

**UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA**  
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**California Public High Schools:  
Demographic Characteristics and Progress Indicators**

The following charts are intended to illustrate the demographic characteristics of California's public high schools and graduates, and by comparison, those of admitted students to the University of California.

- Chart 1: Proportion of Regular UC Admits from California Public High Schools, by School Academic Performance Index (API) Quintile, Fall 2003.
- Chart 2: Race/Ethnicity Proportions of Regular UC Admits from California Public High Schools, Fall 2003 Compared with All California Public High School graduates, (2003 estimated).
- Chart 3: Geographic Distribution of Regular UC Admits from California Public High Schools, Fall 2003 Compared with All Public High School Graduates (2002).
- Chart 4: Underrepresented Minorities as a Percentage of California High School Graduates and New UC Freshmen, 1995-2002.
- Chart 5: Median family Income of Regular UC Admits from California Public High Schools, Fall 2003, Compared with Statewide Income Figures, Census 2000
- Chart 6: First Generation to Attend College – Regular UC Admits, Fall 2003, Compared with the Percent of Parents Who Did Not Graduate From College, 2002. (All California Public High Schools by School API Quintile)
- Attachment 1: *Measuring Up: The State-by-State Report Card for Higher Education*, The National Center for Public Policy and Higher Education, 152 North Third Street, Suite 705, San Jose, California 95112, (2002)  
<http://measuringup.highereducation.org/>