



HIGH SCHOOL PROFILE

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SANTA CRUZ
COOPERATIVE SCHOOL

SCCS MISSION

**At SCCS we cultivate
LIFELONG LEARNERS**
who are critical and creative thinkers,
**PRINCIPLED LEADERS AND
COMPASSIONATE
global citizens**

SCCS VISION

**The Jaguar Community
SUPPORTS, INSPIRES
and CHALLENGES
every MIND and HEART
to reach their full
POTENTIAL**

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**SCCS
2024-2025**
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OUR SCHOOL

Founded in 1959 Santa Cruz Cooperative School is a private, coeducational day school that offers a rigorous college preparatory program leading to American and Bolivian high school diplomas. The SCCS curriculum is aligned to the Common Core and NGSS Standards. The language of instruction is English, other than in foreign language courses, and is offered to students from PK – 12th.

ACCREDITATION

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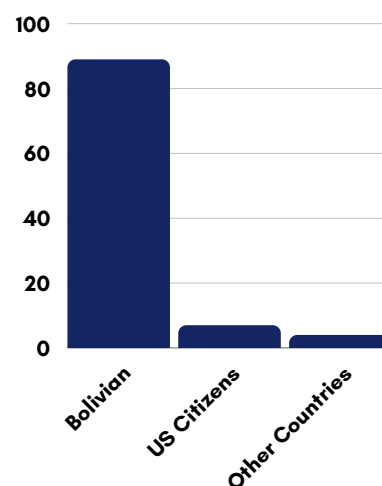
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SCCS LEARNER PROFILE

PK- 12th with 696 total students – 11% has double citizenship

- SCCS students strive to be inquirers, critical thinkers and problem solvers who cultivate curiosity, develop research skills, evaluate information critically, construct meaningful knowledge and apply it in the real world;
- Collaborators and leaders with strong cultural, global and environmental awareness who develop strong interpersonal and team-related skills, work autonomously and with others, learn from each other and contribute to the learning of others;
- Effective communicators who express themselves confidently in more than one language and who understand and are able to communicate ideas in writing, verbally and digitally under the consideration of perspectives of other individuals and groups;
- Creative and innovative learners who identify opportunities of scientific, economic and social growth and who independently and cooperatively explore and generate new ideas and strategies to become ambassadors of change.

SCCS Student Nationalities

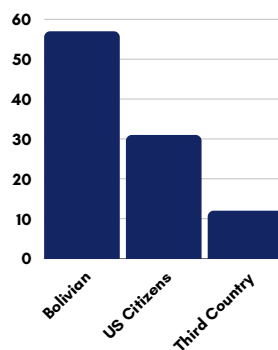


SCHOOL CALENDAR

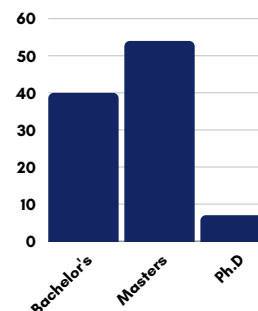
The academic year comprises 180 days of instruction from August to June of each calendar year. On-campus classes are held from 7:45 am. to 3:10 pm. Enrichment and elective programs are available to all high school students. Extracurricular activities are offered in the afternoons and on weekends.

FACULTY

SCCS Faculty Nationalities



SCCS Faculty Degrees 2024-25



SPECIAL PROGRAMS, ELECTIVES AND EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES AT SCCS

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GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

To obtain the Bolivian High School Diploma students must complete the following courses from 9th to 12th grade: Mathematics, English, Spanish Language and Literature, Biology, Physics, Chemistry, Psychology, Philosophy, History, Social Sciences, Civics, Geography, Physical Education, Music, Art, and Ethics/Morality.

American High School Diploma

English:	4 credits
Mathematics:	3 credits
Social Studies*:	3 credits
Science:	3 credits
Foreign Language:	2 credits
Physical Education	2 credits
Technology:	1.0 credit
Senior Project:	0.5 credits
Career Planning	0.5 credits
Electives:	6 credits

Bolivian High School Diploma

Spanish/Native Language:	4 credits
Mathematics:	5 credits
Social Studies:	6.5 credits
Biology/Geography:	4 credits
Physics/Chemistry:	3.5 credits
Foreign Language:	2 credits
Psychology/Philosophy	2 credits
Art / Music	4 credits
Physical Education	2 credits
Ethics / Morality	2 credits
Science, Technology, Production:	6 credits

* must include World History I/II, US History, US Government.

Important: For the completion of the US High School Diploma credits are based on a predetermined number of hours (1 credit = 120 hours of study).



GRADE EQUIVALENCIES GPA EQUIVALENTS ACCORDING TO COLLEGE BOARD

A+	97 - 100%	GPA 3.88 - 4.00	(4.0*)	C+	77 - 79 %	GPA 3.08 - 3.16	(2.3*)
A	93 - 96 %	GPA 3.72 - 3.84	(4.0*)	C	73 - 76 %	GPA 2.92 - 3.04	(2.0*)
A-	90 - 92 %	GPA 3.60 - 3.68	(3.7*)	C-	70 - 72 %	GPA 2.80 - 2.88	(1.7*)
B+	87 - 89 %	GPA 3.48 - 3.56	(3.3*)	D+	67 - 69 %	GPA 2.68 - 2.76	(1.3*)
B	83 - 86 %	GPA 3.32 - 3.44	(3.0*)	D	65 - 66 %	GPA 2.52 - 2.64	(1.0*)
B-	80 - 82 %	GPA 3.20 - 3.28	(2.7*)	F	0 - 59 %	GPA 0.00 - 2.36	(0.0*)

STANDARDIZED TESTS

In the 2023-2024 school year, 43 seniors participated in SAT test administrations on campus. The average scores for Evidence-Based Reading and Writing for the Class of 2024 was 548 and for Math 531, with 84% meeting the ERW and 64% the Math benchmarks.

ADVANCED PLACEMENT PROGRAM

The AP program includes SCCS's most rigorous curriculum offerings. Of our students in grades 10-12, 50% were enrolled in at least one of the following AP courses during the 2024-2025 school year:

- AP English Language & Composition
- AP English Literature & Composition
- AP Spanish Language & Culture
- AP Spanish Literature & Culture
- AP Statistics
- AP World History
- AP Online Courses
- AP Biology
- AP Physics

ADVANCE PLACEMENT EQUITY & EXCELLENCE

In 2024, 91 SCCS students took 189 AP exams: 25% of scores were 4 or above, and 12% were a 5. Students recorded fifteen 5s and thirty-six 4s. 59% of AP test-takers scored 3 or higher. 23 students were named AP scholars: 10 AP scholars, 5 AP scholars with honor and 8 AP scholars with distinction.



GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS AND ACADEMIC CREDITS 2024 - 2025

Subjects	SCCS Courses with US graduation credit		AP Program
English	English 9	English 11	AP English Lang 11
	Public Speaking 9	English 12	AP English Lit 12
	English 10		
Math	Algebra I	BPFL Math 10	AP Calculus AB 12
	Algebra II - 10/11	Precalculus 11/12	AP Statistics 11/12
	Geometry - 9/10	Calculus 12 (1.0)	
Science & Tech	Integrated Science 9	Chemistry 11	AP Biology 11/12
	Biology 10	Physics 12	AP Chem 11/12
	Coding 10	Video Game Design 9-12	AP Computer Sc. A 11/12
	Science Lab 9-12	STEM 9-12 Innovation	AP Physics 12
Social Studies	Individuals & Soc 9	US History 11	AP World History 10
	Human Rights 9	Philosophy 11	AP Psychology 11/12
	Psychology 9	Business 11/12	
	World History 10	Economics & US	
Modern Language	Spanish 9	Spanish 11	AP Spanish Language 10
	Spanish 10	Spanish 12	AP Spanish Literature 12
Creative Arts	Theater Arts 9		AP Studio Arts 11/12
	Concert Band 9/10	Culinary Arts 9-12	
	Art 9/10	Wind Ensemble 11/12	
	Yearbook/Graphic Design		
Health & PE	PE 9/10	Wellness & Nutrition 11/12	
	PE 11/12		
Additional Courses	Academy 9		
	Teaching Aid Program 10-12		
	Career Planning 11/12		
	Model United Nations		
	SAT Preparation		

AP School Current Year Score Summary 2024

Subject Totals	1	2	3	4	5	Total Exams
2-D Art and Design		1	1			2
3-D Art and Design		3	2			5
Biology	1	4	5			10
Calculus AB	2	4	3	2	3	14
Chemistry		2	7	3	1	13
Computer Science A	2	2	1	4	2	11
English Language and Composition	3	11	2	5		21
English Literature and Composition	1	2	4	2	3	12
Psychology	8	5	1	5	2	21
Spanish Language and Culture		2	13	7		22
Spanish Literature and Culture		2	6	3		11
Statistics	10	4	3		1	18
World History: Modern	2	4	8	7	1	22

5-Year AP School Summary - Scores + 4					
	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
Total AP students	59	74	77	82	91
Number of exams	123	126	156	152	189
AP students with +3 scores	45	45	50	53	60
% of AP students with +3 scores	76.27	60.81	64.94	64.63	65.93

CLASS OF 2024 MATRICULATION DESTINATIONS

UNIVERSITY ACCEPTANCES FOR THE CLASSES OF 2022, 2023 & 2024

***Boldface type** indicates where SCCS students have matriculated

North America

- Alfred University
- **American University**
- **Arizona State University**
- **Ashland University**
- Babson College
- Baylor University
- **Bentley University**
- Binghamton University
- **Boston College**
- Boston University
- Bowdoin College
- Brown University
- Bryant University
- Bucknell University
- Carleton College
- Carnegie Mellon University
- Case Western Reserve University
- Chapman University
- Claremont McKenna College
- Clemson University
- Colby College
- Colgate University
- College of the Holy Cross
- College of William and Mary
- Colorado College
- **Columbia University**
- Concordia University
- **Cornell University**
- Dartmouth College
- **Davidson College**
- Denison University
- Drexel University
- Duke University
- Durham University
- **Eastern Arizona College**
- Emory University
- Fashion Institute of Technology
- Flagler College
- Florida Atlantic University
- Florida Gulf Coast University
- **Florida International University**
- Florida State University
- Fordham University
- Franklin and Marshall College
- George Mason University
- George Washington University
- Georgetown University
- **Georgia Institute of Technology**
- Goucher College
- Hamilton College
- Harvard University
- Haverford College
- High Point University
- Hofstra University
- Hult International Business School
- Illinois Institute of Technology
- Indiana Institute of Technology
- **Indiana University**
- **Indiana University Bloomington**
- James Madison University
- **Johns Hopkins University**
- Johnson & Wales University-Providence
- Kansas State University
- Kenyon College
- Lafayette College
- Lehigh University
- Lesly University
- Louisiana State University
- Loyola Marymount University
- Loyola University Chicago
- **Loyola University New Orleans**
- **Lynn University**
- McGill University
- Middlebury College
- **New York University**
- Newcastle University
- North Carolina State University
- **Northeastern University**
- Northwestern University
- Nova Southeastern University
- Oberlin College of Arts and Sciences
- Pennsylvania State University - Abington Campus
- Pennsylvania State University - Altoona
- Pennsylvania State University - Berks
- **Pennsylvania State University - University Park**
- Pitzer College
- **Pomona College**
- Princeton University
- **Purdue University**
- Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute
- Rhodes College
- Rice University
- Saint Leo University
- Saint Louis University Madrid
- Saint Mary's College of California
- Santa Clara University
- **Santa Fe College**
- Savannah College of Art and Design
- Skidmore College
- Smith College
- Southern Methodist University
- Southwestern University
- St. Edward's University
- Stanford University
- Stevens Institute of Technology
- Suffolk University
- Swarthmore University
- Syracuse University
- Texas A&M University
- **Texas Christian University**
- **Texas Tech University**
- The Catholic University of America
- The College of Creative Studies
- The Ohio State University
- The Pennsylvania State University-Penn State Fayette-Eberly
- **The University of British Columbia, Vancouver**
- The University of Texas at Austin
- Trinity University
- **Tufts University**
- **Tulane University**
- Union College - New York
- University of Alabama
- University of Arizona
- **University of Arkansas**
- University of Calgary
- University of California Berkley
- University of California Los Angeles
- University of California Santa Barbara
- University of California Santa Cruz
- University of California, Berkley
- University of California, Davis
- University of California, Irvine
- University of California, Los Angeles
- University of California, Merced
- University of California, Riverside
- University of California, San Diego
- University of Central Florida
- University of Chicago
- University of Cincinnati
- University of Denver
- University of Edinburgh
- **University of Florida**

- University of Hartford
- **University of Houston**
- University of Illinois at Urbana Champaign
- University of Iowa
- University of Maryland
- University of Massachusetts, Boston
- University of Massachusetts, Amherst
- **University of Miami**
- University of Michigan Ann Arbor
- University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill
- University of North Florida
- **University of Notre Dame**
- University of Pennsylvania
- University of Richmond
- University of San Diego
- University of San Francisco
- University of South Carolina
- **University of South Florida**
- University of Southern California
- University of Texas Dallas
- University of Texas, Austin
- University of Toronto
- University of Vermont
- University of Virginia
- University of Washington
- University of Wisconsin, Madison
- Vanderbilt University
- Vassar College
- Villanova University
- Virginia Commonwealth University
- **Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University (Virginia Tech)**
- Virginia Wesleyan University
- Wake Forest University
- Washington University in St. Louis
- West Virginia University
- Whitman College
- Williams College
- Yale University

Europe

- Bocconi University
- Cesar Ritz Colleges
- **EADA Business School Barcelona**
- **EAE Business School**
- Erasmus University College
- Escuela Superior de Administracion y Direccion de Empresas ESADE
- EU Business School, Barcelona
- **IE University**
- IE University, Madrid
- IE University, Segovia
- **Imperial College London**
- John Cabot University, Rome
- King's College London
- **Universidad Europea**
- University College London
- University College Utrecht
- University of Amsterdam
- **University of Manchester**
- **University of Navarra**
- University of St. Andrews

South America

- **FAZU (Faculdades Associadas de Uberaba)**
- **International University of Santa Cruz**
- **Pontifical Catholic University of Argentina**
- Torcuato Di Tella University
- **Universidad Argentina de la Empresa (UADE)**
- **University of Palermo**
- **UPSA Universidad Privada de Santa Cruz de la Sierra**
- USP - Universidade de Sao Paulo