

## School Profile 2019-2020

### School and Community

Established in 1883, ICA Cristo Rey Academy is a Dominican Catholic college preparatory that empowers girls from underserved communities to become confident young women able to realize their full potential. By providing an excellent academic curriculum, a unique corporate work study experience and the support of our spiritual community, we prepare students for a life of faith, purpose and service.

### Graduation Requirements

*All students take 35 credits per semester; 280 credits are required for graduation*

Social Science	30 credits
English	40 credits
Mathematics	40 credits
Science	40 credits
World Language	30 credits
VPA	10 credits
Religious Studies	40 credits
CWSP	40 credits
Phys Ed/Health	20 credits

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### Honors/Advanced Placement Courses

#### English

Honors English II  
Honors English III  
AP English Language  
AP English Literature

#### Social Studies

AP U.S. Government  
AP U.S. History  
AP World History

#### Mathematics

Honors Algebra II  
Honors Precalculus  
AP Calculus

#### Science

Honors Biology  
AP Chemistry

#### World Languages

AP Spanish Language  
AP Spanish Literature

#### College Prep

AP Seminar

**NOTE:** ICA Cristo Rey Academy students attend classes four days per week and work in corporate offices one day per week. All students take six courses per semester in addition to the Corporate Work Study Program (CWSP). Because we are a small school, conflicts arise, and not all qualified students are able to take all Honors/AP courses. Prior to the 2017-2018 school year, when the school rebranded, the school was known formally as Immaculate Conception Academy.

### Grading and Class Rank

The calculation of a student's academic standing is based on weighted GPA and includes all courses. All honors courses are UC approved and receive an extra point in GPA, except H Algebra II. Official grade reporting occurs twice per year with class rank based on weighted semester grades. Our lowest passing mark is a D-. GPA is calculated on a 4.0 scale, with .3 deducted for a minus and .3 added for a plus.

**Our current grade scale is below.**

A 93-100	B+ 87-89	B- 80-82	C 73-76	D+ 67-69	D- 60-62
A- 90-92	B 83-86	C+ 77-79	C- 70-72	D 63-66	F 59 and below

### Student Program Highlights

- **CNA** - A partner program with University of San Francisco School of Nursing to earn a Certified Nursing Assistant Certificate before graduation (a-g approved)
- **Code Nation** – Students have the opportunity to take a computer coding elective with the opportunity to continue in a second year with Code Nation (a-g approved)

# The Cristo Rey Network & Our Corporate Work Study Model

The Cristo Rey Network® is the only network of high schools in the country that integrate four years of rigorous college preparatory academics with four years of professional work experience through the Corporate Work Study Program. Through an innovative approach to inner-city education students from economically-disadvantaged families are equipped with the knowledge, character, and skills to become lifelong contributors to society. The model is primarily funded through partnerships with investors and the corporations for whom the students work. Some of the nation's largest corporations, such as Hewlett Packard, Gap, Inc., NASA, Stanford University, and Salesforce, are network corporate partners. Assigned to a 4-member job-sharing team, each student works 5 days per month to cover a standard 40-hour work week. The academic schedule is structured so that a student never misses class time.

## CRISTO REY NETWORK STUDENT PROFILE

- Nearly 12,000 students projected for this year, in 37 schools, with over 15,000 alumni
- Average family income of \$37,000
- 97% students of color
- Over 75% students qualify for the federal free/reduced lunch program

## ICA CRISTO REY ACADEMY STUDENT PROFILE

- Latino 57% Asian 18% Multi-Ethnic 12%  
African American 8% Pacific Islander 2% White 3%
- Over 65% of students are awarded financial assistance
  - Over 85% are First-Generation College-Bound students
  - ICA Cristo Rey's tuition is \$2,900 per year

## COLLEGE AND UNIVERSITY ATTENDANCE

Class of 2019 | 90 Graduates

<b>Percentage admitted to four-year college</b>	<b>97%</b>
<b>Percentage at four-year college</b>	<b>74%</b>
<b>Percentage at two-year college</b>	<b>25%</b>

## Colleges and Universities ICA Cristo Rey Academy Graduates have attended in recent years:

### University of California

Berkeley  
Davis  
Irvine  
Los Angeles  
Merced  
Riverside  
San Diego  
Santa Barbara  
Santa Cruz

### California State University

Cal Poly Pomona  
Cal Poly San Luis Obispo  
Channel Islands  
East Bay  
Long Beach  
Monterey Bay  
Sacramento  
San Diego  
San Francisco  
San Jose  
Sonoma  
Stanislaus

### CA Private Schools

Concordia University, Irvine  
Dominican University of CA  
Holy Names University  
Menlo College  
Mount Saint Mary's Univ.  
Mills College  
Notre Dame de Namur Univ.  
Pacific Union College  
Santa Clara University  
St. Mary's College of CA  
University of the Pacific  
University of San Diego  
University of San Francisco  
Whittier College

### CCCs

Chabot College  
City College SF  
Los Medanos College  
Ohlone College  
Skyline College

### Out of State/ Intl

Arizona State University  
Berea College  
Concordia University, Irvine  
Georgetown University  
Hawaii Pacific University  
Howard University  
Mount Holyoke College  
Nevada State College  
North Carolina Central Univ.  
Paul Quinn College  
Portland State University  
Seattle Pacific University  
St. John's University  
University of Arizona  
University of Nevada, Reno  
University of Portland  
Universidad de Puerto Rico,  
Rio Piedras  
Universidad La Salle, Costa Rica  
Xavier University of LA