDS MIDDLE SCHOOL**
- **ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS**
  - Bird Rock, La Jolla, Torrey Pines

**LINCOLN COMMUNITY SCHOOLS**

- **KNOX MIDDLE SCHOOL**
- **ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS**
  - Baker, Balboa, Chavez, Nye, Porter, Valencia Park

- **MILLENNIAL TECH MIDDLE (STEAM)**
- **ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS**
  - Chollas-Mead, Encanto, Horton, Johnson, Webster

**MADISON COMMUNITY SCHOOLS**

- **INNOVATION MIDDLE SCHOOL (STEAM)**
- **CREATIVE PERFORMING MEDIA ARTS MIDDLE SCHOOL**
- **ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS**
  - Field, Hawthorne, Lafayette, Lindbergh Schweitzer, Sequoia, Whitman

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**LA JOLLA high school**

*College & Career Pathways:*
- Design, Visual, & Media Arts
- Production & Managerial Arts
- Cabinetmaking, Millwork, & Woodworking
- Biotechnology & Patient Care
- Software & Systems Development
- Graphic Production Technologies
- Automotive: Systems Diagnostics, Services, & Repairs

**LINCOLN high school**

*College & Career Pathways:*
- Design, Visual, & Media Arts
- Architectural Design
- Public Services: Emergency Response & Public Safety
- Army Junior Reserve Officers’ Training Corps

**MADISON high school**

*College & Career Pathways:*
- Production & Managerial Arts
- Engineering Design
- Food Service & Hospitality
- Automotive: Systems Diagnostics, Services & Repairs
- Army Junior Reserve Officers’ Training Corps
**MIRA MESA high school**

*College & Career Pathways:*
- Design, Visual, & Media Arts
- Production & Managerial Arts
- Engineering & Design
- Biotechnology
- Hospitality, Tourism, & Recreation
- Software & Systems Development
- Graphic Production Technologies Marketing
- Automotive: Systems Diagnostics, Services, & Repair
- Air Force Junior Reserve Officers’ Training Corps

**MISSION BAY high school**

*College & Career Pathways:*
- Business Management
- Engineering Design
- Information Technologies and Communication: Games & Simulations
- Software & Systems Development

**MORSE high school**

*College & Secondary Pathways:*
- Education & Child Development
- Architectural Design
- Food Service & Hospitality
- Software & Systems Development
- Automotive: Structural Repair & Finishing
- Army Junior Reserve Officers’ Training Corps

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**MIRA MESA COMMUNITY SCHOOLS**

**CHALLENGER MIDDLE SCHOOL**
- Hickman, Salk, Sandburg

**ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS**
- Ericson, Hage, Mason, Walker

**WANGENHEIM MIDDLE SCHOOL**
- **ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS**
- Ericson, Hage, Mason, Walker

**MISSION BAY COMMUNITY SCHOOLS**

**PACIFIC BEACH MIDDLE SCHOOL**
- **ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS**
- Barnard, Crown Point, Pacific Beach, Sessions

**MORSE COMMUNITY SCHOOLS**

**BELL MIDDLE SCHOOL**
- **ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS**
  - Boone, Freese, Pacific View Leadership Elementary, Paradise Hills, Penn, Perry, Zamorano

**TK-GRADE 8 SCHOOLS:**
- Audubon, Bethune, Fulton
**Point Loma High School**

**College & Career Pathways:**
- Arts, Media, & Entertainment
- Education, Child Development & Family Services
- Engineering & Architecture
- Health Science & Medical Technology
- Navy Junior Reserve Officers’ Training Corps

**College Career Pathways:**
- Business & Leadership
- International Studies
- Science & Technology
- Army Junior Reserve Officers’ Training Corps

**San Diego High School**

**College & Career Pathways:**
- Arts, Media & Entertainment
- Education, Child Development & Family Services
- Engineering & Architecture
- Information & Communication Technologies
- Hospitality, Tourism, & Recreation
- Air Force Junior Reserve Officers’ Training Corps

**Scripps Ranch High School**

**College & Career Pathways:**
- Arts, Media & Entertainment
- Education, Child Development & Family Services
- Engineering & Architecture
- Information & Communication Technologies
- Hospitality, Tourism, & Recreation
- Air Force Junior Reserve Officers’ Training Corps

**Point Loma Community Schools**

**Correia Middle School**

**Dana Middle School**

**Elementary Schools**
- Cabrillo
- Dewey
- Loma Portal
- Ocean Beach
- Silver Gate
- Sunset View

**San Diego Community Schools**

**Memorial Prep Middle School**

**Elementary Schools**
- Burbank
- Emerson-Bandini
- Kimbrough
- Rodriguez

**Roosevelt Middle School**

**Elementary Schools**
- Birney
- Florence
- Garfield
- Jefferson
- McKinley
- Sherman
- Washington

**TK-Grade 8 Schools**
- Golden Hill
- Grant
- Logan
- Perkins

**Scripps Ranch Community Schools**

**Thurgood Marshall Middle School**

**Elementary Schools**
- Dingeman
- E.B. Scripps
- Jerabek
- Miramar Ranch
“Education is the most powerful weapon which you can use to change the world.”

—Nelson Mandela
Enrollment Guidelines

**GIFTED AND TALENTED (GATE) STUDENTS**

Students identified as gifted and talented (GATE) or highly gifted (Seminar), who are enrolled in schools that do not offer GATE programming, may complete the Seminar Intent to Enroll form found on the GATE website www.sandiegounified.org/GATE for enrollment in the geographically closest school offering GATE Seminar programming. Seminar Intent to Enroll forms must be submitted to the GATE Office. Then, students may submit a School Choice application to attend a school that offers GATE programming during the application window for the coming year.

**INTERDISTRICT TRANSFERS**

Students living or moving outside of the San Diego Unified School District must submit a School Choice application online at www.sandiegounified.org/apply. Once a student is accepted by a school, the family must complete an interdistrict attendance permit by going through the resident school district office. These permits are allowed for School Choice/Open Enrollment and Magnet programs only, and do not apply to VEEP. Approval of an interdistrict attendance permit means a student has a valid reason to enroll in a school in the district. However, it does not guarantee enrollment at a particular school. Students do not need to re-submit a School Choice application each year. It is important to note that some district schools cannot accommodate interdistrict students due to limited capacity. Transportation is not provided.

**LANGUAGE PROFICIENCY REQUIREMENTS**

New students at Barnard, Language Academy, and Longfellow must meet foreign language competency requirements if applying after first grade.

**SENIOR PRIORITY FOR HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS WHO HAVE A CHANGE OF RESIDENCE**

Senior priority is available only to students in good standing who move during the 11th or 12th grade school year and who continue to attend the same school, allowing them to graduate with their classmates. The student does not need to submit a School Choice application. This priority is contingent on sufficient space in the school, transportation guidelines, and the principal’s approval. If the student has moved to another district, an interdistrict attendance permit must be completed.

**SHARED BOUNDARIES**

Farb and DePortola middle schools share an attendance area. All schools serve grades 6-8. Please contact the schools or the Neighborhood Schools and Enrollment Options office for more information. Dana (Gr. 5 and 6) and Correia (Gr. 7 and 8) middle schools also share an attendance area.

**SPECIAL EDUCATION**

Students receiving Special Education services may submit a School Choice application online. There is no special priority provided. The availability of some Special Education services may vary from school to school.

**SPECIALIZED HIGH SCHOOL COURSES**

The district gives priority to high school students wanting a special course not offered at their neighborhood or current high school. The request is handled on a case-by-case basis. A special request to enroll in a course at another school must be submitted in writing at the same time a School Choice application is submitted online by the by the November 14 deadline.

The following applies to requests for a specialized course:

- Available to high school students only
- Student may attend the school only while enrolled in the course
- School must have available space in the course
- Requests will not be granted at magnet schools
- Requests should be sent to www.sandiegounified.org/forms/enrollment-options-contact-form

**STUDENTS WHO MOVE OUT OF THEIR RESIDENT SCHOOL BOUNDARY**

You must re-apply at www.sandiegounified.org/apply in order to continue at that school the following year. No special priority is given to students who were resident students in the past.

**TRANSFERS**

Students who enroll in a program should remain in the school for the school year for which they enroll. Changing schools can impact a student’s eligibility for athletics. For immediate athletic eligibility contact the district Athletic Office at (619) 725-7126. Students may return to the resident school during the first three weeks. After the first three weeks of the school year, students wishing to enroll in the resident school must file an Enrollment Options Transfer Request form, and have the agreement of the resident school principal.

The transfer request only allows the student to return to the resident school. Students who transfer from the non-resident school and then wish to return must resubmit a School Choice application, and are subject to all enrollment eligibility and criteria.

**TRANSPORTATION**

School bus transportation is limited. Please visit the Transportation website for current bus service information at www.sandiegounified.org/transportation-services.

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