



VALENCIA HIGH SCHOOL

2011-2012 School Profile

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SCHOOL: Valencia High School is accredited by the Western Association of Schools and Colleges and follows a semester schedule. The academic year at Valencia High School is organized into two 90-day terms: fall semester and spring semester. The school day consists of six 55-minute instructional periods, with all classes meeting everyday. At the end of each semester, each passing course receives 5 credits. All students have the opportunity to earn 30 credits per semester/60 credits per academic year.

<u>ENROLLMENT:</u>	Grade 9 – 884	<u>POST GRADUATES (2010):</u> Four Year Colleges, 45%
	Grade 10 – 667	Two Year Colleges, 44%
	Grade 11 – 701	
	Grade 12 – 798	

SPECIAL PROGRAMS

Advanced Placement: Advanced Language and Composition, Advanced Composition and Literature, American Government, Art History, Biology, Calculus AB, Calculus BC, Environmental Science, European History, Human Geography, Music Theory, Physics B, Psychology, Spanish Language, Studio Art (Drawing, Art 2D, Art 3D), US History, and World History

Honors: English 9, English 10, Geometry, Algebra II/Trigonometry, Pre-Calculus, Chemistry, Human Anatomy/Physiology, Microbiology, Molecular Genetics, and Economics

College of the Canyons (COC): Classes taken concurrently at the local community college are given one weighted grade point for academic classes at the 100 level or higher.

STANDARDS FOR DETERMINING RANK AND GPA: Grading is based on a 4.00 scale. All honors and Advanced Placement courses receive one extra grade point for “A,” “B,” or “C,” grades. All courses grades 9-12 are included in the rank. All GPA’s listed on the transcript are weighted

GRADING SCALE:

A+= 99-100	B+=88-89	C+=78-79	D+=68-69	F=0-59
A = 93-98	B = 83-87	C = 73-77	D = 63-67	INC=Incomplete
A-= 90-92	B-= 80-82	C-= 70-72	D-= 60-62	

<u>SAT AVERAGES (2010):</u> Reading Average– 533	<u>ACT COMPOSITE AVERAGE (2010):</u> 24.7
Math Average – 560	
Writing Average – 538	

ADVANCED PLACEMENT (2010):

Passing Rate (score of 3 or higher)	75.8%	<u>API SCORE (2011):</u> 849
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SENIORS MEETING UC/CSU COURSE REQUIREMENTS (2010): 60%

HIGHEST CURRENT GPA IN SENIOR CLASS: 4.82