



# WEST VALLEY HIGH SCHOOL

## CLASS OF 2018-2019

Principal: Emmett Koerperich  
Assistant Principal: Scott Booth  
School Counselor A-G: Niki Simonsen  
School Counselor H-M: Tara Schwerdt  
School Counselor N-Z: Jessica Bettes

**CEEB Code: 050688**

### SCHOOL AND COMMUNITY

West Valley High School, established in 1981, is located in rural south Shasta County serving the surrounding communities of Cottonwood and Happy Valley. West Valley is one of two comprehensive schools in the Anderson Union High School District (AUHSD). Cottonwood is known for cattle ranching and other agricultural products due to the fertile lands along the Sacramento River and Cottonwood Creek. South Shasta County has continued to grow with its economic base in agriculture, lumber products, recreation and tourism. We offer a 21st Century college and career ready curriculum for all students in a clean, safe, disciplined, and progressive setting. Our faculty and staff are committed to "Find a Way" to help all students complete various pathways including college preparatory courses, vocational and career education, agriculture, and the Arts.

### GENERAL INFORMATION

- 2018-2019 Enrollment: 853
- Public comprehensive high school 9-12
- Accredited by WASC with six year accreditation
- Students at West Valley are required to earn a total of 230 credits for graduation
- 19 Dual Enrolled Courses; 5 Honors Courses; 5 AP Courses
- Class ranking is based on the decile system which enhances college acceptances for our students
- Award winning agriculture program
- Outstanding Career Technical program that includes: Administration of Justice, Automotive Technology, Careers with Children, Children Psychology, Cosmetology, Public Safety, Firefighter Training, Medical Assisting, Computer Repair and Networking, as well as Restaurant Occupations

### ACADEMICS

A full range of college preparatory courses and technical/career courses, Advanced Placement, and special education courses are offered.

#### Advanced Placement Courses

- AP Biology
- AP Calculus AB
- AP English Literature
- AP Human Geography
- AP Spanish Language

#### Dual Enrollment Courses (DE)

- English 4 H = ENG 1A (4 credits)
- Government DE = POLS 2 (3 credits)
- Economics DE = ECON 1A (3 credits)
- World History Honors = HIST 2 (3 credits) and HIST 3 (3 credits)
- U.S. History Honors = HIST 17A (3 credits) and HIST 17B (3 credits)
- Amer. Sign Language 1 = ASL 1 (4 credits) + ASL 1L (1 credit)
- Amer. Sign Language 2 = ASL 2 (4 credits) + ASL 2L (1 credit)
- Environmental Horticulture = AGEH 23 (2 credits)
- Administration of Justice = ADJU 10 (3 credits)
- Public Safety = FIRS 147 (.5 credit), FAID 133 (.5 credit), FAID 132 (2 credits), FAID 130 (1 credit)
- Firefighter Training = FIRS 188 (2 credits)
- Medical Assistant = HEOC 11 (3 credits)
- Patient Care Technician = HEOC 94 (1 credit)

#### Honors Courses

- English 1 & 2 Honors
- Math 1, 2 & 3 Honors
- U.S. History Honors (DE)
- World History Honors (DE)
- English 4 Honors (DE)

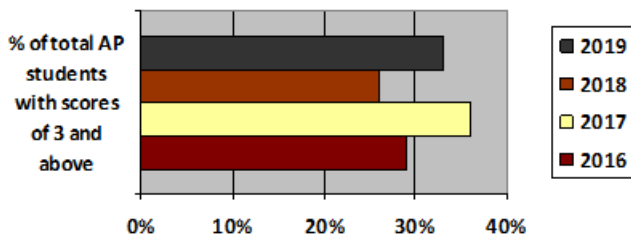
## GRADING AND RANKING

- A = 4, B = 3, C = 2, D = 1, F = 0
- Traditional six period day with semester grading system

### WEST VALLEY GRADING CHART

A	100-90%	CREDIT AWARDED
B	89-80%	
C	79-70%	
D	69-60%	
F	59% AND BELOW	CREDIT NOT AWARDED

## TEST SCORES



## SCHOOL AP SUMMARY

	2016	2017	2018	2019
TOTAL AP STUDENTS	83	77	95	81
NUMBER OF EXAMS	99	99	110	99
AP STUDENTS WITH SCORES 3+	24	28	25	27
% OF TOTAL AP STUDENTS WITH SCORES 3+	28.9	36.4	26.3	33.3

## DUAL ENROLLMENT

- Students at West Valley High School are encouraged to complete at least one dual enrollment course prior to graduation
- In 2018, 82.7% of our seniors graduated high school with taking at least one dual enrolled course.
- In 2019, 85.8% of our seniors graduated high school with taking at least one dual enrolled course.

## SAT RESULTS

SAT Scores (2016-2018)		
	Critical Reading Avg.	Mathematics Average
Class of 2018	551	545
Class of 2017	555	533
Class of 2016	509	501

## ACT RESULTS

ACT Scores (2016-2018)					
	English	Math	Reading	Science	Composite
Class of 2018	22.1	21.3	23.4	21.6	22.2
Class of 2017	20.2	21.6	22.7	21.5	21.6
Class of 2016	20.7	21.6	22.5	21.8	21.8

## FURTHER SCHOOLING OF GRADUATES

Arizona State University  
 Butte College  
 California Polytechnic State University  
 California State University – Chico  
 California State University – Long Beach  
 California State University – Sacramento  
 College of Idaho  
 College of the Redwoods  
 Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University  
 Emory University  
 Feather River Community College  
 Humboldt State University  
 Lassen Community College  
 Minerva  
 Notre Dame  
 San Diego State University  
 San Francisco State University  
 Shasta College  
 Sierra College  
 Simpson University  
 Sonoma State University  
 Southern Oregon University  
 United States Military Academy West Point  
 United States Naval Academy  
 University of California – Berkley  
 University of California – Davis  
 University of California – Los Angeles  
 University of California – Merced  
 University of California – Riverside  
 University of California – Santa Barbara  
 University of California – Santa Cruz  
 University of Nevada – Reno  
 Santa Barbara City College

