



BRENTWOOD

COLLEGE SCHOOL



Where Students Choose to Be
2019/2020



welcome to brentwood

Brentwood is a progressive, co-ed boarding school for Grades 9 to 12 located on a spectacular ocean-front campus on Vancouver Island, BC, Canada.

Since 1923, we have worked diligently to establish a modern, transformative place of learning and leadership, mirroring the educational experience of a small college. Prospective students are drawn to our nurturing boarding environment, our strong university preparatory program and our innovative tripartite approach to scheduling academics, arts and athletics which create unrivaled opportunities for student learning. It is a remarkable place to make lifelong friends while gaining a world-class education. Brentwood is where students choose to be.



VISION

Brentwood will set the standard globally for inspirational and transformative learning.

MISSION

The Brentwood family opens minds and hearts for life.

VALUES

Grit & Joy

student choice

Brentwood provides a modern, West Coast learning experience for global minded students who embrace our values of grit and joy.

Student choice is a unique part of our culture and a deciding factor in who attends the School. This creates a supportive community of students from over 40 countries who gain the independence and skills to succeed in the post-secondary world.

Brentwood by the numbers

of students

557

boarding students

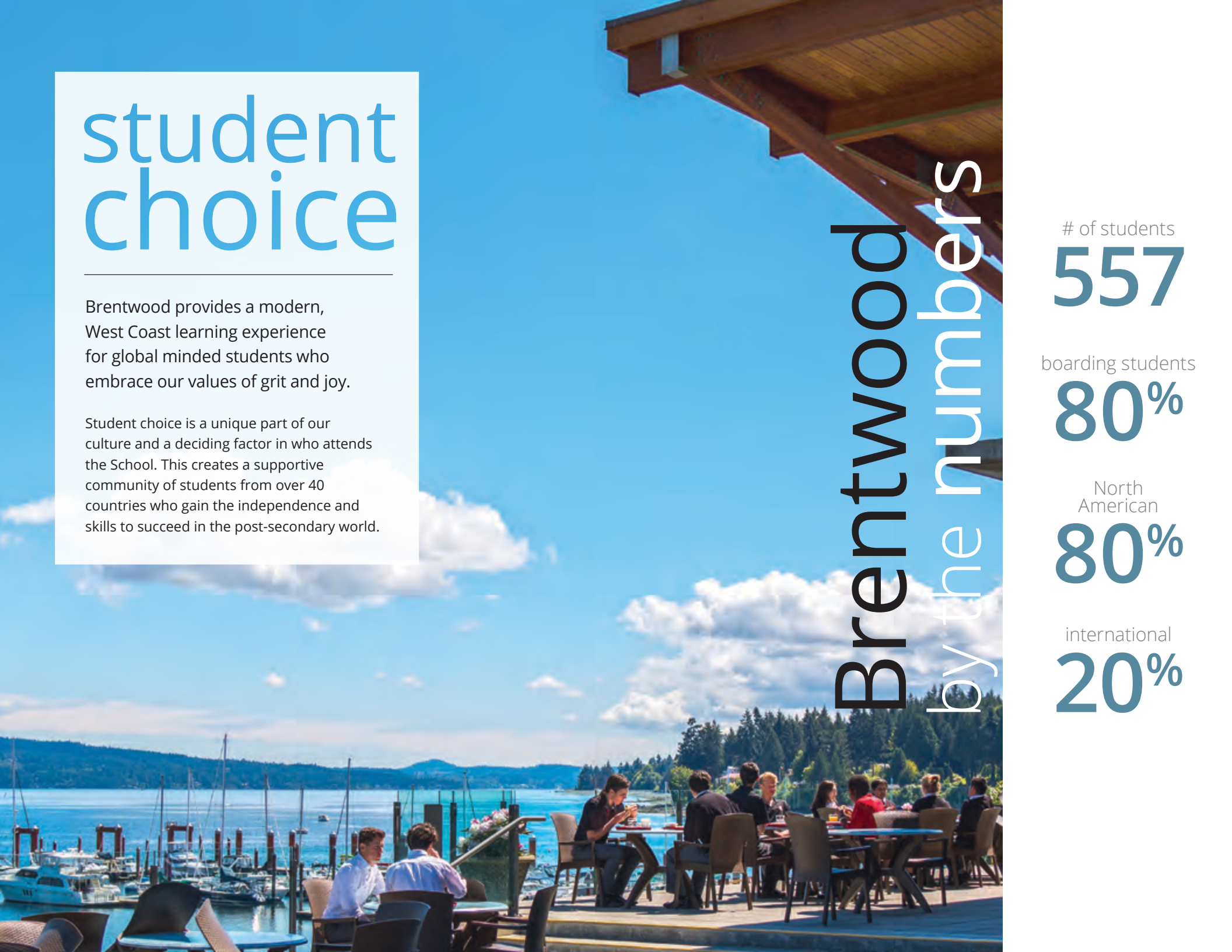
80%

North
American

80%

international

20%



42 Countries of Origin

Where our students come from

Brentwood offers International and American families a Canadian boarding experience with a diverse international community. Our unique orientation process and boarding life program helps our students adjust very quickly to life on a campus vibrant with different cultures.

Australia	Korea, Rep. of
Austria	Macau (China)
Bahamas	Malaysia
Belgium	Mexico
Bermuda	New Zealand
Brunei	Nigeria
Canada	Russia
Cayman Isl.	Saudi Arabia
China	Singapore
Czech Rep.	South Africa
France	Switzerland
Germany	Taiwan
Grenada	Thailand
Hong Kong	Uganda
India	United Kingdom
Indonesia	Ukraine
Iran	U.A.E.
Italy	USA
Japan	Vietnam
Kazakhstan	Zimbabwe
Kenya	

36 nationalities by the numbers

Canadian - 396	Spanish - 2
American - 48	Indian - 2
German - 14	Emiratis - 2
Australian - 9	Bermudian - 2
Mexican - 9	Taiwanese - 2
Thai - 6	Bruneian - 1
Japanese - 6	Austrian - 1
South Korean - 6	Bahamian - 1
Singaporean - 5	Caymanian - 1
Hong Kongese - 5	Czech - 1
Swiss - 4	Macanese - 1
Vietnamese - 4	New Zealander - 1
Kazakh - 4	Zimbabwean - 1
Nigerian - 4	Ukrainian - 1
Russian - 3	French - 1
Ugandan - 3	Grenadian - 1
Chinese - 3	
Malaysian - 2	
Italian - 2	
Kenyan - 2	





boarding

Brentwood is a boarding school, not simply a school with boarding.

This means you are part of a community defined by inclusion, empowerment and surrounded by students who choose to be at our school. In a contemporary setting, surrounded by caring friends and mentors, students grow into independent young adults who develop relationships that last a lifetime and span the globe.



student life

co-educational
50/50

8 boarding houses

teachers living on campus
60%

students : advisor ratio
8:1



tripartite

Brentwood's distinctive tripartite program and schedule is designed to provide students with a timetable that leads to unrivalled opportunities.

It puts academics at the core of a challenging curriculum, while creating opportunities for all students to participate in athletics and the arts.



unique scheduling

Our academic classes occur in the mornings, six days per week, while athletics and arts run on alternate afternoons. This means that along with their academics, students are involved in both arts electives and athletics, allowing them to take full advantage of the many extracurricular opportunities we offer.

Brentwood's unique approach to balancing academics, arts and athletics provided me the opportunity to explore different avenues in each, inspiring me to discover a sense of my own abilities and passions.

Michelle MacLaren '82 (Canada), Director,
Game of Thrones & Breaking Bad

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
8:15 - 9:35 BLOCK A	8:15 - 9:35 BLOCK D	8:15 - 9:25 Student Sleep-In/ Faculty Collaboration	8:15 - 9:35 BLOCK E	8:15 - 9:35 BLOCK C
9:45 - 11:05 BLOCK B	9:45 - 11:05 BLOCK E	9:30 - 10:35 BLOCK B	9:45 - 11:05 BLOCK F	9:45 - 11:05 BLOCK A
		10:35 - 10:50 Break		
11:05 - 11:20 Break	11:05 - 11:20 Break	10:55 - 12:00 BLOCK C	11:05 - 11:20 Break	11:05 - 11:20 Break
11:25 - 11:50 Advisors	11:25 - 11:50 Tutorial		11:25 - 11:50 Assembly	11:25 - 11:50 Tutorial
11:55 - 1:15 BLOCK C	11:55 - 1:15 BLOCK F	12:10 - 1:15 BLOCK A	11:55 - 1:15 BLOCK D	11:25 - 12:45 BLOCK B
1:15 - 2:00 LUNCH				
2:00 - 2:55 ARTS	2:00 - 5:55 ATHLETICS	2:00 - 2:55 ARTS	2:00 - 5:55 ATHLETICS	2:00 - 2:55 ARTS
3:00 - 3:55 ARTS		3:00 - 3:55 ARTS		3:00 - 3:55 ARTS
4:00 - 4:55 ARTS		4:00 - 4:55 ARTS		4:00 - 4:55 ARTS
5:00 - 5:55 ARTS		5:00 - 5:55 ARTS		5:00 - 5:55 ARTS
5:30 - 6:30 DINNER				
7:30 - 9:30 PREP	7:30 - 9:30 PREP	7:30 - 9:30 PREP	7:30 - 9:30 PREP	7:30 - 9:30 PREP

SATURDAY 1	SATURDAY 2	SUNDAY
		From 8am Light Breakfast Available
10:15 - 11:00 BLOCK D	10:15 - 11:00 BLOCK A	10:30 - 12 noon SUNDAY BRUNCH
11:05 - 11:50 BLOCK E	11:05 - 11:50 BLOCK B	
11:55 - 12:40 BLOCK F	11:55 - 12:40 BLOCK C	12 noon - 5:00 SUNDAY FREE TIME / INTERHOUSE
12:40 - 2:00 LUNCH		
2:00 - 5:55 ATHLETICS	2:00 - 5:55 ATHLETICS	
5:30 - 6:30 DINNER		
7:30 - 9:30 Evening Activity	7:30 - 9:30 Evening Activity	9:30 pm Sign into Houses

weekly
time table



academics

Brentwood has a long tradition of seeking new and innovative ways to enhance learning for each student.

The pursuit of academic discovery and growth is a fundamental aim of the School. To support these goals we have advanced learning facilities and low student:teacher ratios. Our academic curricula in all subjects and at all grades, including our Advanced Placement (AP) curriculum, reflect our mission as a university preparatory school.

Brentwood offered me a truly unique high school experience. While I came in expecting the high calibre of academics to be the primary benefit, I left having acquired something even more valuable: a set of unbelievably supportive peers and teachers who enabled me to soar in my post-graduation life.

Yasyf Mohamedali '13 (Canada), MIT,
Facebook Europe Intern



course selections

AP Courses:

AP Art History
AP Biology
AP Calculus AB
AP Chemistry
AP Comparative Government & Politics
AP Computer Science Principles
AP English Language & Composition
AP English Literature & Composition
AP Environmental Science
AP French Language & Culture
AP Human Geography
AP Macroeconomics
AP Microeconomics
AP Music Theory
AP Physics 1
AP Physics 2
AP Psychology
AP Research
AP Seminar
AP Spanish Language & Culture
AP Studio Art
AP United States History

Courses:

20th Century World History 12
Advanced Math Topics 12
Anatomy & Physiology 12
BC First Peoples 12
Beginner's Mandarin

Beginner's Spanish
Calculus 12
Chemistry 11/12
Coding 11: Javascript
Coding 11: Python
Comparative Cultures 12
Creative Writing 12
Design 11
English 9/10/11/12
English Literature 12
Entrepreneurship 12
Financial Accounting 12
Foundations of Math and Pre-Calculus 10
Foundations of Mathematics 12
French 9/10/11/12
Geology 12
Human Geography 12
Immersion French
Intro to Business 11
Law Studies 12
Life Sciences 11
Mandarin Chinese 10/11/12
Mathematics 9
Metamorphosis 9 (*Applied Design, Skills Technology 9, Science 9, and Social Studies 9*)
Physical Geography 12
Physics 11/12
Political Studies 12
Pre-Calculus 11/12
Science & Ethics 11
Science 10/11/12
Social Studies 10
Spanish 9/10/11/12



arts

The arts promote creativity, self-expression, and teamwork.

They help our students visualize an idea and see a complex process through to reality, while enriching the imagination and challenging the mind. At Brentwood the arts support our movement towards global mindedness as they create culture and civilize us.

My experience in the school musical, with its outstanding direction in our amazing theatre, really ignited my passion for performing and music. Brentwood opened my eyes to the real possibility of a career in the arts.

Clifton Murray '98 (Canada),
Member of *The Tenors*



arts options

Performing Arts

Advanced Dance 11/12
Choreography 11-12
Composition Rock Band 10-12
Dance 9-12
Guitar Ensemble 9-12
Rock Band 9-12
Jazz Band 8-12
Musical Theatre 8
Musical Theatre 10-12
Pitches Vocal Ensemble 8-12
Senior Play 11-12
Stage and Screen 9-12
String Ensemble 9-12
Theatre Production 10-12
Vocal Jazz Ensemble 9-12
Wind Ensemble 9-12

Visual Arts

3D Art and Sculpture 10-12
3D Pottery 10-12
Art Foundation 10-12
Art Rotation 9
Drawing and Painting 10-12
Fine Art Photography 12
Graphic Art and Design 10-12
Hand Built Pottery 9-12
Photography 10-12
Photojournalism 11-12

Technical Arts

Robotics 9-12
Brentwood Broadcast 10-12
Woodworking 9-12
Yearbook 11-12

Communications Arts

Debate & Model UN 10-12
Public Speaking 10-12

athletics

The key aim of Brentwood athletics is to develop student-athletes as leaders through personal fitness, teamwork, fair play, the pursuit of athletic excellence, and in many cases a love of the game.



Brentwood gave me the opportunity to explore my passion for sport. It opened the door for me to higher education and Olympic pursuits.

Malcolm Howard '01 (Canada), Harvard & Oxford Grad, Olympic Gold Medalist



athletic options

- Basketball
- Climbing
- Cross Country
- Cross Training
- Dynamic Movement Yoga
- Field Hockey (Girls)
- Golf
- Ice Hockey
- Jiu Jitsu
- Learn To Row
- Lifesaving
- Outdoor Pursuits
- Rowing
- Rugby (Boys)
- Rugby (Girls)
- Skiing and Snowboarding
- Soccer (Boys)
- Soccer (Girls)
- Squash
- Strength and Conditioning
- S&C Girls Weight Training
- Swimming
- Tennis
- Volleyball (Girls)

26

number of Olympians that have graduated from Brentwood



university counselling

Choosing the right fit for a university experience can be an overwhelming task.

Top universities in the US and around the globe know Brentwood for its exceptional record of quality university placement, thanks to our experienced University Counselling team and our US University Counsellor.

We are very happy with Trevor's choice to attend Brentwood and with his subsequent acceptance to Dartmouth. The experience for us as a Californian family, having our son attend such an outstanding school on the west coast has been nothing but positive. The academic as well as athletic and art programs have been excellent and I would highly recommend Brentwood to anyone.

Gary Briggs, Parent, VP, Chief Marketing Officer at Facebook



100%

university placement

80%

of students
received an offer from
their first choice
university

470

total offers
of admission

128

numbers of
schools conveying offers

55%

of grads received
scholarship offers

\$3.1M

in merit and athletic
scholarships to
universities in 2018

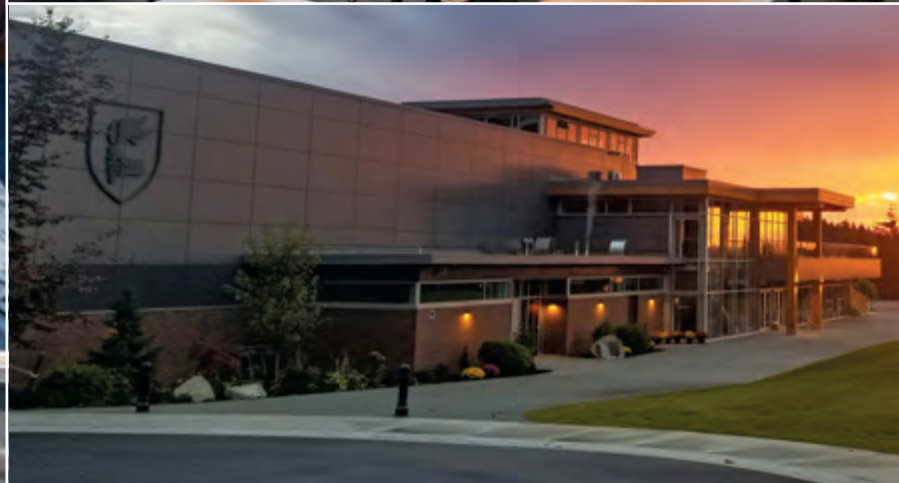
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different countries



campus

Brentwood's oceanfront campus has an international reputation that matches our educational profile as one of the world's best. Sheltered along one kilometre of pristine coastline in Mill Bay, on beautiful Vancouver Island, BC, our 79-acre campus and our modern facilities open up a wide variety of opportunities for our students.





service

Leadership and global mindedness are driving forces behind the myriad of service opportunities that are paramount to student development.

Students assist those in need while gaining knowledge and compassion about the circumstances of others, both within our school gates, and across the globe, reinforcing what we hope will be a lifelong commitment to service and philanthropy.

\$15,000

raised for
Charity Work Day

\$50,000

raised annually by
students for
non-profit
organizations

10+

student service,
athletic, and
cultural trips

15+

charitable
sponsorships

**Extensive peer
mentoring
program**





top ten reasons to choose brentwood

- 1 Students Choose To Be Here
- 2 Unique Tripartite Programming
- 3 100% University Placement
- 4 Over 50 Arts and Athletics Options
- 5 Diverse and Global Student Body

- 6 AP Curriculum
- 7 Beautiful Oceanfront Campus
- 8 Exceptional Staff Support
- 9 Lifelong Friendships
- 10 And... Sunday Brunch



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