



THE SCHOLAR

2021 Howell Mountain Cabernet Sauvignon

The Numbers

AVA	Howell Mountain
85%	Cabernet Sauvignon
5%	Malbec
5%	Cabernet Franc
5%	Petit Verdot
24	Months aging in French oak barrels and bottle
75	Cases Produced
Sept 2025	Release Date
15%	Alcohol by Volume
\$150	Suggested Retail Price

The Wine

The Scholar marks the beginning of our Higher Education reserve series – a wine that celebrates curiosity, structure, and balance. It opens with expressive aromas of black cherry, cassis, and cocoa, framed by crushed violets and warm spice. On the palate, dense layers of blackberry and currant meet subtle notes of roasted sage and mocha. French oak integration brings polish and poise, finishing with refined tannins and remarkable length.

Elegant, complex, and confident – the foundation of higher learning in Napa Cabernet.

Accolades

95 POINTS - THE WINE INDEPENDENT | 2019 VINTAGE

Crème de cassis, blueberry preserves and juicy plums, backed by cinnamon stick, vanilla cake, clove oil and black truffles...full-bodied with rich, spicy blackberry, firm grainy tannins and a long finish of baking spices.



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