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Serving Preschool – 12th Grade

**2022 INTERNATIONAL
STUDENT BROCHURE**

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LOS ANGELES



Anaheim Hills Campus
 Preschool – 8th Grade
 5300 E. La Palma Avenue, Anaheim Hills

Historic Anaheim Campus
 Preschool – 8th Grade
 1557 W. Mable Street, Anaheim



North Tustin Campus
 Pre-kindergarten – 8th Grade
 12421 Newport Avenue, Tustin



CALIFORNIA LIFE

Southern California offers countless days of sunshine and warm weather to enjoy world-class beaches, deserts, and mountains. It's one of the few places on earth where you can spend the morning on the coast and drive up to the mountains in the afternoon!

Fairmont students spend their weekends enjoying the abundance of activities that make Orange County one of the top tourist attractions in the world. Spend time with friends enjoying San Clemente or Huntington Beach, shopping at South Coast Plaza, or savoring cuisine from around the world. For outdoor enthusiasts, swimming, hiking, and even skiing are easily accessible. And of course, life in Southern California would not be complete without visits to our local amusement parks, sporting events, and Hollywood!

Preparatory Academy
 9th – 12th Grade
 2200 W. Sequoia Avenue, Anaheim



San Juan Capistrano
 Preschool – 12th Grade
 26333 Oso Road, San Juan Capistrano

¹Based on average seasonal high data provided by weatherbase.com.

“ For the past 16 years, we have actively welcomed international students to our schools, making our international student program one of the longest-standing and experienced in California. ”



LETTER FROM THE DIRECTOR OF INTERNATIONAL ADMISSIONS

Dear Parents and Students,

Fairmont has been a leader in education for nearly seven decades. Today, we operate five private school campuses in Orange County, California, where we welcome hundreds of students from all over the world each year. Our program produces extraordinary academic results for Kindergarten - 12th grade international students who are looking for challenging, rewarding study in the US. Students benefit from an individualized curriculum, the support of an exceptional faculty and staff, and many opportunities for social growth and cultural exchange. Fairmont graduates go on to some of the most prestigious colleges and universities in the US.

From elementary school through high school, our students work, on average, at least one year ahead of their grade level. An *International Baccalaureate World School*, Fairmont is one of only 19 schools in the US and one of only 500 worldwide to offer all three IB Programmes.

Our high school program offers rigorous specialized academic programs in *Advanced Science and Engineering, International Business, and Advanced Math, as well as 25 Advanced Placement (AP) courses*. Middle school students are afforded many opportunities to participate in specialized programs and activities, such as speech and debate, Academic Pentathlon, robotics, and science and engineering competitions.

International students benefit from a diverse student body and exciting campus life where *social activities, athletics, the arts, and community service* create a well-rounded American educational experience. In addition to academic and college counselors who support students at school, our international staff helps students settle into life in the US.

At Fairmont, our programs, curriculum, culture, and people work together to realize our mission, and thus the promise that lies in each and every one of our students. I invite you to learn more about the gift of a Fairmont education.

Sincerely,
Betty Petersen
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2065 TOTAL STUDENT POPULATION (AT ALL FAIRMONT CAMPUSES)	11,271.5 NUMBER OF COMMUNITY SERVICE HOURS COMPLETED BY THE GRADUATING CLASS OF 2021	1233 STUDENT AVERAGE SAT SCORE ²	47 CLUBS AND ORGANIZATIONS
10:1 FAIRMONT STUDENT TO FACULTY RATIO	\$9.8 MILLION MERIT-BASED SCHOLARSHIP AWARDS EARNED BY THE PAST 5 GRADUATING CLASSES	4.0 GPA STUDENT WEIGHTED GPA FOR THE CLASS OF 2021	
95% GRADUATES WHO APPLIED AND WERE ACCEPTED INTO TOP 100 U.S. UNIVERSITIES OVER THE LAST THREE YEARS. ¹	33 AP SCHOLARS	7 NATIONAL AP SCHOLARS	
	41 AP SCHOLARS W/ DISTINCTION	24 AP SCHOLARS WITH HONORS	

¹As defined by U.S. News & World Report 2021.
²Total SAT score out of 1600.



ELEMENTARY GRADE KINDERGARTEN - 5TH

HOW DOES FAIRMONT SUPPORT ENGLISH LANGUAGE LEARNERS?



Specifically designed to help ELLs succeed in an advanced curriculum.

Fairmont's K-5 IFC Elementary Program provides the support English language learners need to succeed in the school's advanced mainstream classes. Elementary grade level students receive targeted instruction while they are in the program, and continued academic guidance even after they complete the program. Each student's progress is measured throughout the year to ensure steady development of English language skills that include reading, writing, listening, and speaking.

PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS

ENGLISH LANGUAGE LEARNER STUDENTS RECEIVE INDIVIDUALIZED LANGUAGE SUPPORT.
HOURS OF SUPPORT DETERMINED BY LANGUAGE PROFICIENCY.

SPECIALY-TRAINED CLASSROOM TEACHERS UTILIZE INNOVATIVE TEACHING STRATEGIES TO INSTRUCT ELL STUDENTS IN THE SAME CONTENT THAT THEIR MAINSTREAMED PEERS RECEIVE.

STUDENTS' GROWTH IN KEY SKILLS ARE MEASURED MULTIPLE TIMES THROUGHOUT THE YEAR.

SCHOOL HOURS

KINDERGARTEN 8:30 AM - 2:50 PM*
1ST & 2ND GRADE 8:20 AM - 2:50 PM*
3RD - 5TH GRADE 8:20 AM - 3:15 PM*

EXAMPLE SCHEDULE¹

ENGLISH 5X PER WEEK	MATH 4X WEEK
LIBRARY 5X PER WEEK	SCIENCE LAB 2-4X PER MONTH
MUSIC 2X PER WEEK	COMPUTER LAB 1X WEEK
PHYSICAL EDUCATION 2X PER WEEK	ART 2-4X PER MONTH

*SCHOOL HOURS MAY VARY BY CAMPUS



MIDDLE SCHOOL GRADES 6-8

Fairmont's middle school program provides international students in grades 6-8 with a nurturing environment and close-knit community in which to thrive.

Through academic challenge and support, social activities, leadership opportunities, and involvement in music, art, and athletics, studying at Fairmont opens the door to America's top high schools and beyond. At Fairmont, our goal is to create powerful learning opportunities both in the classroom and through a variety of exciting extracurricular activities. In the classroom, our students tackle real-world problems that inspire them to think critically and creatively, learn to work collaboratively, and develop English language proficiency through authentic experiences and rich instruction. Outside of school, our students have many opportunities to participate in robust extracurricular activities such as sports, debate, and student government.

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SCHOOL HOURS

6TH - 8TH GRADE 8:00 AM - 3:20 PM*

EXAMPLE SCHEDULE¹

ENGLISH 5X PER WEEK	MATH 4X WEEK
LIBRARY 5X PER WEEK	SCIENCE LAB 2-4X PER MONTH
MUSIC 2X PER WEEK	COMPUTER LAB 1X WEEK
PHYSICAL EDUCATION 2X PER WEEK	ART 2-4X PER MONTH
ADVANCED MATH 2X PER WEEK	HONORS COURSES 2X PER WEEK

*SCHOOL HOURS MAY VARY BY CAMPUS

Language Support - Adapted Classes

Adapted Classes are UC-approved, credit-bearing classes designed with language learners in mind. With a focus on vocabulary and the four skills of language learning, these classes provide a streamlined approach to giving students the additional support they need, while still giving them full access to Fairmont's advanced curriculum. Adapted Classes are available in English, Science, and History.



HIGH SCHOOL GRADES 9-12

PAVING YOUR PATH TO A WORLD OF OPPORTUNITY

At Fairmont high schools, our mission is clear; create confident leaders and lifelong learners who will be ready to accept the challenges of the future. To achieve this goal, we have actively redefined the college prep experience for the 21st century, providing a truly personalized course of study, and developed specialized, cutting-edge programs in Advanced Science and Engineering, Mathematics, and International Business. These unique offerings are enriched with arts, athletics, and hundreds of opportunities to become involved in school spirit, clubs, community service, pep rallies, dances, leadership activities, and so much more.

At Fairmont, our exceptional group of educators ensures that whatever the students' interests, passions, or challenges, they receive the resources and support they need to pave their own path to the college, and to the life of their dreams.

Visit Us!
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WEBSITE FOR UPCOMING
ADMISSIONS EVENTS



High School Academic Information

Fairmont Preparatory Academy and Fairmont San Juan Capistrano students must complete a total of 230 credits, as well as a combination of specific core subjects and electives, in order to graduate. We offer a range of unique courses and academic opportunities so students can customize their educational experience.

All of our standard college prep curriculum is approved by the University of California (UC). Students are required to complete 20 community service hours per year of attendance in order to meet graduation requirements. Students will be placed in appropriate core courses according to Fairmont placement exams, standardized exams, teacher recommendations, and Department Chair final approval.

The graduation requirements listed below, along with elective courses, meet or exceed University of California admission requirements.



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Specialized Academic Programs Course Offerings

Fairmont's course offerings provide a variety of pathways for students to follow. Many students choose to take courses from various levels of instruction because this flexibility aligns more closely with their abilities and interests. Our programs for study are as follows:

Fairmont Preparatory Academy

- Robotics
- International Foundation Center (IFC)
- Advanced Science and Engineering Program (ASEP)
- Advanced Placement (AP) Courses
- International Business Program (IBP)
- Advanced Math Program
- International Baccalaureate (IB)
- Speech & Debate Program

Fairmont San Juan Capistrano

- Fairmont Athletic Academy
- S.T.E.A.M.
- Social Science/History (AP) Courses
- English (AP) Courses
- Mathematics (AP) Courses
- Science (AP) Courses
- Visual and Performing Arts (AP) Courses

COURSES, YEARS, CREDITS

English, 4 Years, 40 Credits	Visual and Performing Arts, 1 Year, 10 Credits
Math, 3 Years, 30 Credits	Physical Education, 4 Semesters, 5 Credits
Science, 3 Years, 30 Credits	Health, 1 Semester
Social Science, 3 Years, 30 Credits	Strategies For Success, 1 Semester
World Languages, 2 Years, 20 Credits	Electives, Optional

FAIRMONT HOUSING BENEFITS

Fairmont offers two housing options to international students: Fairmont Homestay is a family experience, and Fairmont Boarding surrounds students with a community of diverse peers. Both options offer students a safe, supportive environment — one where students create lasting memories and sustain high GPAs. The information listed on the next page will help you choose the best fit for your student.

Fairmont Housing Exclusive Events:

Fairmont Housing offers both homestay and boarding students exclusive opportunities to explore local points of interests. The events allow students to experience Southern California life and create long-lasting bonds with fellow students.

"The housing program not only fulfilled my life but also benefits the student body as a whole. Throughout the school year, it has provided numerous exciting events which helped the students to be more engaged in the foreign environment outside of the school and to build relationships with each other.

Fairmont Housing provides students amazing experiences to explore and maximize their high school life!"

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CLASS OF 2019

FAIRMONT HOMESTAY

FAIRMONT BOARDING

Single	Double
Shared	Shared
Bed (sizes vary), dresser, closet, desk.	Twin bunk bed with extra long mattress, dresser, closet, desk.
On school days, breakfast and dinner. On weekends and holidays, breakfast, lunch, and dinner.	On school days, breakfast and dinner. On weekends and holidays, brunch and dinner.
Host family will drive student to/from Fairmont bus stop or campus depending on location.	Boarding students have private transportation to/from school.
Students can arrange (in advance) transportation with host family to school and social activities.	Transportation to school activities provided with advance notice.
First airport pick up is charged a stipend. Once a student moves in, airport pick up and drop off are included.	Airport pick up and drop off included.
Monthly Housing activities, which include college visits, museums, amusement parks and other local places of interest available at a reduced fee. Other weekend activities are up to the student and host.	Boarding students have optional exclusive weekend events and trips to local restaurants and festivals. Boarding students can also participate in monthly Housing activities, which include college visits and amusement parks, available at a reduced fee.
Host family	Advisors, Resident Advisors.
Live with an American family and learn first hand American customs and food and have opportunities to practice English. Intimate family home atmosphere.	Student grades are monitored regularly. Resident advisors rotate at the dorm to provide additional tutoring in English, history, math, and science.

HOW TO APPLY



Step 1. Gather Required Documents

- Student information (name, parents' names, address, etc.)
- English language test result (IBT, TOEFL JR, IELTS, SLATE, Duolingo) - 6th-11th grade applicants only
- Academic Transcripts from the past 3 years (originals and English translation)
- Copy of Passport
- English Teacher Recommendation (1)
- Any additional supporting documents
- Math Teacher Recommendation (1)



Step 2. Apply

Visit: fairmontschools.com/international



Step 3. Interview

A Zoom interview is required for ALL students in order to assess oral language ability and student character.



Step 4. Confirming Your Place

If the applicant is accepted, the \$4,300 enrollment deposit, housing application, and terms and conditions must be submitted according to the deadlines provided in our letter of acceptance. Additional Fairmont Homestay Application Fee of \$1000 or Fairmont Boarding Deposit of \$5000 if applicable.

Once the \$4,300 total enrollment deposit and registration fee deposit has been received, the I-20 (student visa form) is issued. The applicant will be required to submit the medical history & immunization information after successfully receiving a student visa. For students choosing Fairmont Boarding, an additional deposit of \$5,000 is due in addition to the documents and fees listed above.

ACCEPTED

If the applicant successfully passes the visa interview, flight details and full payment will be due before the student's arrival to the program.

Host Family details will be provided approximately 30 days before arrival, provided the visa has been obtained and the enrollment deposit received.

DENIED

If the applicant's visa application is denied, please return the original I-20 to Fairmont International Admissions with the visa denial letter by post for a refund of enrollment deposit. The registration fee of \$500 is non-refundable.

IMPORTANT DATES

DEC 26-JAN 2, 2022	International Student Arrivals (Spring intake)
JAN 3-7, 2022	International Orientation (Spring intake)
FEB. 8, 2022	International Open House
APR 11-15, 2022	Spring Vacation
MAY 2, 2022	AP Exams Begin
MAY 18-19, 2022	Senior Finals
MAY 25-26, 2022	Graduation Ceremony for Class of 2022
JUNE 6, 2022	Summer Camp Begins Prep Intl Summer School Begins
JUNE 21, 2022	Summer School Begins (Grades K-8)
JUNE 21, 2022	Summer School Begins (Grades 9-12)
AUG 6, 2022	International Student Arrivals
AUG 8-12, 2022	International Student Orientation (Fall 2022 intake)
AUG 15, 2022	First Day of Classes- all NEW students, all SJC students and returning K-8 students
AUG 16, 2022	First Day of Classes- returning Preparatory Academy Students

PRICING¹

FAIRMONT SCHOOL (GRADES K - 12) ⁴			
2022 SPRING INTAKE (1 SEMESTER)			
TUITION	Grades K - 5	Grades 6 - 8	Grades 9 - 12
BASE TUITION	\$18,900	\$25,600	\$29,450

FAIRMONT SCHOOL (GRADES K - 12) ⁴			
2022 FALL INTAKE (2 SEMESTERS)			
TUITION	Grades K - 5	Grades 6 - 8	Grades 9 - 12
BASE TUITION	\$31,450	\$41,199	\$47,850

FAIRMONT SCHOOL (GRADES 6 - 12) ³		
2022 SPRING INTAKE (1 SEMESTER)		
TUITION & FEES TOTALS	Grades 6 - 8	Grades 9 - 12
INCLUDING HOMESTAY ⁵	\$38,350	\$41,400
INCLUDING BOARDING ⁶	N/A	\$43,250

FAIRMONT SCHOOL (GRADES 6 - 12) ³		
2022 FALL INTAKE (2 SEMESTERS)		
TUITION & FEES TOTALS	Grades 6 - 8	Grades 9 - 12
INCLUDING HOMESTAY ⁵	\$64,950	\$70,150
INCLUDING BOARDING ⁶	N/A	\$74,850

ALL PRICING ESTIMATED FOR THE 2022/2023 SCHOOL YEAR

1 All pricing estimated for the 2022/2023 school year. Registration fee (\$500) and deposits (\$3,800) will be required.
2 All K-5 pricing totals include: program tuition, application fee, registration, health insurance, and technology fee.
3 All Fairmont middle school and high school pricing totals include: program tuition, student advising and support, Fairmont Housing Programs (where indicated), estimated insurance, technology, uniforms, technology, non-Fairmont housing, registration, and orientation fees.
4 Designated transportation routes between home and school are available for an additional fee to students who do not utilize the Fairmont Housing Programs.
5 Fairmont Homestay Program includes: application fee, one way airport pickup (from LAX), daily transportation between home and school, and room and board except for weekday lunches.
6 Fairmont Boarding Program is offered only to high school students with limited space. Students cannot opt out of boarding during the school year. Fairmont Boarding includes arrangements for transportation to and from airport. Daily transportation to school, and to and from school-sponsored events. Two professionally prepared meals provided daily. Lunch is available for purchase during normal instructional days on campus.

FAIRMONT COLLEGE ACCEPTANCES

Year after year, Fairmont's students are accepted to the nation's top colleges and universities, preparing them to go out and make a difference in their world. Here is just a small sampling of the institutions our graduates have attended:

NOTABLE ACCEPTANCES FOR THE CLASS OF 2021

Stanford University #6
University of Chicago #6
University of Pennsylvania #8
California Institute of Technology #9
Duke University #9
Johns Hopkins University #9
Northwestern University #9
Brown University #14
Vanderbilt University #14
Washington University in St. Louis #14
Cornell University #17
UCLA #20
Emory University #21
University of California, Berkeley #22
Carnegie Mellon University #25
University of Southern California—USC #27



Cornell University





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