

**Valley Christian High School in San Jose**

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| General Impression | Beautiful, Safe & Secure Campus, Great Location near San Jose, Silicon Valley & San Francisco. Strong support from International Student Dept. |
| Strong Advantages | Strong Academic Program (STEM, Robotics, Business, Aero Engineering, Idea Design, Engineering Design and more) along with great Visual Art & Performance Art (Conservatory of Arts), providing private lessons, Very strong college Acceptance list, |

**About the School**

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| Year Founded | 1960 | Religion | Christian |
| School Type | Day school | Grades | K-12 |
| Student body | Co-Ed | Uniforms | Yes |
| Number of Students | 1600 | International Students | About 90 |
| Class Size | 24 | ESL | No |
| Area |  | Student: Teacher Ratio | 16:1 |
| Facility | Wide campus, Academic/Fine Arts building, Library, Computer Lab, Science Labs, Theatre, Campus Ministry, Cafeteria, Weight Room, Locker Room, athletic fields. |

**Academics**

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| College Acceptance Rate | 100%  Four-Year College Matriculates: 89%  Two-Year College: 11% |
| Average SAT Scores | 1230/1600 |
| Honor Courses: 22 | Dance Technique, Color Guard, Hip Pop, English, Geometry, Algebra, Pre-Calculus, Advanced Data Analysis, Jazz Ensemble, Biology, Chemistry, Anatomy and Physiology, Modern World History, Theater. Technical Theater, French, Latin, Mandarin, Spanish, Advanced Business |
| AP Courses: 23 | English Language, English Literature, Statistics, Calculus, Music Theory, Biology, Chemistry, Environmental Science, Physics, US History, Microeconomics, US Government and Politics, Human Geography, Computer Science, Art History, Studio Art, Chinese Language and Culture, Latin, Spanish Language |

**Extra-Curricular**

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| Clubs: 60+ | Debate, Empowerment, Investment, Model UN, Programming, Sneakers and Supreme, Sports Analysis, TedEd, Visual Development, Web Design Sync and more |
| Sports: 12+ | Cross Country, Football, Golf, Soccer, Basketball, Hockey, Indoor Track, Swim & Dive, Wrestling, Baseball, Lacrosse, Tennis, Track & Field, Volleyball and more |

**College Acceptance List**

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| Recent College Acceptances | UC Berkeley, UCLA, UC Davis, UC San Diego, UC Irvine, Harvard, USC, Penn State, NYU, Northeastern, Brown University, Boston College, Boston University, Carnegie Mellon University, Cornell University, Dartmouth University, Columbia University, Duke University, Harvard University, Emory University, MIT, Georgetown University, Northwestern University, Princeton University, Stanford University, U Penn and more. |

**Application**

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| Admission Requirements | ❏ A student questionnaire.  ❏ Two essays, both handwritten by the student. One essay describes an important personal event in his/her life and the other essay gives the student the opportunity to discuss his/her thoughts about God and attending a Christian school.  ❏ Copy of student passport.  ❏ Financial disclosure form.  ❏ Copy of student's most recent English Proficiency Test results (at least one test score). The following are the accepted tests for application to Valley Christian Schools and the minimum test scores required: TOEFL (minimum score of 75), TOEFL JR (minimum score of 865), iTEP SLATE (minimum score of 5.0), and IELTS (minimum score 6.0). ❏ Skype Interview  ❏ An official grade report or transcript (in English).  ❏ Two Educators Recommendations from the current school.  ❏ One Math Teacher Recommendation from the current school. A recommendation form must be completed by an English teacher, and an additional teacher in any of these subjects: science, history or religion.  ❏ Either a Clergy Recommendation or a Parent/Guardian Written Statement that shows that the parents are supportive of the student receiving a Christian education.  ❏ Complete record of immunization, translated into English.  ❏ Application fee of $100. |

**Special Note**

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| BGE Special Services | * Availability of Chinese speakers for assistance * Academic and College counseling * Tutoring services - Homework help & Test preparation * Activity and Tour program coordination * Volunteer service opportunities & Cultural guidance   \*Additional fee |