



Class of 2019

College Fair at Union Mine—Don't Miss It

Upcoming Dates	
University of California Admission Applications	Aug 1-Nov 30
October 6th SAT Test regular registration deadline	Sept 7
College Essay Workshop	TBD
College Reps in the College & Career Center	Sep-Nov
California State University Admission Applications	Oct 1– Nov 30
Regional College & Career Fair @ Union Mine HS from 6:30-8:15 p.m.	Oct 1
November 3 SAT Test regular registration deadline	Oct 5
Homecoming Football Game	Oct 12
Financial Aid Night at in the Theatre	Oct 18
ASVAB in N4 Computer Lab 1-4 p.m.	Nov 5
December 1 SAT Test regular registration deadline	Nov 2
Cash for College Financial Aid Workshop	Nov 14

Union Mine High School will be hosting the Regional College Fair on **Monday, October 1, 2018** from 6:30 - 8:30 p.m. in the UMHS gym and cafeteria. Union Mine is located at 6530 Koki Lane, El Dorado.



Cal Maritime

We are expecting representatives from 80+ California public and private colleges and universities; selected out of state universities, ROTC and military academies. Information regarding assessment testing, college athletics, and scholarships will be available too.



**Regional College Fair
October 1, 2018
Gym Opens at 6:30 p.m.
Union Mine High School**

****Plan to attend the Break-Out Sessions in the Theater:**

5:30 pm: FAFSA/Financial Aid

7:00 pm: Creating your College List

7:45 pm: UC/CSU Admission Panel



University of Texas

Naviance Log In:

-PHS Home Page

-Click on Students Tab

-Scroll down and click the Naviance link

-User Name: First four letters of your last name plus the last four numbers of your student ID

-Password: First name initial, Last name initial and the last four numbers of your permanent ID

ATTENTION HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS: Are you planning to attend **Folsom Lake College (FLC)** in the Fall of 2019? Or even thinking about it? Folsom Lake College will be emailing all Ponderosa seniors a **Prospective Student Survey**. We encourage you to fill out this survey!

By filling out this survey, the college can provide you with **vital information** that you will need to know to be successful as you make this transition from High School to College. It is important that you fill out the survey, even if you aren't sure if you will be attending FLC; it is always good to have a back-up plan! If you have any questions about Folsom Lake College, feel free to contact **Sarah Aldea** aldeas@flc.losrios.edu. Check out the Folsom Lake College website and watch for the Prospective Student Survey and **FILL IT OUT!** Best of luck to you in your senior year!

If you didn't receive a copy in your email, don't forget to download the **Class of 2019 Senior Reference Guide** from the College & Career Center page on the school website.

Admission Applications

Admission applications for the California State Universities and University of California campuses for Fall 2019 will be online beginning Aug 1 for the UC Application and Oct 1 for the CSU application. If these schools are a possibility for you, be sure to check your eligibility, SAT/ACT scores, and have the necessary information and supporting documents such as your current transcript ready.

UC admissions require either the SAT or ACT with writing, personal essays and required courses with a grade C or better. Some UC campuses may *recommend* taking specific SAT Subject tests—for further info see the [UC website](#). The ACT with writing and/or SAT and SAT Subject tests must be taken by the December 2018 test dates. Register online to take those tests in October or November at:

IMPORTANT TIP: **To have your SAT scores sent to all 23 CSU campuses use CSUMentor Code 3594.* The UCs will "share" scores—send them to your 1st choice UC campus.**

www.collegeboard.org or www.actstudent.org.

The Common Application (for the 456 member colleges including Cal Lutheran, St. Mary's, Yale, Harvey Mudd etc. more) can be found at www.commonapp.org.

Updated Information: CalGrant GPA

Seniors, the **CalGrant GPA Verification form** will be automatically submitted for you by our Registrar Mrs. Burghardt in the Counseling Office. The GPA Verification is required to be eligible for state grants.

Also, seniors should file for federal financial aid by submitting the **FAFSA (FREE Application for Federal Student Aid)** beginning **October 1, 2018**.

Family income may be reported using 2017 taxes. Students must file by the March 2 deadline and will receive their student aid report (SAR) on-line. The SAR will give students and parents an opportunity to correct any information or send information to additional colleges. The SAR will also give students their expected family contribu-

tion (EFC). The EFC is the amount that families are expected to pay before any federal or state aid programs would be made available.

Note to Parents— Plan ahead! Financial Aid Night is scheduled for Thursday, October 18, 2018 from 6:30– 8 p.m. in the Ponderosa Theater.

First Things First:

Sept.

- Begin the UC applications on-line however, these cannot be submitted until November 1.
- Register for SAT Reasoning, ACT and/or SAT Subject tests. Take these tests by the December test dates.
- Narrow down college choices by visiting campuses. Don't know which campuses offer your major—check out the website www.assist.org and click on "Majors" tab.
- Begin asking for letters of recommendation for private colleges & scholarships.

Oct.

- Attend College Fair at Union Mine on October 1 at 6:30 p.m.
- Submit the CSU applications on-line at CalState.edu until November 30.
- **Create your profile for local scholarships on the CALocalscholarships.org website. Scholarship workshops will be held in the College & Career Center. Dates to be determined later.**
- Submit your FAFSA online using your parent/guardians 2017 taxes www.fafsa.ed.gov

Nov.

- Submit the UC applications until November 30.
- Submit the CSU applications until November 30.

Other points of interest:

Come into the College & Career Center during lunch and meet these college reps:

- Sept 12: Cal Lutheran University**
- Sept 13: University of the Pacific**
- Sept 20: Westmont College**
- Sept 21: Northern Arizona University**
- Oct 1: College Fair at UM** (Check the list of participating organizations online)
- Oct 17: UC Santa Barbara**
- Oct 18: University of Oregon**
- Nov 25: FIDM**

Check the website for more listings.

SIERRA COLLEGE

- Application for Fall 2019 available Oct. 1, 2018
- Complete pre-enrollment steps:
 - Apply
 - Orientation
 - Assessment
 - Meet w/ a counselor
 - Register
- Attend CTE Day on October 6th if you're interested in learning more about the CTE programs at Sierra College



SIERRA COLLEGE

- Selective Service Information: The law requires all male U.S. citizens and male immigrants residing in the U.S. to register within 30 days of their 18th birthday. Therefore, to be in full compliance with the law, a male turning 18 is required to register during the period of time beginning 30 days before, until 30 days after his 18th birthday...a 60-day window. Register online at www.sss.gov.

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