

### Grade Placement Credit Criteria

Grade 9 ↔ 6.0 credits  
Grade 10 ↔ 6.5 – 12 credits  
Grade 11 ↔ 12.5 – 18 credits  
Grade 12 ↔ 18.5 – 26 credits

### Attendance and Credits

Students are required to have 90% attendance and receive a grade of 70% or higher in order to earn credit for a course. Attendance and grades can be viewed on Parent Portal.

### Dual Credit

Coronado High School offers Dual Credit classes in the core academic and career and technology areas. In order for a student to be enrolled in a Dual Credit course, the student must be eligible for college credit-bearing courses based on: PSAT, ACT, SAT, or TSI scores. Once a student is enrolled in a Dual Credit course, the student will earn high school credit for graduation while earning college course credit. The college course credit will be reflected on an official college transcript. Dual credit grades of 80% or higher will count as a DAP Measure and receive Bonus Points on GPA.

Coronado High School offers Pre-AP and AP courses that challenge and enrich students to expand their education beyond the Regular/Recommended High School plan. Pre-AP coursework develops advanced skills and provides content background to prepare students for the college-level work of Advanced Placement (AP) courses for the Advanced Placement exams. AP courses have strategies/curriculum that are driven by College Board. Students enrolled in an AP course are expected to take the AP exam at the end of the year.

## Graduation Requirements

**26 Credits are required for graduation.**

**English, Science, Math and Social Studies**—in general 4, Credits are required for each subject. **Foreign Language** – 2 Credits, **Technology** -1 Credit, **Fine Arts** -1 Credits, **Physical Education**– 1 Credit, **Health**-1 semester or **Life Nutrition Wellness** -1 year and **Speech** - 1 Semester. Furthermore, **4 Elective credits to be determined by the students Endorsement Selection.**

## Registration Information

Students who are **NEW to EPISD**, (This includes private school students.), will need the following: Birth Certificate, Social Security Card, Shot Record, Current Utility Bill, School Records and Parent I.D.

Those students who are **Transferring from another EPISD School** will need a Current Utility Bill, Parent I.D. and Withdrawal/Transcript form.

## Student Parking On Campus

Students who drive or ride a motor vehicle to school must have the approval of an Assistant Principal to park in any school parking area. Parking stickers are available during registration at no charge.

Skateboards and scooters are not recognized as a department of Publics Safety Transportation Device. Therefore, ride them to and from school at your own risk.

**Community Service Hours (30) are required for every student every year in order to meet graduation requirements. Please log hours into the EPISD website at [episd.org](http://episd.org).**

## Drop off and Pick up Zones

Special Education Busses pick up and drop off in the parking lot on Champions Place. All other buses pick up and drop off in the Agriculture Parking lot in front of the Greenhouse. Parents can use the area in front of "D" building to drop off students.

For further information about Coronado High School please visit our webpage at [www.coronado.episd.org](http://www.coronado.episd.org)



# Coronado High School



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El Paso, Texas 79912  
(915) 236-2000

### Principal

Angela S. Henderson

### Assistant Principals

Edwin Barber  
Ronald Dentinger  
Robert Rivera  
Deborah Jones  
Carlos A. Gomez  
Grace Garcia-Runkles G&I

### Mission Statement

*To advance the academic, artistic, emotional, physical, and social education of every student in order to develop productive citizens.*

## Activities

Homecoming-All students are welcome to join in homecoming. This includes the football game on Friday night, the Dance on Saturday night and a parade. Mums for girls and boutonnières for boys will be sold by PTSA.

Clubs and Organizations-All students are encouraged to join clubs and organizations on campus. For example:

- Student council is a great way to get involved in school activities.
- Physics Club-Learn how to create models and then 3D print them.

Prom-Juniors and Seniors can purchase tickets to prom and invite an underclassman as a guest. Prom tickets are sold 2 weeks prior to prom.

Athletic Events-There are a myriad of events on campus and off. Tickets can be purchased the day of the event at the main gate. Football tickets can be purchase up to a week in advance at the business office.

Thunderfest: Will take place in the fall; includes rides, booths, food trucks, a DJ and much more.

Fine Arts and Digital Media: Excellence in both programs that will continue to grow.

ACADEC: Academic Decathlon—not for the weak minded. CHS has one of the best teams in the country.

## Attendance

1. Freshmen must remain all day on campus, including lunch periods, unless signed out by a parent/guardian in the attendance office.
2. Students of any age (including 18 and over) must be signed out in the attendance office prior to 3:30 p.m., since after this time we are not able to send for them.
3. Any absence must be excused within five school days.
4. Doctor's notes must be given to the attendance office within five school days of the actual absence.
5. If a student is leaving during school hours for a medical appointment, the parent/guardian must write a note and have the student bring the note to the attendance office before school the morning of the appointment. Only after the note is verified by the attendance office will the student be allowed sign out and be given a pass to leave early. It is critical that parents/guardians ensure we have a current phone number for verification purposes as this policy will be strictly enforced. Parent or guardian verification is necessary in order to leave campus.
6. The school nurse must clear any ill student during the school day, including lunch: For example, any student who contacts a parent to be picked up without the school nurse's authorization will be marked as an unexcused absence.

## Coronado High School Parent Connection

To call in absences, dial 581-3316

Press: #

Press: 3

Then the answering service will come on.

Please have the following:

Name

ID Number

Reason for Absence

Date of Absence

Relationship of the person  
calling in absence.

Parent Portal/Student Portal are great ways to contact teachers, check on grades and attendance.



International Baccalaureate Programme  
Coronado High School

*Coronado has been an International Baccalaureate (I.B.) School since January of 2000. I.B. is an academic program for students focusing on critical analysis, creative thinking, service learning with an international perspective. This program prepares students for success in a global society.*

*For more information, please contact Nancy Rivera-IB Coordinator at (915)236-2015.*

Agriculture Program: CHS is the only school in EPISD with a complete Agriculture Science Program. FFA makes a positive difference in the lives of student by developing their potential for premier leadership, personal growth and career success through agricultural education.