EAST SIDE UNION HIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT



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ENROLLMENT: 2,458
GRADUATION RATE: 88%
A-G COMPLETION RATE: 46%



Welcome to Silver Creek 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, thinking citizens of a new connected and rapidly changing world.

Silver Creek High School (SCHS) 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 SCHS from all other schools.

- The Associated Student Body works tirelessly to establish school pride and spirit through friendly class rivalries that showcase the many talents of the Silver Creek community.
- ASSETs at Silver Creek High School allow for a variety of after school activities. Students can choose from a wide range of programs that include, but are not limited to, musical performances, film & technology, culinary courses, yoga, open gym volleyball & badminton, monthly movie nights for the community, as well as many other activities to keep students active beyond the school day.
- Our PTSA allows parent access to school tools that help parents understand the many facets of the Silver Creek community, as well as invite them to be a part of the planning process for their child's wellbeing and success in high school.



Preparing every student to thrive in a global society.

Key Programs and Magnets

Business: SCHS has an award-winning magnet program in business. Students have won national awards that led to a meeting with President Obama. While at Silver Creek, students take four years of business courses and end their studies with a business plan of their own original, innovative thinking.

Forensic Science: This innovative magnet program allows students to participate in crime scene investigation scenarios using their in-depth knowledge and skills acquired from the program. A student's course of study may include classes in Biotechnology, Forensic Science, Computer Information Technology, and Law & Society.

Linked Learning - Business and Computer Information Technology: These two pathways provide a venue for students, in collaboration with industries such as CISCO, Ernst & Young, SAP, Sparrow, and link learning across multiple academic pathways to increase academic success. Students engage in collaboration learning in History, Mathematics, Science, Business, CIT, and English. Over 100 students attended the CISCO STEM Innovation Challenge hosted at CISCO to promote STEM careers. Also participated in the San Jose City-Wide Design Challenge Kickoff to challenge students in proposing solutions to some of the city's pressing issues.