

# **Chico Unified School** District Chico, CA



- Population 94,000
- Located 1.5 Hours North of Sacramento
- Summer/Fall Warm and Temperate
- Winter/Spring Cool and Dry
- Enrollment Restrictions None
- Minimum TOEFL 45
- Minimum IELTS 5.0
- Great location in northern California,
  Diploma Year Offered YES close to nature and cities

- Has 20 AP courses available for students
- Academically competitive district with several California Gold Ribbon schools
- Grades at School 9-12
- Total Students in School 1,700
- Teacher/Student Ratio 1:23
- Choose High School In District NO
- High Schools Accepting Students 2

CHICO UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

SACRAMENTO closest airport: SMF

### DISTRICT/SCHOOL PROFILE

Found in northern California, Chico Unified School District is known for academic excellence. International students are eligible to attend one of two high schools within the district and are encourage to join school activities and clubs.

### **FACILITIES**

The district offers a wide array of facilities at each high school campus. They offer auditoriums, libraries, science and computer labs, sports fields, tracks, and more. The district regularly makes updates to their schools to ensure they are modern and is currently working on a new high school gym project for one of their high schools.

### SPORTS AND ARTS

Chico Unified has a number of teams ranging from cross country to snowboarding. The cross country team has taken part in several championship titles in the last ten years. Art courses at Chico Unified School District are plentiful and fill student interests from photography to band to drawing. The school theater departments are also known to put on drama and musical productions.

### AWARDS AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Several schools within the district have received the California Gold Ribbon School over the last few year with the latest high school receiving it in 2017. Additionally, in the last 10 years, one of the district's three high school cross country teams are 7-time Championship participants for the Eastern Athletic League and the Northern Section CIF.

### COMMUNITY INFORMATION

Chico, in the heart of the Sacramento Valley, is located 1.5 hours north of Sacramento, the capital of California, and about three hours north east of San Francisco. The city gives off a university town vibe and hosts the California State University of Chico. Students will be able to enjoy theater performances, concerts, Friday night music events downtown along with fishing, hiking, kayaking and more! Chico is also within driving distance of both Lake Tahoe and Yosemite National Park.

### **UNIVERSITY ACCEPTANCE RATE 88%**

Partial List of University Acceptances: Baylor University, Brigham Young University, Harvard University, Humboldt State University, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Princeton University, San Diego State University, Stanford University, University of California - Berkeley, University of California - Davis, University of California - Los Angeles, University of Indiana, University of San Diego, University Southern California, Yale University

### **OPTIONS AVAILABLE**

Foreign Languages French, Spanish

Advanced Placement Courses 2D Art and Design, 3D Art and Design, Biology, Calculus AB, Chemistry, Comparative Government and Politics, Drawing, English Language and Composition, English Literature and Composition, Environmental Science, European History, French Language and Culture, Human Geography, Macroeconmics, Microeconomics, Psychology, Spanish Language and Culture, Statistics, US History, World History

Arts 2D Art and Design, 3D Art and Design, A Capella, Art, Band, Ceramics, Choir, Digital Art and Design, Digital Photography and Design, Drawing, Graphic Arts, Guitar, Jazz Ensemble, Media Production, Multimedia, Piano, Studio Art, Technical Theater, Theater, Video Production, Wind Ensemble

### Athletics Boys

Fall Cross Country, Field Hockey, Football, Golf, Tennis Winter Basketball, Ski and Snowboarding, Soccer, Swimming, Volleyball, Wrestling Spring Baseball, Golf, Tennis, Track and Field

#### Athletics Girls

Fall Cross Country, Field Hockey, Golf, Tennis Winter Basketball, Ski and Snowboarding, Soccer, Swimming, Volleyball, Wrestling Spring Baseball, Golf, Softball, Tennis, Track and Field

Extracurricular Activities American Red Cross Club, Art Club, Band, Chess Club, Choir Club, Computer Science Club, Dance Team, Disc Golf, Empowerment Club, French Club, Future Farmers of America, Gay Straight Alliance, HOSA - Future Health Professionals, International Club, Key Club, Math Club, Musical Theater, Robotics Club, Science Club, STEM Club, Student Government

ESL Available/Level YES

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