

Preparatoria Panamericana

Varonil

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2023-2024 SCHOOL PROFILE

Mission

Preparatoria Panamericana Varonil, created in 1969 as an affiliate to Universidad Panamericana, has the mission to educate individuals in a way that inspires them to seek the truth and commit to it, promoting Christian Humanism and thus contributing to building a better world.

The community

Preparatoria Panamericana Varonil is a Christian high school exclusively for boys, affiliated with the Personal Prelature of the Catholic Church, Opus Dei. It is nestled in the south of Mexico's capital city.

Preparatoria Panamericana serves its 396 students from 10th-12th grade, with a feeling of a close-knit community in such an immense city.

The Academic Curriculum

The academic curriculum of Preparatoria Panamericana Varonil is aligned with the curriculum of the Escuela Nacional Preparatoria (ENP), as authorized by the Universidad Nacional Autónoma de México (UNAM), which is recognized as one of the leading universities in Latin America. Students are required to complete a total of 15 courses in the 10th and 11th grades, and 13 courses in the 12th grade. In the 12th grade, students are categorized into four areas (I-IV) based on their academic interests.

Three distinct academic curricula are offered: full immersion (where 95% of classes are conducted in English), an optional Advanced Placement (AP) program (allowing students to select up to two AP courses per academic year), and the standard UNAM curriculum (where students follow the regular school syllabus).

Grading System

The grading system at Preparatoria Panamericana Varonil employs the traditional scale of 1 to 10. The accompanying chart presents the equivalency of numerical grades to letter grades. Additionally, Advanced Placement (AP) classes receive a weight of 1.5 in the grading scale.

A	9.0 - 10
B	8.0 - 8.9
C	7.0 - 7.9
D	6.0 - 6.9
F	5.9 below

Preparatoria Panamericana Varonil

Class of 2024

Area enrollment

Area I (Physics-Mathematics)

- 42 students

Area II (Health Sciences)

- 13 students

Area III (Social Sciences)

- 58 students

Area IV (Humanities)

- 12 students

International English
Language Testing
System (IELTS) results

- **B1 - 10%**
- **B2 - 56%**
- **C1 - 33%**
- **C2 - 1%**

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AP Courses

Since the 2022-2023 school year Preparatoria Panamericana Varonil began to offer AP courses as part of the school curriculum. AP courses are open to all students however students in all three grades can only take certain courses, due to the equivalency process for their high school diploma.

10th	11th	12th*
Art and Design program (drawing)	Art and Design program (2-D)	Area I <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Calculus AB • Physics 1: algebra based
Computer Science Principles	Biology	Area II <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Psychology • Statistics
English Language and Composition	Chemistry	Area III <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Statistics • Microeconomics
World History: Modern	Computer Science A	Area IV <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • English literature and composition • Spanish literature and language
	Pre-calculus	

*Students can only take the AP courses offered in their area of studies

Extra Curricular Activities

Athletics: Soccer - Basketball - Flag Football - Volleyball - E-games - Tae Kwon Do

Workshops: Communications - Formula 1 - Robotics - Coding/Drones - AP Drawing - Art and Culture - Gastronomy - Legislative - Investments - Bullfighting - Mental Health - Model of United Nations (MUN)

University acceptances

Universidad Panamericana - Universidad Nacional Autónoma de México (UNAM) - Instituto Tecnológico y de Estudios Superiores de Monterrey (ITESM) - Universidad Anáhuac - Instituto Tecnológico Autónomo de México (ITAM) - Universidad Iberoamericana - University of Toronto

