

Information on Local Schools

Monterey County is a vast and diverse as can be seen in its 24 school districts and 134 schools registered with the Monterey County Office of Education. School placement in the county is based on where you live. Families living in military housing will be zoned for the Monterey Peninsula Unified School District (MPUSD), www2.mpusd.k12.ca.us. Families living “off base” and not within the boundaries of MPUSD will most likely be zoned for one of the two closest school districts, Pacific Grove Unified School District, www.pgusd.org, or Carmel Unified School District, www.carmelunified.org. Additionally, there are three public charter schools available nearby for residents of Monterey County. For more information on local public, private or homeschool, please contact your School Liaison Officer at (831)242-6904.

Public Schools Serving the Military Housing Areas on the Monterey Peninsula

Presidio of Monterey/DLI	La Mesa Village	Ord Military Community
Monte Vista Elementary K-5 251 Soledad Drive Monterey, CA 93940 (831)392-3890	La Mesa Elementary School K-5 1 La Mesa Way Monterey, CA 93940 (831) 649-1872	Marshall Elementary K-5 300 Normandy Rd. Seaside, CA 93955 (831) 899-7052
Colton Middle School 6-8 100 Toda Vista St. Monterey, CA 93940 (831) 649-1951	Colton Middle School 6-8 100 Toda Vista St. Monterey, CA 93940 (831) 649-1951	Seaside Middle School 6-8 999 Coe Ave. Seaside, CA 93955 (831) 899-7080
Monterey High School 9-12 101 Hermann Dr. Monterey, CA 93940 (831) 392-3801	Monterey High School 9-12 101 Hermann Dr. Monterey, CA 93940 (831) 392-3801	Seaside High School 9-12 2200 Noche Buena St. Seaside, CA 93955 (831) 899-7028

Enrollment Documents Needed:

1. Proof of address (lease agreement, utility bill, offer for placement)
2. Birth certificate
3. Current immunization record (see back for full list of shots)
4. Name and address of previous school (copy of high school transcripts helpful)
5. Physical exam required for 1st grade entrance, strongly advised for Kindergarten

Vaccinations Required for CA Schools

- DtaP/DTP/TD - 5 doses
- Polio - 4 doses
- MMR - 2 doses
- Hepatitis B – 3 doses
- Varicella - 1 dose

***DtaP booster required for all 7-12th graders starting school year 2011**

Public Charter Schools

Charter schools are public schools and may provide instruction in any grades K-12. A charter school is usually created or organized by a group of teachers, parents and community leaders or a community-based organization, and it is usually sponsored by an existing local public school board or county board of education. Specific goals and operating procedures for the charter school are detailed in an agreement (or “charter”) between the sponsoring board and charter organizers. A charter school is generally exempt from most laws governing school districts, except where specifically noted in the law.

All charter schools in the Monterey Area have winter deadlines for applications. Students accepted via lottery system with remaining students put on a waiting list. Military families who miss the application/lottery deadlines because of move dates will be added to the end of the wait list or admitted if a slot is available at the particular grade level requested.

Dual Language Academy of the Monterey Peninsula Charter School (Previously Marshall West)

225 Normandy Rd.
Seaside Ca. 93955
(831) 899-1100
www2.mpusd.k12.ca.us

International School of Monterey, K-8

1720 Yosemite St.
Seaside, CA 93955
(831) 583-2165
<http://www.ismonterey.org/index3.html>

Monterey Bay Charter School, K-8

1004 B. David Ave.
Pacific Grove, CA 93950
(831) 655-5638
<http://www.mbayschool.org>

Bay View Academy, K-5

PO Box 811
Monterey, CA 93942
(831) 704-6805
<http://www.bayview-academy.org>