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## SCHOOL PROFILE 2024-2025

Ripon High School serves the rural community of Ripon, a town of over 15,000 located in California's culturally diverse and agriculturally rich Central Valley. Ripon Unified School District has five K-8 schools that feed into Ripon High. Moderate growth in the area is expected to impact the school, increasing enrollment and diversity. Since the 2000-2001 school year, district enrollment has increased over 5% with the enrollment of Ripon High, increasing over 6% in that same time period. The current enrollment of over 1000 represents increasingly diverse ethnic and socio-economic groups with a wide range of language skills and academic abilities. Nearly half (47%) of the student population is Caucasian, with the remaining students Hispanic (39%), Asian (6%), and other (8%). RHS has produced quality academic results with students for many years. Our A.P.I. scores have been among the top scores in San Joaquin County for over 15 years.

### STUDENTS AND FACULTY FOR THE 2024-2025 ACADEMIC YEAR:

Total Enrollment.....	1052	Administrators.....	3
Class of 2025.....	261	Instructors.....	52
Class of 2026.....	246	School Counselors.....	2.75
Class of 2027.....	279	Classified/Support Staff.....	30
Class of 2028.....	266		

### RHS Graduation Requirements:

Students must complete the following category requirements, in addition to 70 elective credits, for a total of 250 credits to receive a diploma from Ripon High School.

English	40 credits
Math	30 credits
Social Science	35 credits
Science	30 credits
Fine Arts/LOTE	10 credits
Vocational Arts	10 credits
Health	5 credits
Physical Education	20 credits

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## SCHOOL MISSION

The Mission of the Ripon High School Community is to promote the success of every student. To accomplish this, Ripon High School expects that: 1) All students will be proficient at grade level standards. 2) All students will be good citizens who work together with pride and respect. 3) All instruction will be to the standards. 4) Assessment of student progress will be on-going, with instructional modifications based on current data and research-based practice. 5) Our staff and community will work together effectively for student success.

## SCHOOL VISION

Ripon High School is a safe, supportive school that focuses on strong academics. Respect, accountability, and integrity are the core elements in encouraging and preparing our students for productive lives. We have high expectations and provide a wide range of activities that our students enjoy. Our students communicate effectively, making full use of technological resources and strive to achieve their highest potential.

## ACADEMIC WEIGHTING AND GRADING

The courses weighted at Ripon High School are approved honors and advanced placement courses through the University of California and State University systems. A student can earn one extra grade point for approved honors and advanced placement courses when a C or above is earned. Currently, we offer credit, but not letter grades for teacher assistant classes or athletic sports since they are not curriculum based classes. This offers a realistic GPA and Class Rank based on curriculum courses, and does not serve as a disadvantage to students that play more sports than others.

## CLASS RANKINGS

Class rankings are based on a weighted scale for courses taken from 9th through 12th grade. Valedictorian and Salutatorian are awarded to the top two students, after their 7th semester, with the highest weighted 9-12th grade point average.

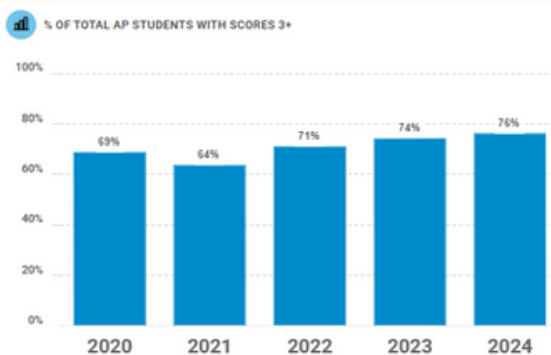
## ADVANCED PLACEMENT/HONOR COURSES

AP/Honors classes are available in grades 9-12 and include these academic disciplines: English, Mathematics, Science, Social Science, Foreign Languages, Computer Science, and Visual and Performing Arts. College prep courses are coded “P” or “H” (Honors weighted) on the transcripts. AP and Honors courses include:

- AP Biology
- AP Calculus
- AP Computer Science A
- AP English Language
- AP English Literature
- AP Environmental Science
- AP Human Geography
- AP Music Theory (alt. years)
- AP Spanish Language
- AP Spanish Literature
- AP US Government
- AP US History
- AP World History
- Biology (H)
- English II (H)

## ADVANCED PLACEMENT SCORES

Every student who enrolls in an AP Course at RHS are encouraged to take the AP exam. Financial assistance is offered to students that qualify, through the AP program and RHS. Currently, our campus offers 13 AP courses, based on interest, which makes us competitive to large high schools. Below is our 5 year summary results and also our detailed 2023 results.



	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
Total AP Students	230	198	228	285	269
Number of Exams	360	318	379	491	480
AP Students with Scores 3+	158	126	162	211	205
% of Total AP Students with Scores 3+	68.70	63.64	71.05	74.04	76.21

Totals for this view	1	2	3	4	5	Total Exams
Number of Exams	33	100	136	156	55	480
Percentage of Total Exams	7%	21%	28%	33%	11%	100%
Number of AP Students	33	90	112	118	42	

