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Chadwick School

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Our Mission: At Our Core: Chadwick Schools develop global citizens with keen minds, exemplary character, self-knowledge and the ability to lead.

Core Values and Core Competencies underlie all aspects of our program.

Core Competencies: Critical and Creative, Thinking, Character, Courage, Communication, Collaboration, Cultural Competence

Core Values: Honesty * Respect * Responsibility * Fairness * Compassion

Student Enrollment

K-12 872 9-12 388 Class of 2019 96

Upper School Faculty

75 faculty members 71% hold advanced degrees

Our Students

A diverse student body is an educational asset to all students. Chadwick students come from 46 different zip codes around the greater Los Angeles area, stretching from Long Beach, to the Marina, to Eastern Los Angeles and to the Pacific Ocean, including the Beach Cities.

More than 18% of our students receive financial aid assistance from Chadwick. Student backgrounds include:

African – American 5.4% Latino 7.9% Asian American 19.3% Middle Eastern 1.3% Multi-racial 9.2% Pacific Islander 1% White 41.6% Not reported 14.0%

Financial Aid

In 2018-19, Chadwick will award \$4.2 million in need-based financial aid to 18% of our students. Grants from the Malone Family Foundation of \$2 million in 2003 for need-based scholarships were followed by an additional gift of \$1 million in 2008 from the MacFarlane family, to establish the MacFarlane Leadership Scholarship Fund. The MacFarlane gift was bolstered by additional commitments of \$3 million toward the scholarships and will add to the financial aid funds and resources already committed by the school.

Outdoor Education

Chadwick's Outdoor Education program is one of only nine secondary school programs to be certified by the Association of Experiential Education. The focus of the Outdoor Education program is on encouraging personal development of the students by placing them in new and challenging outdoor situations. Chadwick students therefore participate in one wilderness course per year, culminating in a three-week senior year trip, which includes a three-day solo experience.

Community Service

Chadwick's community service program is predicated on our commitment to the development of individuals of exemplary character. Recognized as one of the outstanding student community service programs in America by *U.S. News and World Report*, our program provides students the opportunity to serve at one of thirteen off campus sites during the school day. Although there are no requirements for service at Chadwick, over 75% of the Upper School chooses to add this weekly commitment as an elective, and 90% of our student body voluntarily participates in some part of the program each year. Our fundamental assumption is that service leads to empathy, empathy to understanding, and understanding to a shared responsibility for a better world.

Round Square Program

In October 2008, Chadwick School was elected to membership in Round Square, joining more than 200 other schools from 50 countries on five continents. Round Square schools all share a commitment to the "six pillars" of Round Square: Internationalism, Democracy, Environment, Adventure, Leadership and Service, commonly referred to as the IDEALS. Our membership in Round Square is central to our commitment to developing global citizens. Through this organization students participate in exchanges and engage in international service projects with students from other member schools from around the world. Other U.S. schools include Athenian (CA), Deerfield (MA), and Hotchkiss (CT).



One School. Two Campuses. Many Voices.

Chadwick International is a PreK-12 international school, founded in 2010. Fully equipped with an exceptional 500,000 square feet of state of the art facility the school is located in the Songdo International Business District in Incheon, South Korea. The curriculum at Chadwick International is designed to meet the educational standards of the International Baccalaureate (IB) as well as the Western Association of Schools and Colleges (WASC).

CURRICULUM

Graduation Requirements

Chadwick students are required to complete four years of English, three years of history and science (two years of which must be a lab science), through Algebra 2 in math, through level 3 in a global language, and one and a half years of visual and/or performing arts. They must also participate each year in physical education or an athletic team and outdoor education. The program requirements meet or exceed entrance requirements for both the University of California and California State University systems.

Advanced Placement and Highest Level Courses

Students must receive departmental approval to take an Advanced or AP course in mathematics and languages. Other AP courses are open to any student wishing to pursue work at that level. Instructors and faculty advisors work carefully with students in balancing their coursework commitments and in providing counsel about constructing programs. Students wishing to pursue more than three AP or equivalent level courses in one year must submit a petition for permission to do so. It will be reviewed by the advisor, dean of students, instructor(s) and college counselors.

While Advanced Placement is the common top level course in many disciplines, we have also identified the highest level courses that are not available through our AP offerings. These include courses in: Economics, MSON (Malone Schools Online Network) courses and STEM, including Data Structures and Software Engineering.

Advanced Placement courses area offered in the following subjects:

HISTORY LANGUAGE / LITERATURE THE ARTS **FNGLISH English Language** U.S. History Chinese Language **Music Theory English Literature** Studio Art Art History French Language Government & Politics Spanish Language

Spanish Literature

Statistics

CAPSTONE **SCIENCE** MATH **COMPUTER SCIENCE** Biology Calculus AB Capstone Research Computer Science A Calculus BC **Computer Science Principles** Capstone Seminar

Chemistry **Environmental Science**

Physics 1 Physics C

Malone Schools Online Network (MSON)

Of the roughly 2,500 private schools in the United States, Chadwick became one of only 38 independent schools to receive a Malone Family Foundation Grant in 2003. Schools are selected for the grants through a rigorous research process, resulting in the addition of an average of three top-level high schools to the Malone network each spring.

Heads of a number of Malone Foundation Schools, including Chadwick, have formed a collaborative network under the guidance of Stanford University Online High School to share small classes for our strongest students via telepresence. Through the Malone Schools Online Network, students at participating schools may take advanced classes at other network schools for credit at their own school. Most of these classes are beyond the AP level. They are designated as MSON on our transcripts.

Honors Courses

Chadwick School offers honors courses in the following subjects: Geometry, Algebra II, Pre-Calculus, Spanish, Chinese, French, and Physics/Chemistry/Biology (PCB) at levels 2 and 3.

National Merit Scholarship Program Recognition

Class of 2016 1 Finalist 26 Commended Class of 2017 5 Finalists 18 Commended Class of 2018 4 Finalists 12 Commended

Reporting Disciplinary Actions

Disciplinary action is defined as probation, suspension, or expulsion. If a college or university asks a question regarding disciplinary action, Chadwick is obligated to respond to the question, and we strongly recommend that the student respond as well.

GPA CALCULATION and GRADING

All AP, Post-AP, Advanced, & Honors courses, and courses requiring an AP class as a prerequisite are awarded a full extra point (4.0 scale) in determining weighted GPA.

GPA DISTRIBUTION Class of 2019 through Junior Year

96 Students

Chadwick operates on a semester calendar with an A-F traditional grading system.

Chadwick does not compute rank or name a valedictorian. GPAs are calculated on a 4 point system, based on all Chadwick courses reported on the transcript.

The table below, to the right, reflects work through the 11th grade.

GRADE	Original Point value	Point value with AP/Honors
Α	4.00	5.00
A-	3.67	4.67
B+	3.33	4.33
В	3.00	4.00
B-	2.67	3.67
C+	2.33	3.33
С	2.00	3.00
C-	1.67	2.67
D+	1.33	2.33
D	1.00	2.00
D-	0.67	1.67
F	0.00	0.00

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4.40 - 4.60	14				
4.21 - 4.39	14				
4.00 - 4.17	14				
3.70 - 3.99	17				
3.52 - 3.69	11				
3.31 - 3.48	13				
3.03 - 3.19	7				
2.30 - 2.93	5				

SAT and ACT Results

SAT		SAT	Mean Scores			SAT Subject Exams			
	# Students	CR/EBRW	SAT M	M2	BIO -E	BIO - M	USH	EN LIT	СН
2018	40	710	730	715	687	715	675	673	712
2017	45	710	680	681	636	659	636	660	730
2016	52	655	678	643	647	680	582	637	741

Chadwick School students, like many around the country, are increasingly taking both SAT and ACT tests, ultimately choosing to lean in one direction or the other for second round testing. It becomes more difficult to make "apples to apples" comparisons of average SAT or ACT scores from year to year since fewer reflect the multiple testing results that had been seen in earlier years. Also, worth noting is Chadwick's Class of 2018 was an unusually small class for us, at 63 graduates compared to typical classes of 90+ students.

ACT		Mean Scores								
Class	# Students	СОМР	EN	MA	READ	SCI				
2018	38	32	34	31	32	31				
2017	57	32	33	31	32	31				
2016	50	29	30	28	29	27				

АР	
Students	177
Tests	407
Score 3 or Higher	89.4%

Chadwick School Accreditation and Affiliations:

Accreditation

- Western Association of Schools And Colleges
- California Association of Independent Schools
- Association for Experiential Education

Affiliations

- A Better Chance
- American Secondary Schools for International Students and Teachers
- Association for Experiential Education
- California Association of Independent Schools
- Association for Experiential Education
- College Board

- Council for Advancement and Support of Education
- Cum Laude Society
- Educational Records Bureau
- Global Education Benchmark Group
- Independent School Alliance for Minority Affairs
- National Association for College Admission Counseling
- National Association of Independent Schools
- National Council of Teachers of English
- National Middle School Association
- Round Square
- World Leading Schools Association (WLSA) (Leading Schools Leading Global Change)

COLLEGE ADMISSION RESULTS FOR CHADWICK SCHOOL, PALOS VERDES Classes of 2014-2018

College	Admit	Attend	College	Admit	Attend	College	Admit	Attend
Adelphi University	1		Brandeis University	4		- San Marcos	2	
Agnes Scott College	1		Brown University	5	1	- Stanislaus	1	
American University	9	1	Bucknell University	9	3	Carleton College	1	1
Amherst College	4		Butler University	5		Carnegie Mellon University	5	1
Arizona State University	6	2	CalTech	1	1	Case Western University	27	1
Art Center College of Design	1		California Lutheran	5	1	Champlain College	1	
Auburn University	1		University			Chapman University	37	12
Azusa Pacific University	2		Cal Poly - SLO	12	2	Claremont McKenna College	6	3
Babson College	3		Cal Poly- Pomona	4		Clark University	1	
Bard College	6		California State University			Clarkson University	1	
Barnard College	2		 Maritime Academy 	1		Clemson University	2	
Bates College	1		 Channel Islands 	3		Colby College	5	1
Baylor University	4		- Chico	1		Colgate University	6	1
Belmont University	2	1	 Dominuez Hills 	3		College of Charleston	6	
Berklee College of Music	1		- East Bay	2		College of William and Mary	4	
Biola University	3	1	- Fullerton	6		Colorado College	7	4
Boise State University	3		 Long Beach 	3	1	Colorado State University	2	
Boston College	16	3	 Los Angeles 	3		Columbia University	4	3
Boston University	36	8	 Monterey Bay 	2	1	Concordia University-Irvine	1	
Bowdoin College	3	2	 Northridge 	7	1	Connecticut College	6	1
Bradley University	1		- Sacramento	2	1	Cornell College	2	1

College	Admit	Attend	College	Admit	Attend	College	Admit	Atten
Cornell University	6	4	Oberlin College	6	3	UC, Santa Barbara	64	8
reighton University	2	1	Occidental College	9	1	UC, Santa Cruz	31	
alhousie University	1		Ohio Wesleyan University	2		University of Chicago	7	4
Partmouth College	10	4	Olin College of Engineering	1	1	Univ of Colorado Boulder	46	12
enison University	2	0	Oregon Institute of Tech	1		Univ of Colorado Colorado Spng	1	
DePaul University	8	1	Otis College of Art & Design	1		University of Connecticut	9	
Dickinson College	2		Oxford Brookes University	1		University of Delaware	2	
illard University	1	1	Pace University, New York	2		University of Denver	9	1
Dominican College	1		Pennsylvania State Univ	6		University of Exeter	1	
Drake University	1		Pepperdine University	4		University of Florida	1	
Prexel University	15	2	Pitzer College	2	1	University of Georgia	10	
Duke University	5	3	Pratt Institute	2		Univ of Hawaii at Hilo	1	
Ouquesne University	1		Princeton University	2	2	Univ of Hawaii at Manoa	1	
arlham College	2		Purdue University	16	4	Univ of Illinois Urbana-Champaign	6	2
El Camino College	1	1	Randolph College	1		University of Kansas	6	
Ion University	13	4	Reed College	6		University of Kentucky	1	
mbry-Riddle Aeronautical	1		Regis University	1		University of LaVerne	3	
Emerson College	5		Rensselaer Polytechnic	4	1	University of Lynchburg	1	1
mory University	9	1	Institute	-	-		1	1
	1	_	Rhodes College	2		University of Maine		
Emory College of Emory U			_		2	Univ of Maryland, College Park	2	_
ashion Institute of Techn	1		Rice University	4	3	University of Miami	28	3
isk University	1		Richmond Ameri Univ	2	2	University of Michigan	49	12
ordham University	23	2	London			Univ of Minnesota, Twin Cities	1	
ranklin & Marshall College	1		Rochester Institute of Tech	1		University of Mississippi	4	1
ranklin University -	2	1	Roger Williams University	1		Univ of Missouri, Columbia	3	1
witzerland			Rose-Hulman Inst Tech	2	2	University of Nebraska, Lincoln	5	
urman University	2		St. Louis University	1		University of Nevada, Reno	1	1
Georgetown University	13	6	Saint Mary's College of Calif	5		University of New England	1	
Georgia Institute of	1		San Diego State University	2		Univ New Hampshire, Durham	2	
echnology			San Jose State University	1		University of New Mexico	1	
Sonzaga University	4	2	Santa Clara University	43	12	University of North Texas	1	
Soucher College	3		Sarah Lawrence College	9	4	Univ of Northern Colorado	1	
Grand Canyon University	1		Savannah Coll Art & Design	6	3	University of Notre Dame	2	
Guilford College	1		School of Visual Arts	1	3	•		
•		2			2	University of Oregon	44	4
lamilton College	2	2	Scripps College	4	2	University of Oxford	1	
lampshire College	3		Seatle University	6		University of Pennsylvania	5	3
ampton University	1		Seton Hall University	1		University of Portland	1	
larvard University	2	1	Smith College	2		University of Puget Sound	13	
larvey Mudd College	1	1	Sonoma State University	20	1	University of Redlands	12	
laverford College	1	1	Southern Methodist Univ	54	17	University of Richmond	3	1
ligh Point University	2		St. John's University	4	1	University of Rochester	5	
Iofstra University	4		St. Lawernce University	1		University of San Diego	13	2
Iollins University	1	1	Stanford University	9	9	University of San Francisco	20	1
loward University	6		Stevens Institute of Tech	1	1	University of South Carolina	5	-
Iult Internat Business Sch	2		Swarthmore College	1		Univ of Southern California	52	29
lumboldt State University	2		Syracuse University	23	5		2	29
ndiana Univ at Bloomington	33	3	Temple University	7	3	University of St. Andrews		
-	3	1				University of St. Thomas	1	
owa State University		1	Texas A&M University	2	2	Univ of Tennessee, Knoxville	3	
thaca College	4	_	Texas Christian University	15	3	University of the Pacific	6	
ohns Hopkins University	13	7	The American Univ of Paris	3		University of Utah	4	
ohnson C Smith University	1		The Geo Washington Univ	26	4	University of Vermont	4	1
Calamazoo College	2		The New School	2		University of Victoria (BC)	2	
Cenyon College	4		The Ohio State University	3	1	University of Virginia	13	3
Cettering University	1		The University of Alabama	10		University of Washington	15	2
nox College	1		The University of Arizona	14	4	Univ of Wisconsin, Madison	12	3
a Salle University	1		The University of Edinburgh	2		Ursinus College	1	-
afayette College	8	2	The University of Iowa	5	1	Valparaiso University	2	
ake Forest College	1		The Univ Montana,	1		Vanderbilt University	6	5
ehigh University	7	4	Missoula			Vassar College	4	3
ewis & Clark College	14	2	The Univ North Carolina,CH	4	1	Vassar College Villanova University	10	2
iberty University	1	-	The University of Tampa	2	-	•		2
	3	1	The University of Tampa The University of Tampa	8	2	Virginia Commonwealth Univ	1	
ouisiana State University		1	The state of the s		2	Virginia Tech	1	
oyola Marymount Univ	26	7	Trinity College (Connecticut)	9	2	Wake Forest University	4	
oyola University - Chicago	3		Trinity College (Bristol)	1		Washington and Lee University	1	
oyola University - Maryland	2		Trinity University	2	-	Washington State University	1	
oyola Univ -New Orleans	1		Tufts University	4	2	Washington Univ in St. Louis	14	3
Nacalester College	3		Tulane University	34	6	Wellesley College	4	2
Marist College	3		Tuskeegee University	1		Wesleyan University	5	
Narymount California Univ	3	1	Union College (New York)	5	3	Westmont College	1	
1IT	1	1	Univ of Alabama	2		Wheaton College, IL	3	2
1errimack College	1		Birmingham			Wheaton College, MA	2	2
liami University, Oxford	9		Univ of Arkansas at Pine	1		Whitman College	6	1
lichigan State University	3		Bluff			Whittier College	8	_
Middlebury College	4	1	University of Bath	1		•		
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Montana State –Bozeman	1		University of Bristol		4	Williams College	4	3
Norehouse College	1		Unive of British Columbia	2	1	Wittenberg University	2	
Nount Holyoke College	1		UC, Berkeley	44	21	Woodbury University	1	
ew College of Florida	1		UC, Davis	22		Xavier University	1	
ew York University	29	10	UC, Irvine	28		Yale University	4	2
orth Carolina State	1		UCLA	37	7	Yale- NUS College	3	1
ortheastern University	18	2	UC, Merced		8	(Singapore)	-	
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orthern Arizona University	2		UC, Riverside		21			