



**PUC Triumph Charter HS**

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**School Information**

PUC Triumph Charter High School (PUC TCHS) was founded by PUC in 2010 to serve the students living in the Northeast San Fernando Valley, with a concentration on the communities of Sylmar, San Fernando, Pacoima, and Sun Valley. In our seventh year of operation, PUC TCHS' Class of 2017 will be our fourth graduating class. This class has demonstrated adaptability despite being on multiple temporary school sites over the past 3 years, moving into our new permanent home in September 2015. The mission of PUC Schools is to develop and manage high quality charter schools in densely populated urban communities with overcrowded and low achieving schools. We create school programs and cultures that result in college graduation for all students. We uplift and revitalize communities through the development of educational and other supportive partnerships. PUC TCHS has developed successful partnership with Los Angeles Mission College allowing students in grades 9<sup>th</sup> through 12<sup>th</sup> to take college classes. PUC Schools use an educational model based on high expectations for all students, highly qualified teachers and principals, and parents as partners. The school operates on a traditional August-June academic calendar.

**2016-2017 Demographics:**

- **Students in grades 9-12:** 438
- **Students in the Class of 2017:** 89
- **Students:** 96.64% Hispanic/Latino, 1.15% African American, 1.15% Caucasian and 0.23% Filipino
- **Students qualifying for free or reduced lunch:** 75.06%
- **Student-Teacher Ratio:** 18 to 1

**Standardized Test Scores for Class of 2016**

<b>ACT</b>	English Avg. 15.3	Math Avg. 17.6	Reading Avg. 15.5	Science Avg. 16.7	Composite Avg. 16.3
<b>SAT</b>	Critical Reading Avg. 470	Math Avg. 440	Writing Avg. 24	SAT Avg. (2400 Scale) 920	

**Grading:**

In alignment with University of California and California State University undergraduate admissions requirements, PUC Schools do not grant "D" letter grades. A grade below a "C" is a fail and will not satisfy the PUC graduation requirements. Students earning an "F" for any required course must repeat the course to earn a grade of "C" or higher.

Rank - PUC Schools does not rank students.

Grade Replacement - Starting the 2015-2016 school year, PUC Schools implemented a PUC-Wide grade replacement policy. Students may retake any failed course, and the newly earned GPA and credits will replace the previously failed course GPA and credits (Must be same course name & content). The original failed course will remain on a student's transcript.

**Graduation Requirements**

English.....	40 Credits
Math.....	30 Credits
History/Social Science.....	30 Credits
Foreign Language.....	20 Credits
Laboratory Science.....	20 Credits
Visual/Performing Arts.....	10 Credits
College Prep Electives.....	10 Credits
Physical Education.....	20 Credits

**Minimum of 220 Credits is required for high school graduation**

### Grading Scale

100-90	89-80	79-70	69-0
A	B	C	F

\*Advanced Placement courses and PUC *honors designated* community college courses with a grade of “C” or higher will receive 1 GPA added value point.

### Grade Distribution: Class of 2017 Cumulative GPAs as of September 2015

GPA Range	# of students	GPA Range	# of students
4.1 - 5.0	2	2.5 - 2.0	22
4.0 – 3.6	17	1.9 – 1.5	3
3.5 – 3.1	18	1.4 - 0	1
3.0 – 2.6	26		

### Advanced Placement and Honors Courses Offered

AP European History                      AP Psychology                      AP United States History  
AP English Literature and Composition    AP Spanish Language

### Extra Curricular Activities:

Boys and Girls Volleyball                      Cross Country                      Art Club  
Boys and Girls Soccer                      Cheerleading                      Experiments & Engineering Club  
Boys and Girls Basketball                      Get Lit Poets                      Journalism  
Baseball                      Leadership                      Yearbook  
Softball                      Associated Student Body                      Running Club

### Colleges and Universities the Class of 2016 were admitted to:

California State University, Bakersfield	Los Angeles Valley College
California State University, Northridge	California State University, Long Beach
Los Angeles Mission College	University of California, Merced
Glendale Community College	Holy Names University
Los Angeles Pierce College	Woodbury University
College of the Canyons	Mount Saint Mary College
Notre Dame de Namur University	California State University, Los Angeles
Mount St. Mary's University (Chalon)	University of California, Riverside
Santa Monica College	University of Evansville
San Francisco State University	Biola University
California State University, Stanislaus	California State University, San Marcos
California State University, Chico	University of California, Santa Barbara
California State University, Channel Islands	The New School - All Divisions
Wagner College	California State University, Fullerton
College of Saint Benedict	Pasadena City College
University of California, Santa Cruz	California State University, Long Beach
University of California, Irvine	University of California, Merced
University of California, Los Angeles	Holy Names University
California State University, Monterey Bay	Purdue University
University of California, Davis	