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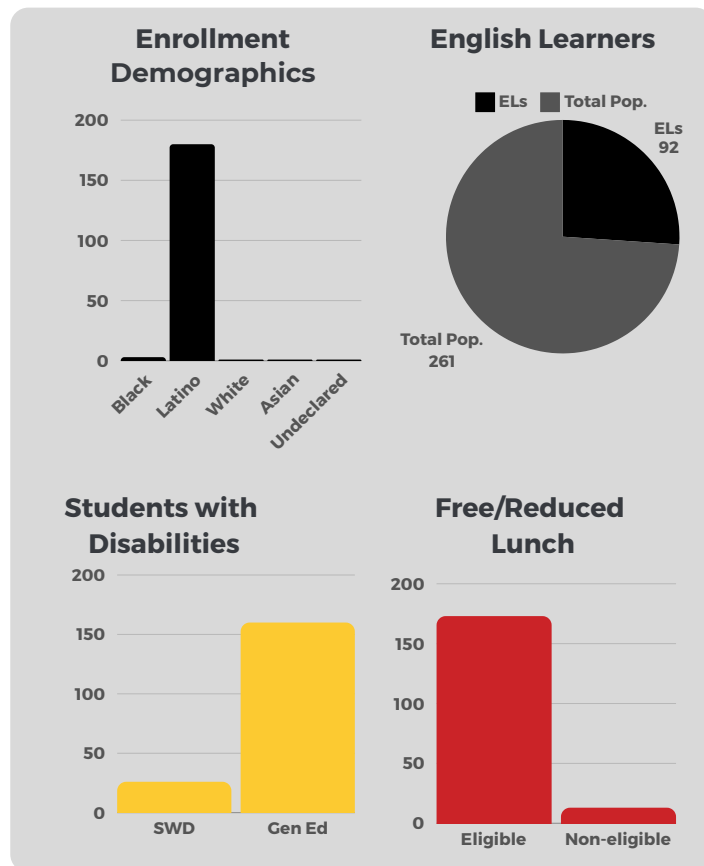


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Vista Meridian Global Academy (VMGA), established in 2023-2024, is dedicated to developing globally competent citizens through a comprehensive global education curriculum. This global academy focuses on projects that revolve around the United Nations' 17 Sustainable Development Goals, aiming to instill a sense of global responsibility and awareness in its students. VMGA is a WASC-accredited institution and a member of the International Studies School Network (ISSN).

In 2023-2024, VMGA served grades 9-11 with a student enrollment of 186. The academy employs a mastery-based grading system where students demonstrate their knowledge of course-specific standards, ensuring a deep understanding of the material.

Students at Vista Meridian follow a block schedule of three courses a day including Dual Enrollment and/or CTE courses, complemented by a Global Hour advisory period. This unique structure allows for in-depth exploration of subjects and personalized learning experiences. Graduating seniors are required to defend the work they have curated in their global education portfolios, showcasing their learning journey and readiness for having a global impact on their world.



24-25 Honors/AP/Dual Enrollment Courses Offered

In 2024-2025, Vista Meridian offered the following Honors, Advanced Placement, and Dual Enrollment ♦ course options to the 250 Vista Students on an alternating schedule due to small class sizes.

HISTORY

AP US History

MATH

Honors Pre-Calc
AP Calculus

COLLEGE PREP ELECTIVE

Lifelong Understanding & Self-Development ♦
College Learning Skills ♦
Intro to Psychology ♦
Intro to Ethnic Studies ♦

CAREER TECHNICAL EDUCATION

Fundamentals of Business ♦
Intro to Entrepreneurship ♦
Principles of Management ♦
Principles of Marketing ♦
Career/Life Planning & Personal Exploration ♦
Intro to Automotive ♦

English

English 9H
English 10H
English 11H
AP Literature

VAPA

History of Rock
Music ♦

24-25 CTE Pathways



Global Business & Entrepreneurship



PLTW
Biomedical
Science



PLTW
Computer
Science



Music
Production



Transportation/Electric
Vehicle Technician





Class of 2025 Graduation Requirements

Senior Class of 2025: 64

| Subject | Foundational Diploma | Diploma of Distinction |
|---------------|--------------------------|--|
| History | 30 | 30 |
| English | 40 | 40 |
| Math | 30 | 40 |
| Science | 20 | 30 |
| LOTE | 20 or 20 VAPA/CTE | 20 |
| VAPA | 20 or 20 LOTE/CTE | 20 |
| CTE | 20 or 20 VAPA/LOTE | 20 Recommended with completer status |
| PE | 20 | 20 |
| Global Hour | 20 | 20 |
| Electives | 40 | 20 |
| Total Credits | 220 | 240 |

Curriculum & Grading

Vista Meridian courses are year-long courses using mastery-based learning and grading. Students earn levels (4-Advanced, 3-Proficient, 2-Developing, and 1-Emerging, and NE-No evidence). Students have multiple opportunities per year to demonstrate mastery in all standards. For the purposes of college eligibility, students' standards grades are converted to traditional letter grades for their transcripts using the Marzano grading scale calculation method.

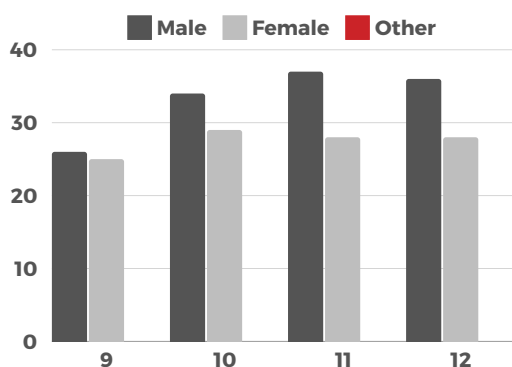
The Vista Meridian Global Academy transcript reports weighted (5.0 scale) and unweighted (4.0 scale) grade point averages. Advanced placement, honors, and dual enrollment courses are valued one point higher in the weighted GPA provided the student earns a C or above.

Grade Reporting & Transcripts

- A-Outstanding achievement
- B-Good achievement
- C-Satisfactory Achievement
- D-Minimum Achievement
- F-Failure to demonstrate satisfactory achievement
- AP-Advanced Placement
- * Dual enrollment course

***Vista Meridian does not provide class rank.**

24-25 School Enrollment



2024-2025 Snapshot

Vista Meridian A-G List

- Formerly known as Vista Heritage Global Academy
- Percentage of First-Generation college grads: 84%
- Total number of college credits earned: TBD business class
- A-G Completion Rate as of Spring, 2024: 60%
- VMGA Seniors must successfully defend their global learning journey with an end-of-term global learning portfolio defense.
- Programs: Dual Enrollment, Advanced Placement, CIF Athletics, Project Lead The Way Biomedical, Project Lead The Way Computer Science, International Business
- # of Certificated Teaching & Support Staff: 19
- 100% Credentialed in course content
- 79% of staff possess master's degrees

