

PROGRAM QUICK FACTS

BASIS Independent Silicon Valley



An innovative education experience in the tech center of the United States.

What happens when best practices from top education systems in the world, places like Singapore, Finland, and Shanghai, are infused with the creativity and spirit that defines American education? **BASIS Independent Schools!**

Our program, rooted in the liberal arts and sciences, is recognized as the gold standard in preparing students with the content knowledge, critical thinking skills, and creative problem-solving skills that open up a world of possibility, of unlimited potential, in whatever pursuit they seek.

San Jose and Silicon Valley

- › Home of famous tech companies such as Apple, Facebook, Google, and Cisco.
- › Diverse population of innovators in every field from engineering to medicine.
- › Great mix of urban and suburban living, with plenty of opportunities to enjoy the outdoors.
- › Access to a number of cultural and social opportunities such as concerts, sports games, cinemas, and museums.
- › In addition, San Jose has many green parks to safely ride a bicycle or walk with friends and enjoy the blue skies.

Gateway to the Bay Area

BASIS Independent Silicon Valley is a short light-rail ride away from San Francisco, one of the nation's cultural hubs and home to the iconic Golden Gate Bridge.

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Program	The BASIS Curriculum: an advanced, comprehensive liberal arts and sciences program ranked among the best in the United States.
Upper School Location (Grades 6–12):	1290 Parkmoor Ave, San Jose, CA 95126
Type of School	Private, Co-Ed, Non-Religious
Campus Details	Secure, urban/suburban mix
Grades Offered	TK–Grade 12
Teacher/Student Ratio	1:13
Average Class Size	25
Teachers with Advanced Degrees	67%
Advanced Placement (AP) Classes	30
Average AP Pass Rate	98%*
Average AP Score	4.51 (out of 5)*
Average ACT Score	34 (out of 36)*
Average SAT Score	1492 (out of 1600)*
Accreditation	Cognia, NCA CASI
Uniform Requirement	No
Type of Visa	F-1
Admissions Process	Application, Interview, and Exam. See our brochure for more details
Application Deadline	Rolling admissions; decisions are ongoing until program is full
International Student Eligibility	Grades 8–12
Tuition	\$55,000 (2026–2027 School Year)
Student Residence	Homestay (additional fee)

*Score shown is the average for all BASIS Independent Schools.