

# COAST UNION HIGH SCHOOL

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### General Information



Parents play a very important role in the success of the school and its students. Read more about how parents can get involved ...

### Curriculum

The curriculum that students are taught is determined by the content standards adopted by the California State Board of Education. Read more ...



### Policies & Statistics

Providing a positive and safe school environment is crucial to students' success. Read more about our school's policies and statistics...



### Educational Team



In order for a school to succeed it must have quality teachers and support programs in place. Read more ...

### Assessments



Each year students are given multiple assessments to measure their understanding of the standards-based curriculum in which they were taught. Find out how our students are doing...

## Principal's Message

The School Report Card, to be issued annually by local school boards for each elementary and secondary school in the state, provides a variety of information about the school, its resources, its successes, and the areas in which improvements are needed. Coast Union High School has a solid academic record and one whose strength is drawn from a dedicated, professional, caring faculty committed to meeting the needs of each student. Coast Union offers a secure environment where the students have opportunities to grow and achieve to the utmost of their individual abilities.

## Contact Information

Parents or community members who wish to participate in leadership teams, school committees, school activities, or become a volunteer may contact the Coast Union High at 927-3889.

## School Profile

Coast Union High is one of 2 high schools in the Coast Unified. Curriculum is focused on meeting High School graduation and UC/CSU college entrance requirements. The school supports cultural awareness on a daily basis through its diverse literature selections and classroom instruction. During the 2005/06, 342 9th-12th grade students were enrolled at the school, with classes arranged on an alternating block schedule and traditional school calendar.

### School Profile

#### Student Enrollment by Ethnic Group

2005-06

	Percentage
African American	0.9
American Indian	0.0
Asian	1.2
Caucasian	73.1
Filipino	0.3
Hispanic	23.7
Pacific Islander	0.9
Multiple or No Response	0.0

## Mission Statement

Coast Union High School is committed to the success of each individual student by promoting a healthy school environment which fosters the development of academic, social, and physical skills, including the development of positive self-esteem, through the combined efforts of students, faculty, staff, parents, administration and the community.

## Parent Involvement

Coast Union High greatly benefits from its supportive parents who regularly work with students and staff to support Coast programs. Parents are also welcome to join the Bronco Boosters or the School Site Council.

## Enrollment By Grade

This chart illustrates the enrollment trend by grade level for the past 3 school years.

Enrollment By Grade			
Enrollment Trend by Grade Level			
	2003-04	2004-05	2005-06
9th	106	89	91
10th	78	99	86
11th	90	78	90
12th	77	84	75

## Enrollment By Program

During the 2005/06 school year 342 students were enrolled at Coast Union High, of which 7.9% were students with disabilities, 17% were English Learners, and 31% were socioeconomically disadvantaged.

## Class Size

Average class sizes vary by grade level and subject area taught. In addition to credentialed teachers, students receive assistance in the classroom from 2 part time aides and community volunteers. The table indicates the average class size by grade level or subject area, as well as the number of classes offered in reference to their enrollment.

Class Size												
	Class Size By Subject											
	Average			Classrooms Containing:								
	Class Size			1-20 Students			21-32 Students			33+ Students		
	04	05	06	04	05	06	04	05	06	04	05	06
English	21	21	20	11	13	12	4	4	5	0	0	0
Math	21	20	22	7	8	6	3	3	5	1	0	0
Science	23	22	23	6	4	5	6	8	7	0	0	0
Social Science	23	25	24	4	2	3	8	9	6	0	0	0

## Safe School Plan

Safety of students and staff is a primary concern of Coast Union High. The school is always in compliance with all laws, rules, and regulations pertaining to hazardous materials and state earthquake standards. The School Site Safety plan was last reviewed and updated in August 2007 by the School Safety Committee. All revisions were communicated to the both the classified and certificated staff. The school's disaster preparedness plan includes steps for ensuring student and staff safety during a disaster. Fire and disaster drills are conducted on a regular basis throughout the school year. Lockdown drills are held as needed. Students are supervised before and after school by certificated staff and principal, and principal supervises students during lunch. Certificated staff help with supervision during break periods and before and after school. There is a designated area for student drop off and pick up. Visitors must sign in at the front office upon arrival to campus.

## Discipline & Climate for Learning

Students at Coast Union High are guided by specific rules and classroom expectations that promote respect, cooperation, courtesy and acceptance of others. The goal of Coast Union High discipline program is to foster development of self-directed, responsible citizens. Parents and students are informed of school rules and discipline policies through the Parent/Student handbook and newsletters which are sent home at the beginning of the school year and through out the school year. The Suspensions and Expulsions table illustrates total cases for the last three years, as well as a percentage of enrollment. Suspensions are expressed in terms of total infractions, not number of students suspended, as some students may have been suspended on multiple occasions. Expulsions occur only when required by law or when all other alternatives are exhausted. Students are encouraged to participate in the school's additional academic and extracurricular activities, which are an integral part of the educational program. These schoolwide and classroom incentives promote positive attitudes, encourage achievement, and aid in the prevention of behavioral problems. Extracurricular activities, clubs, and programs include: American Field Service (AFS), Associated Student Body (ASB), Bronco Band, California Scholarship Federation (CSF), Christian Club, Drama Club, Environmental Club, Federation of Christian

Athletes (FCA), Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA), Interact club, and Mock Trial. The school's interscholastic athletic programs promote individual and team-oriented achievement and self-esteem through school-sponsored teams that compete with other schools in the area. Athletic programs include: Football, Girls Volleyball, Girls and Boys Tennis, Cross Country, Girls and Boys Basketball, Girls and Boys Soccer, Girls Softball, Boys Baseball, and Golf. School recognizes and celebrates the achievements and successes of students and staff on a regular basis. Students are recognized for their achievements during awards assemblies.

Discipline & Climate for Learning						
Suspensions & Expulsions						
	Coast Union High			Coast Unified		
	03-04	04-05	05-06	03-04	04-05	05-06
<b>Suspensions</b>	13	17	9	51	42	41
<b>Suspension Rate</b>	4.000%	5.000%	4.000%	5.000%	4.000%	0.400%
<b>Expulsions</b>	0	0	0	1	1	0
<b>Expulsion Rate</b>	0.000%	0.000%	0.000%	0.100%	0.100%	0.000%

\* District numbers are for entire district.

## School Facilities

Coast Union High was originally constructed in 1925 and is comprised of 21 classrooms, 1 gym, 1 multipurpose room/cafeteria, 1 library, 1 staff lounge, and 3 computer labs. Recent remodeling included addition of 12 permanent classrooms, including a photo lab and 2 science labs. Cleaning Process: The principal works daily with the custodial staff to ensure that the cleaning of the school is maintained to provide for a clean and safe school. The district governing board has adopted cleaning standards for all schools in the district. A summary of these standards are available at the district office for review. Maintenance and Repair District maintenance staff ensures that the repairs necessary to keep the school in good repair and work orders are completed in a timely manner. A work order process is used to ensure efficient service and highest priority are given to emergency repairs. While reviewing this report, please note that even minor discrepancies are reported in the inspection process. The items noted in the table have been corrected or are in the process of remediation. Deferred Maintenance Budget: The district participates in the State School Deferred Maintenance Program, which provides matching funds on a dollar-for-dollar basis, to assist school districts with expenditures for major repair or replacement of existing school building components. Typically this includes roofing, plumbing, heating, electrical systems, interior or exterior painting, and floor systems. The district governing board has adopted cleaning standards for all schools in the district. A summary of these standards are available at the district office for review. During the 2005/06 school year, the district's governing board did approve deferred maintenance projects for the school.

School Facilities		
School Facility Conditions		
Date of Last Inspection: Unknown		
Overall Summary of School Facility Conditions:		
Interim Evaluation Instrument Guidelines	Facility in Good Repair	Deficiency & Remedial Actions Taken or Planned
<b>Gas Leaks</b>	Yes	
<b>Mechanical Systems</b>	Yes	
<b>Windows/Doors/Gates (Interior/Exterior)</b>	Yes	
<b>Interior Surfaces (Walls, Floors, and Ceilings)</b>	Yes	
<b>Hazardous Materials (Interior/Exterior)</b>	Yes	
<b>Structural Damage</b>	Yes	
<b>Fire Safety</b>	Yes	
<b>Electrical (Interior/Exterior)</b>	Yes	
<b>Pest/Vermin Infestation</b>	Yes	
<b>Drinking Fountains (Inside/Outside)</b>	Yes	
<b>Restrooms</b>	Yes	
<b>Sewer</b>	Yes	
<b>Playground/School Grounds</b>	Yes	
<b>Other</b>	Yes	

## Teacher Assignment

Coast Unified recruits and employs the most qualified credentialed teachers. For the 2005/06 school year, Coast Union High had 22 fully credentialed teachers who met all credential requirements in accordance with State of California guidelines. Teacher misassignments reflect the number of placements within a school for which the certificated employee in the teaching or services position (including positions that involve teaching English Learners) does not hold a legally recognized certificate or credential. Teacher vacancies reflect the number of positions to which a single designated certificated employee has not been assigned at the beginning of the year for an entire year. For the 2005/06 school year, the most current data are reported.

Teacher Assignment				
Teacher Credential Status				
	School			District
	03-04	04-05	05-06	05-06
<b>Fully Credentialed</b>	19	18	19	55
<b>Without Full Credentials</b>	0	0	0	0

## Teacher Assignment

Teacher Credential Status			
	04-05	05-06	06-07
Working Outside Subject			N/A
Vacant Teacher Positions			
Misassignments of Teachers (other)			
Total Misassignments of Teachers			
Misassignments of Teachers of English Learners			
Teacher credential data may not have been submitted or a teacher may hold one or more types of credentials. As a result, total number of teachers may not equal addition of individual categories.			

## Highly Qualified Teachers

The Federal No Child Left Behind Act requires that all teachers in core subject areas meet certain requirements in order to be considered as "Highly Qualified" no later than the end of the 2005-06 school year. Minimum qualifications include: possession of a Bachelor's Degree, possession of an appropriate California teaching credential, and demonstrated competence in core academic subjects.

### Highly Qualified Teachers

	NCLB Compliant Teachers	
	% of Core Academic Courses Taught By NCLB Compliant Teachers	% of Core Academic Courses Taught By Non-NCLB Compliant Teachers
Coast Union High	95.9	4.1
Coast Unified	97.9	2.1
High-Poverty Schools in District	N/A	N/A
Low-Poverty Schools in District	N/A	N/A

## Substitute Teachers

The Coast Unified district has an adequate pool of fully credentialed and qualified substitutes in order to maintain continuity of instruction at Coast Union High. Generally, the district does not experience any problems finding qualified substitute teachers. When a substitute teacher is not available for an absent teacher, other teachers or the principal assumes the role of substitute.

## Teacher Evaluation

A constructive evaluation process promotes quality instruction and is a fundamental element in a sound educational program. Evaluations and formal observations are designed to encourage common goals and to comply with the state's evaluation criteria and district policies. Temporary and probationary teachers are evaluated annually and tenured teachers are evaluated every other year. Evaluations are conducted by the Principal, who has been trained and certified for competency to perform teacher evaluations. Teachers are evaluated on the following criteria: Engaging and Supporting All Students in Learning, Understanding and Organizing Subject Matter for Student Learning, Assessing Student Learning, Creating and Maintaining Effective Environments for Student Learning, Planning Instruction and Designing Learning Experiences for All Students and Developing as a Professional Educator. Coast Unified offers programs to assist teachers, such as Beginning Teacher Support and Training (BTSA) and Peer Assistance and Review (PAR). BTSA is for new, credentialed teachers. Peer Assistance and Review (PAR) is lead by credentialed teachers who help recent California Basic Education Skills Test (CBEST) graduates who have yet to pass a specific subject exam. The PAR mentors also help Emergency Teaching Certificate teachers, as well as any teacher who may have received a poor evaluation from the principal.

## Individualized Instruction

Coast Union High provides special education services to students who are in need. Programs and services designed to meet the student's needs are identified in the Individualized Education Plan (IEP). The Resource Specialist Program serves students with exceptional needs who are able to function in the regular classroom for the majority of the day.

## At Risk Interventions

Coast Union High School provides extensive help to students for both academic and personal needs. Students' academic levels are assessed at least 3 times a year on a norm-referenced test (NWEA). Students meet regularly with an academic counselor and the school also provides individual and group counseling services.

## Counseling & Support Staff

It is the goal of Coast Union High to assist students in their social and personal development as well as academics. The school gives special attention to students who experience achievement problems, difficulty coping with personal and family problems, trouble with decision making, or handling peer pressure. The counselor to pupil ratio is 1:350. The table lists the support service personnel available at Coast Union High.

**Counseling & Support Staff**

Counseling & Support Services Staff		
	Number of Staff	Full Time Equivalent
Counselor	1	1

**Curriculum Development**

All curriculum development in the Coast Unified is based on the California State Content Standards and Frameworks. Curriculum guides are updated regularly by the Curriculum Coordinator, to align with the state standards, district goals, and the statewide assessment program. During the 2005/06, changes to the curriculum included: English Language Development program and materials.

**Instructional Materials**

Coast Unified held a Public Hearing on September 14, 2006, and determined that each school within the District has sufficient and good quality textbooks, instructional materials, or science lab equipment pursuant to the settlement of Williams vs. the State of California. All students, including English learners, are given their own individual standards-aligned textbooks or instructional materials, or both, in core subjects for use in the classroom and to take home. Textbooks and supplementary materials are adopted according to a cycle developed by the State Department of Education, making the textbooks used in the school the most current available. Materials approved for use by the State are reviewed by all teachers and a recommendation is made to the School Board by a selection committee composed of teachers and administrators. All recommended materials are available for parent examination at the district office prior to adoption. A complete list of textbooks used can be found on the school's web site @ [www.coastusd.org](http://www.coastusd.org).

**District Expenditures**

Coast Unified spent an average of \$6,529 to educate each student, based on 2005-2006FY audited financial statements. The table provides a comparison of a school's per pupil funding from unrestricted sources with other schools in the district and throughout the state.

**District Expenditures**

Expenditures per Pupil	
Coast Union High	
<b>Total Expenditures Per Pupil</b>	\$6,913
<b>From Restricted Sources</b>	\$392,952
<b>From Unrestricted Sources</b>	\$1,861,381
<b>CUSD</b>	
<b>From Unrestricted Sources</b>	\$6,652,561
<b>Percentage of Variation between School &amp; District</b>	72.02%
<b>State</b>	
<b>From Unrestricted Sources</b>	\$4,743
<b>Percentage of Variation between School &amp; State</b>	39144.80%

**District Revenue Sources**

In addition to general state funding, Coast Union High receives state and federal funding for the following categorical funds and other support programs:

**Teacher & Administrative Salaries as a Percentage of Total Budget**

This table displays district salaries for teachers, principals, and superintendents, and compares these figures to the state averages for districts of the same type and size. The table also displays teacher and administrative salaries as a percent of the districts budget, and compares these figures to the state averages for districts of the same type and size. Detailed information regarding salaries may be found at the CDE Web site.

**Teacher & Administrative Salaries as a Percentage of Total Budget**

Average Salary Information		
Teachers - Principal - Superintendent		
2004-05	CUSD	California
<b>Beginning Teachers</b>	\$33,139	\$33,023
<b>Mid-Range Teachers</b>	\$55,647	\$49,273
<b>Highest Teachers</b>	\$69,040	\$64,426
<b>Elementary Principals</b>	\$91,346	\$77,267
<b>Middle School Principals</b>	\$91,346	\$80,130
<b>Superintendent</b>	\$138,799	\$99,982
Salaries as a Percentage of Total Budget		
<b>Teacher Salaries</b>	41.3%	36.1%
<b>Administrative Salaries</b>	6.8%	6.5%

**Teacher & Administrative Salaries as a Percentage of Total Budget****Average Teacher Salaries**

School & District	
Coast Union High	\$63,304
CUSD	\$60,153
Percentage of Variation	5.23%
School & State	
All Unified School Districts	\$51,006
Percentage of Variation	24.11%

## California Standards Test

The California Standards Test (CST), a component of the STAR Program, is administered to all students in the spring to assess student performance in relation to the State Content Standards. Student scores are reported as performance levels: Advanced (exceeds state standards), Proficient (meets standards), Basic (approaching standards), Below Basic (below standards), and Far Below Basic (well below standards). The combined percentage of students scoring at the Proficient and Advanced levels in English/Language Arts, Math, Social Science, Science, for the most recent three-year period, is shown. Summative scores are not available for Math (grades 8-11), Science (available for grades 5 and 8 only), and grade 9 Social Science. For results on course specific tests, please see <http://star.cde.ca.gov>.

### California Standards Test

California Standards Test (CST)															
Combined % of Students Scoring at Proficient and Advanced Levels															
	Language Arts						Social Science			Social Science					
	9			10			11			10			11		
	05	06	07	05	06	07	05	06	07	05	06	07	05	06	07
<b>All Students</b>															
Coast Union High	66	65		61	64		65	62		58	51		58	61	
CUSD	65	65	67	58	59	58	62	61	50	56	48	41	53	58	50
California	43	44	47	36	37	37	36	36	37	31	30	29	37	35	35
<b>Males</b>															
Coast Union High	59	56	62	59	54	49	55	67	44	67	65	49	61	67	55
CUSD	56	57	63	55	48	47	50	65	38	62	57	46	55	60	50
California	38	40	43	32	33	33	33	33	33	34	33	34	37	37	37
<b>Females</b>															
Coast Union High	71	72	79	64	74	68	74	56	67	49	40	39	55	56	58
CUSD	72	72	73	62	70	66	73	55	60	49	38	38	53	54	50
California	48	48	53	41	42	41	39	39	41	28	27	26	36	34	33
<b>Socioeconomically Disadvantaged</b>															
Coast Union High	40	48	27	35	43	35	40	36	36	35	40	33	33	27	48
CUSD	44	50	26	32	42	35	36	36	31	32	38	32	30	24	44
California	26	27	32	20	21	21	21	21	22	18	17	17	23	21	22
<b>Hispanic</b>															
Coast Union High	39	41	18	5	32	36	*	23	25	23	27	26	*	23	38
CUSD	39	42	16	4	32	36	*	25	23	21	28	26	*	21	39
California	26	28	32	20	21	23	21	21	23	17	17	18	23	21	22
<b>Caucasian</b>															
Coast Union High	75	78	89	78	78	70	71	73	66	68	62	53	66	73	61
CUSD	73	78	87	75	70	68	66	71	59	66	55	50	60	68	53
California	61	63	66	53	54	55	50	50	52	44	45	44	48	48	48
<b>English Learners</b>															
Coast Union High	*	7	*	*	0	*	17	*	*	*	*	*	*	8	*
CUSD	*	7	0	*	0	0	*	17	0	*	0	0	*	8	0
California	7	7	10	3	4	4	4	4	4	6	5	6	7	7	6

\*Scores are not disclosed when fewer than 10 students are tested in a grade level and/or subgroup.

## Physical Fitness

In the spring of each year, Coast Union High is required by the state to administer a physical fitness test to all students in grades five, seven, and nine. The physical fitness test is a standardized evaluation that tracks the development of high-quality fitness programs and assists students in establishing physical activity as part of their daily lives. Results of student performance are compared to other students statewide who took the test.

### Physical Fitness

Percentage of Students in Healthy Fitness Zone			
Test Results			
	5th Grade	7th Grade	9th Grade
<b>Coast Union High</b>			
School Overall	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
School (Boys)	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
School (Girls)	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
<b>Coast Unified</b>			
CUSD Overall	46.2%	65.3%	0.0%

CUSD (Boys)	40.0%	65.9%	0.0%
CUSD (Girls)	50.0%	64.5%	0.0%
<b>California</b>			
State Overall	25.6%	29.6%	27.4%
State (Boys)	23.3%	27.6%	28.3%
State (Girls)	28.0%	31.7%	26.4%

### Academic Performance Index

The Academic Performance Index (API) is a score on a scale of 200 to 1,000 that annually measures the academic performance and progress of individual schools in California. On an interim basis, the state has set 800 as the API score that schools should strive to meet. Statewide Rank: Schools receiving an API Base score are ranked in ten categories of equal size (deciles) from 1 (lowest) to 10 (highest), according to type of school (elementary, middle, or high school). Similar Schools Rank: Schools also receive a ranking that compares that school to 100 other schools with similar demographic characteristics. Each set of 100 schools is ranked by API score from 1 (lowest) to 10 (highest) to indicate how well the school performed compared to similar schools.

Academic Performance Index							
API School Results							
All Students	Base			Growth			
	02-03	03-04	04-05		03-04	04-05	05-06
API Score	772	766	802	API Growth Score		801	800
Growth Target	1	2	A	Actual Growth		35	-2
Statewide Rank	1	9	9	Eligible for Awards			
Similar Schools Rank	1	6	10	Eligible for II/USP	No	No	1
Subgroups							
<b>Socioeconomically Disadvantaged</b>							
Base API Score	643	645	695	API Growth Score		695	707
Growth Target	1	2	1	Actual Growth		50	12
<b>Caucasian</b>							
Base API Score	804	809	846	API Growth Score		846	844
Growth Target	A	A	A	Actual Growth		37	-2
<b>Hispanic</b>							
Base API Score		569	641	API Growth Score		641	693
Growth Target		2	1	Actual Growth		72	52
<b>A - Schools and subgroups with scores 800 and above have met the statewide target and are expected to maintain that level of achievement.</b>							
<b>Only numerically significant subgroups for each reporting period are required to be presented in this report card. Numerically significant subgroups are comprised of (1) at least 100 students with valid test scores or (2) at least 15% of the school population tested and contains at least 30 students with valid scores.</b>							

### California Awards & Interventions

Although state intervention and awards programs are currently in the California Education Code, the programs were not funded for the period addressed by this SARC, therefore, there is no data to report.

### Adequate Yearly Progress

No Child Left Behind (NCLB) is a federal law enacted in January 2002 that reauthorized the Elementary and Secondary Education Act (ESEA). It mandates that all students (including students who are economically disadvantaged, are from racial or ethnic minority groups, have disabilities, or have limited English proficiency) in all grades meet the state academic achievement standards for Mathematics and English/Language Arts by 2014. Schools must demonstrate "Adequate Yearly Progress" (AYP) toward achieving that goal. The federal NCLB Act requires that all schools and districts meet the following Adequate Yearly Progress (AYP) requirements: • Participation rate on the state's standards-based assessments in English/Language Arts (ELA) and Mathematics. • Percent proficient on the state's standards-based assessments in ELA and Mathematics. • API as an additional indicator. • Graduation rate (for secondary schools). There are several consequences for schools that do not meet the AYP standards, including additional tutoring and replacing of staff. Students would also be allowed to transfer to schools (within their district) that have met their AYP's, and the former school would be required to provide the transportation to the new site. Results of school and district performance are displayed in the chart.

Adequate Yearly Progress				
Adequate Yearly Progress (AYP)				
Made AYP Overall	School		District	
	Yes		Yes	
Met AYP Criteria	English - Language Arts	Mathematics	English - Language Arts	Mathematics
Participation Rate	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Percent Proficient	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
API School Results	Yes		Yes	
Graduation Rate	Yes		Yes	

## Federal Intervention Program

Schools and districts receiving federal Title I funding enter Program Improvement (PI) if they do not make AYP for two consecutive years in the same content area (English/Language Arts or Mathematics) or on the same indicator (API or graduation rate). After entering PI, schools and districts advance to the next level of intervention with each additional year that they do not make AYP.

### Federal Intervention Program

Federal Intervention Programs					
	Program Improvement (PI) Status	First Year in PI	Year in PI	# of Schools Currently in PI	% of Schools Identified for PI
Coast Union High				-	-
Coast Unified	-	-	-	0	0.00

## Dropout & Graduation Rates

Coast Union High believes that effective instruction consists of the continuous building of new concepts upon existing ones and requires regular attendance and participation. In hopes of preventing and reducing dropouts, the following programs are made available to students: Tutoring, summer school and alternative educational programs.

### Dropout & Graduation Rates

Graduation & Dropout Rates			
	02-03	03-04	04-05
Dropout Rate	0.58%	0.00%	0.57%
Graduation Rate	93.8%	98.6%	97.1%

## CAHSEE

Beginning with the graduating class of 2006, students in California public schools must pass both the English-language arts and mathematics portions of the California High School Exit Examination (CAHSEE) to receive a high school diploma. For students who began the 2005-06 school year in the 12th grade, the table displays by student group the percent who met all state and local graduation requirements for grade 12 completion, including having passed both portions of the CAHSEE or received a local waiver or state exemption. Detailed information about the CAHSEE can be found at the DDE Web site at <http://www.cde.ca.gov/ta/tg/hs/>. Note: "N/A" means that the student group is not numerically significant.

### CAHSEE

Completion of High School Graduation Requirements			
	School	District	State
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	100.0%	*	*
Students with Disabilities	100.0%	*	*

## Career Technical Education (CTE) Programs

Coast Union High career planning program prepares students to succeed in real-world contexts through the development of conceptual thinking, effective communication, and the ability to apply knowledge and skills learned in the classroom. Instructors at Coast Union High have directed efforts toward establishing school-to-work structures within each curricular area for all students, including those with special needs. Guidance Counselors offer additional support through various programs, including: 10th and 11th grade interest inventories and career/educational planning, 12th grade post-secondary planning, and yearly individual 4 year educational and career planning.

## Career Technical Education Participation

This table displays information about participation in the school's Career Technical Education (CTE) programs.

### Career Technical Education Participation

Enrollment & Program Completion in Career/Technical Education (CTE) Programs (Carl Perkins Vocational and Technical Education Act)	
Question	Response
How many of the schools pupils participate in CTE?	56
What percent of the schools pupils complete a CTE program and earn a high school diploma?	73.8
What percent of the schools CTE courses are sequenced or articulated between the school and institutions of post secondary education?	

## UC/CSU Course Completion

Students at Coast Union High are encouraged to take University of California/California State University (UC/CSU) preparatory courses if they plan to attend a four-year university. All students must pass each course with a grade no lower than a 'C'.

## UC/CSU Course Completion

UC/CSU Course Enrollment	
% of Student Enrollment in Courses Required for UC/CSU Admission	% of Graduates Who Completed All Courses Required for UC/CSU Admission
54.0%	56.8%
* Duplicated Count (one student can be enrolled in several courses).	

## SAT-1

Each year, students have the opportunity to participate in the SAT, which is designed to assess many of the skills that are important to a student's success in college and their general educational development. Coast Union High does not offer a college admission test preparation course. The table displays the percent of the school's 12th grade students who voluntarily took the SAT Reasoning Test for college entrance, and average verbal, math, and writing scores of those students. Detailed information regarding SAT results, and comparisons of these average scores to the district and state levels, can be found at the CDE Web site.

## SAT-1

SAT I Test Results					
	Grade 12 Enrollment	% Seniors Tested	Average Verbal	Average Math	Average Writing
Coast Union High					
03-04	77	61.0%	520	520	0
04-05	84	51.2%	548	542	0
05-06	75	48.0%	538	528	555
Coast Unified					
03-04	89	52.8%	520	520	0
04-05	92	46.7%	548	542	0
05-06	75	48.0%	538	528	555
California					
03-04	395,194	35.2%	496	519	0
04-05	409,576	35.7%	500	522	0
05-06	383,460	40.5%	495	516	496

## Advanced Placement Classes

Coast Union High encourages students to continue their education past high school. Coast Union High offers Advanced Placement (AP) courses for those students seeking to qualify for college credit. Juniors and seniors achieving a score of three, four, or five on the final AP exams qualify for college credit at most of the nation's colleges. During the 2005/06, 81 students participated in taking the exams. Of the 81 students, 57 students scored a "3" or better.

## Advanced Placement Classes

Advanced Placement Classes		
	# Classes	Enrollment
English	4	56
Mathematics	4	36
Science	2	24
Social Science	2	48
All Courses	12	164

## School Leadership

Leadership at Coast Union High is a responsibility shared between district administration, the principal, instructional staff, students, and parents. The district's emphasis is on a well-balanced and rigorous core curriculum at all grade levels. Instructional programs are aligned with state and district standards. For the past 2 years, leadership duties were assumed by Principal Karl Dearie. Principal Dearie has 22 years of experience in education with positions as a teacher and administrator. Staff members and parents participate on various committees that make decisions regarding the priorities and direction of the educational plan to ensure instructional programs are consistent with students' needs and comply with district goals. Leadership teams include: School Site Counsel, WASC accreditation Teams.

## Staff Development

Staff members build teaching skills and concepts by participating in many conferences and workshops throughout the year, then sharing their experiences and knowledge with district colleagues. The district dedicated 3 days to staff development annually for the past three years. Topics for staff development during the 2005/06 school year included: Instructional Strategies, Technology, Classroom Management.

## Instructional Time (Includes Minimum Days)

For the 2005/06, Coast Union High offered 180 days of instruction, comprised of 170 regular days. The additional 10 minimum days were utilized for Final exams. All instructional time either met or exceeded the daily instructional minute requirements specified in the California Education Code. The table displays a comparison of the number of instructional minutes offered at the school as compared to the state requirement for each

grade level.

<b>Instructional Time (Includes Minimum Days)</b>		
<b>Instructional Minutes By Grade Level</b>		
	<b>Minutes Required</b>	<b>Actual Minutes</b>
<b>9th-12th</b>	64,800	65,914