

EAST SIDE UNION HIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT



Piedmont Hills

HOME OF THE PIRATES

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ENROLLMENT: 2,178

GRADUATION RATE: 98%

A-G COMPLETION RATE: 61%



Welcome to Piedmont Hills High School's 2016-2017 school year. New students, you are about to experience learning and growing in a safe and exciting academic and social environment. Returning students, you have a key role to play in welcoming those who are new to the school. You also have the opportunity to experience a new curriculum, based on Common Core State Standards, that emphasizes understanding how to solve math problems over rote memorization and other subjects that will engage and encourage you to become independent thinkers in a rapidly changing and globalized world.

Piedmont Hills High School (PHHS) cherishes the dedication of its parent/guardian volunteers and all adult encouragement of students' academic, social and extracurricular activities. Their continued support of the students, staff and programs is what separates PHHS from all other schools.

- PHHS prepares our students to be college and career ready through rigorous course offerings to meet UC/CSU A-G requirements including 17 AP courses and electives in world languages, fine arts and career technical education.
- PHHS has an award-winning performing arts department with both music and drama courses. Students have the opportunity to participate in live theater and competitive music festivals throughout the county.
- PHHS strives for inclusion in all aspects of student life with over eighty student-initiated clubs on campus to provide every student a chance to be involved.

Key Programs and Magnets

Entrepreneurship Magnet: Students learn the fundamental skills necessary to run a business. Professional certification in Microsoft Word, and Microsoft Excel are available.

Computer Aided Drafting Design: Students develop pre-engineering skills in using CADD software as well as understanding architectural schematic drawings and floor plans.

Construction Technology: PHHS has an industry standard construction technology program where students learn everything from design to hands-on building. The program is a pathway to construction management and architecture careers.



Preparing every student to thrive in a global society.