



May 11, 2022

Xochitl Ortiz, Principal  
Columbus High School  
12330 Woodruff Avenue  
Downey, California 90241

Dear Xochitl Ortiz:

Based on all of the information provided by the school, including the school's progress report, the Accrediting Commission for Schools, Western Association of Schools and Colleges (ACS WASC) has determined that Columbus High School (9-12) meets the ACS WASC criteria for accreditation.

Columbus High School's accreditation is now reaffirmed through the end of the current accreditation cycle ending on June 30, 2025.

Accreditation status is conditioned upon Columbus High School's continued adherence with the ACS WASC policies, procedures, and criteria for accreditation. This includes a requirement that an accredited school annually contribute members to participate on visiting committees. Failure to maintain compliance with said policies, procedures, and standards is grounds for modification and/or withdrawal of the accreditation.

The Commission looks forward to Columbus High School's anticipated success and continuing improvement in keeping with ACS WASC's pursuit of excellence in elementary, secondary, and adult education.

Sincerely,

Barry R. Groves, Ed.D.  
President

cc: