
Ponderosa High School

Seniors!



Senior Power!



Make the best of this year.
Graduation is the culmination of
your high school climb!



The class of 2022 will be like none other, all you have endured
and adjusted to, will be powerful and meaningful.

May 27, 2022

**THE
BEST
VIEW
COMES
AFTER
THE
HARDEST
CLIMB.**

Purpose

Senior year at-a-glance

- o SAT/ACT Test Dates
- o College Admissions Review Dates and Websites
- o Financial Aid/Scholarships Dates
- o Letters of Recommendation

Transcript review – legal document

Graduation & A-G requirements

NCAA/NAIA

College Exploration – Big Future

CA Career Zone

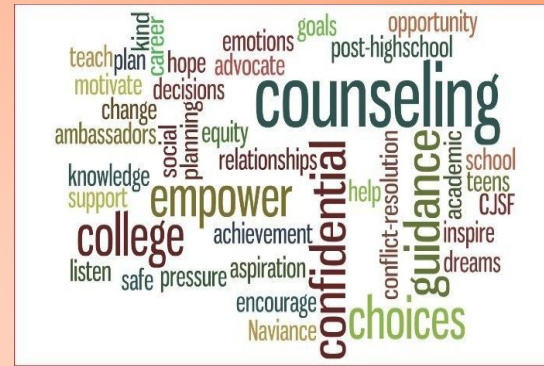
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College & Career Center

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Explore your options for after high school!

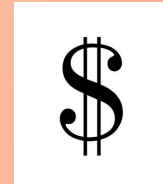
Scholarships/Financial Aid

College and Career Exploration

Tutors (need one or become one)

Military Information

Work Permits



Transcript Review

- Different GPAs
- Class Rank ranked by Total Weighted GPA
- Credit Summary Box
- 220 Credits

Your transcript is a LEGAL document it is important to do well all year! Not just during the Fall semester of your senior year. Everything matters!

Student Name				Student ID	Grade	Birthdate	Counselor	Transcript of Student Progress			
Last Name, First Name				0000000000	12	01/01/2020	Hanson	September 8, 2020 Ponderosa High School 3661 Ponderosa Road Shingle Springs, CA 95682 (530) 677-2281			
Parent/Guardian name, address, telephone											
Parent/Guardian name(s)											
Address											
Shingle Springs, CA 95682											
Phone number											
Crs-ID	Course Title	Mark	Att/Cmp	Crs-ID	Course Title	Mark	Att/Cmp	Crs-ID	Course Title	Mark	Att/Cmp
Grd 9 First Semester 17-18 PONDEROSA HIGH SCHOOL											
p	0102	Adv English 1	A	5.00	5.00	p	0221	Geometry	B	5.00	5.00
*	0212	Algebra 1	A	5.00	5.00	*	0273W	LifeFliz:Weight	A-	5.00	5.00
*	0271	Life Fitness 1	A+	5.00	5.00	p	0311	Biology	A-	5.00	5.00
p	0305	Earth/Space Sci	A	5.00	5.00	p	0413	Spanish 3	B+	5.00	5.00
p	0412	Spanish 2	A-	5.00	5.00	p	0581	Child Develop.	A	5.00	5.00
*	0451	ICT Foundations	A	5.00	5.00	Credit Att: 35.00 Cmp: 35.00 TGPA: 3.71					
p	0660	GeneralChorus	A+	5.00	5.00	Grd 11 First Semester 19-20 PONDEROSA HIGH SCHOOL					
Credit Att: 35.00 Cmp: 35.00 TGPA: 4.00											
Grd 9 Second Semester 17-18 PONDEROSA HIGH SCHOOL											
p	0102	Adv English 1	A	5.00	5.00	p	0121	English 3	B+	5.00	5.00
p	0212	Algebra 1	B+	5.00	5.00	p	0163	US History/Geog	A	5.00	5.00
*	0265	Health	A	5.00	5.00	p	0227	Adv Algebra 2	C+	5.00	5.00
*	0271	Life Fitness 1	A-	5.00	5.00	p	0320	Adv Chemistry	B	5.00	5.00
p	0305	Earth/Space Sci	A-	5.00	5.00	*	0410AP	AP Spanish Lang	B	5.00	5.00
p	0412	Spanish 2	A-	5.00	5.00	*	0877	Stu.Leadership	A	5.00	5.00
p	0660	GeneralChorus	A-	5.00	5.00	Credit Att: 30.00 Cmp: 30.00 TGPA: 3.33					
Credit Att: 35.00 Cmp: 35.00 TGPA: 3.86											
Grd 10 First Semester 18-19 PONDEROSA HIGH SCHOOL											
p	0111	English 2	A-	5.00	5.00	p	0121	English 3	A	5.00	5.00
p	0174	World History	A	5.00	5.00	p	0163	US History/Geog	A+	5.00	5.00
p	0221	Geometry	B	5.00	5.00	p	0227	Adv Algebra 2	B-	5.00	5.00
*	0273W	LifeFliz:Weight	A+	5.00	5.00	p	0320	Adv Chemistry	B	5.00	5.00
p	0311	Biology	A+	5.00	5.00	*	0410AP	AP Spanish Lang	A-	5.00	5.00
p	0413	Spanish 3	A-	5.00	5.00	*	0877	Stu.Leadership	A	5.00	5.00
p	0581	Child Develop.	A	5.00	5.00	Credit Att: 30.00 Cmp: 30.00 TGPA: 3.83					
Credit Att: 35.00 Cmp: 35.00 TGPA: 3.86											
Grd 10 Second Semester 18-19 PONDEROSA HIGH SCHOOL											
p	0111	English 2	A-	5.00	5.00	Work in Progress- PONDEROSA HIGH SCHOOL					
p	0174	World History	A	5.00	5.00	p	0144	CSU-ExpRdgWrig	5.00	0.00	0.00
Total Credit: 25.00											
Course Tags: * = Non Academic + = Honors (weighted) p = College Prep											
Weighted Non-Weighted				CREDIT SUMMARY							
Acad GPA (9-12) 3.7188 3.6563				Subject Area				Credit Req'd Compl Needed			
Acad GPA (10-12) 3.6364 3.5455				World History				10.00 10.00 -			
Total GPA (9-12) 3.7750 3.7250				U S Hist/Geog				10.00 10.00 -			
Credit Attempted: 200.00				Amer Government				5.00 - 5.00			
Credit Completed: 200.00				Economics				5.00 - 5.00			
Class Size: 485				Physical Science				10.00 10.00 -			
Class Rank: 119 10-12 Rank: 138				Life Science				10.00 10.00 -			
Ranked by Weighted Total GPA				Cr Arts/For Lang/CTE				10.00 10.00 -			
District Enter: 8/7/2017				Physical Education				20.00 20.00 -			
School Enter: 8/7/2017				Health				5.00 5.00 -			
Class of 2021				Computer Tech				5.00 5.00 -			
State ID# 0000000000				English				30.00 30.00 -			
This transcript is unofficial unless signed by a school official.				Algebra 1				10.00 10.00 -			
Signature: _____				Mathematics				10.00 10.00 -			
Date: _____				Electives				80.00 70.00 10.00			
				* TOTALS *				220.00 200.00 20.00			

Graduation vs A-G Requirements

Subjects	High School Grad Requirements	UC/CSU Admission Requirements
<i>Social Studies</i>	3 years (30 credits)	2 years
<i>English</i>	3 years (30 credits)	4 years
<i>Mathematics</i>	2 years (20 credits)	3 years (<i>UC recommends 4</i>)
<i>Science</i>	2 years (20 credits)	2 years (<i>must be lab classes</i>) (<i>UC recommends 3 years</i>)
<i>Foreign Language</i>		2 years (<i>UC recommends 3 years</i>)
<i>Visual and Performing Art</i>		1 year
<i>Electives</i>	80 credits (can be in any area including those listed above)	1 year (<i>College Prep Elective</i>)
<i>Foreign Language OR Visual and Performing Art OR CTE</i>	1 year (10 credits)	
<i>Health Education</i>	1 semester (5 credits)	
<i>Technology Proficiency</i>	1 semester (5 credits)	
<i>Physical Education</i>	2 years (20 credits)	
	*220 Total Credits	*Must pass all classes with C or better *ACT or SAT Test (varies by campus)

College Admissions

The Admissions Process has Several Components

A. Grades

- A-G Requirements
- Good Grades – C or better
- Level of coursework

B. SAT/ACT scores * Due to COVID-19 some colleges/universities are test optional meaning you choose whether or not to submit SAT/ACT scores. Review every college(s) admissions requirements for specifics.

C. Extra-Curricular Activities

- Community Service, Sports, Theater, Band, Clubs, Leadership, Internships, Youth Groups...

More details during next weeks breakout session

SAT Test

The SAT is offered through the College Board. Due to COVID-19 there are limitations to testing centers based on public safety guidelines. Be sure to check the collegeboard.org for all up-to-date information and changes.

Register online at collegeboard.org

Cost: \$55

SAT Test Dates

- o October 2nd Register by September 3rd *late registration available
- o November 6th Register by October 8th
- o December 4th Register by November 4th

Test must be taken by November 2021.

* Make sure to check the college(s) deadline

SAT Study Guides are available in the College and Career Center

ACT Test

Due to COVID-19 there are limitations to testing centers based on public safety guidelines. Be sure to check the act.org for all up-to-date information and changes.

Register to take the act.org

Costs: \$60

ACT test with writing: \$85

ACT Test Dates

- o October 23rd
- o December 11th

Register by September 17th

Register by November 5th

Don't miss out!

Check out these opportunities to learn specific information about different colleges.

****All registrations must be completed online!****

The links to register for any of these Virtual College Fairs can be found on the PHS College and Career Center website under the College Information tab.

FALL 2021

VIRTUAL COLLEGE FAIRS

AUG. THROUGH NOV.	OCT. 2 1-3PM	SEPT. THROUGH OCT.
NACAC COLLEGE FAIR	AICCU COLLEGE FAIR	RACC COLLEGE FAIR
National Assoc. for College Admission Counseling	Association of Independent College & Universities	Regional Admission Counselors of CA.
ONLINE REGISTRATION	ONLINE REGISTRATION	ONLINE REGISTRATION

We encourage you to participate in these virtual College Fairs, and Webinars!

Use the "Online Registration" links to view and register for any and all events!



Financial Aid

FAFSA

- When? **October 1st**
Deadline: March 2nd
- How?
 - Apply Online at www.fafsa.ed.gov

Local Scholarships: There is one for everyone! scholarships.edcoe.org

- ❖ PHS Athletic Booster Club Scholarship- Played 2 years of Varsity Sport at Ponderosa
- ❖ Cameron Park Rotary Community Foundation- \$2000 for a student who will be attending a community college or vocational program
- ❖ Jacob Fine Memorial Scholarship- Student who has faced adversity or challenge in their life

Financial Aid Night

- October 20th
- 6:00 pm
- @ Oak Ridge HS

FAFSA Workshop

- November 17th
- 6:00 pm

CSS/Financial Aid Profile

- Required by some Private Colleges (visit College & Career Center for more info)



NCAA

National Collegiate Athletic Association

Eligibility Center - Any student athlete participating in a sport at a NCAA Division I or II school **MUST** be cleared through the NCAA Eligibility Center.

<https://www.ncaa.org/student-athletes/future>

- **Create a free Profile Page if you plan to compete at a Division III school OR are not sure yet where you will compete**
- **Need to have a Certification Account through the NCAA Eligibility Center compete at an NCAA Division I or II school. Will need to Certify your account to make official visits to DI and DII schools OR to sign a National Letter of Intent**
- **NCAA is not requiring SAT/ACT scores for eligibility for Fall 2022 but if have scores you should still send them directly to NCAA**
- **Academic requirements just as important as A-G's and often more**
- **\$90 fee for a Certification Account. You can upgrade your free profile to a Certified Account.**

NAIA

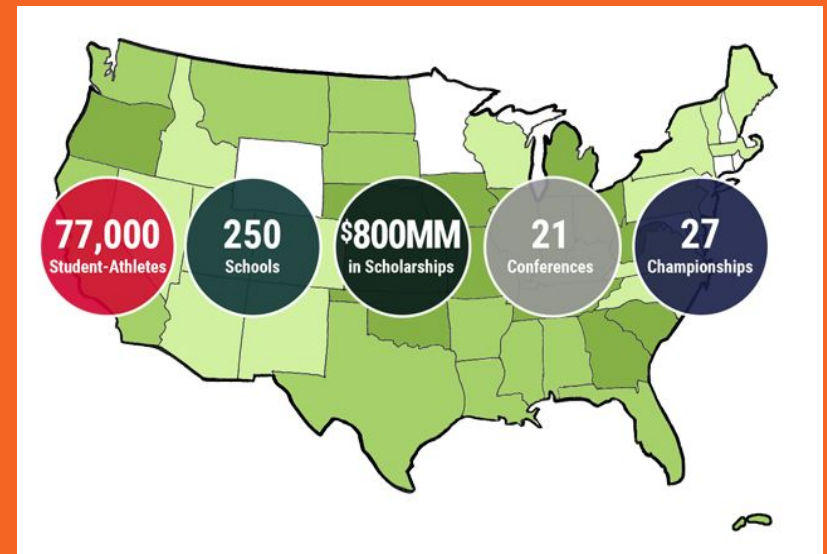
National Association of
Intercollegiate Athletics

<https://play.mynaia.org/>

- \$90
- Must request with our Registrar to upload your transcript to the NAIA portal

Eligibility Center - to register

PlayNAIA.org is the official clearinghouse for NAIA eligibility. Every student-athlete must register with the NAIA Eligibility Center to play sports at an NAIA college or university.



Community College Timeline

🐦 Step 1: Apply (Starting in October)

<http://www.flc.losrios.edu/>

🐦 Step 2: Get Financial Help (Complete your FAFSA)

🐦 Step 3: Complete Orientation

🐦 Step 4: Check your Los Rios email for next steps

🐦 We will elaborate on this more in our breakout session next week

Important Dates

**CSU and UC application deadlines are
November 30th 2021**

**Check Private and out of state colleges for application
deadlines**

**College Fair Virtual Presentations – Dates vary, check
CCC webpage for details and zoom links**

Financial Aid Night- October 20th 2021

FAFSA Workshop- November 17th 2021

Recommendations

You are responsible for....

- **Pay Attention to Deadlines! There are no exceptions once you have missed a deadline**
- **Create a Post High School binder to keep copies of all applications, LOR, resume, and important documents**
- **Take the ASVAB on October 25th & February 7th if you are interested in the military**
- **Check out our College and Career Center for ongoing information about colleges and scholarships.**

BIG FUTURE!!!

<https://bigfuture.collegeboard.org/>

The image shows a screenshot of the BigFuture website. At the top, there is a navigation bar with the CollegeBoard logo, the text 'BigFuture', a 'Sign In' button with a user icon, and a search bar. Below the navigation bar, the 'BigFuture' logo is on the left, and a horizontal menu with 'Get Started', 'Find Colleges', 'Explore Careers', 'Pay for College', and 'Get In' is on the right. The main content area has a green background and features the text 'There are more than 2,000 colleges in the United States. Find the right college for you.' Below this text are two search options: a blue button labeled 'Search for colleges' and a grey search bar labeled 'Look up a college by name' with a magnifying glass icon. At the bottom, there is a link to 'Use our step-by-step guide'.

CollegeBoard BigFuture Sign In Search

BigFuture Get Started Find Colleges Explore Careers Pay for College Get In

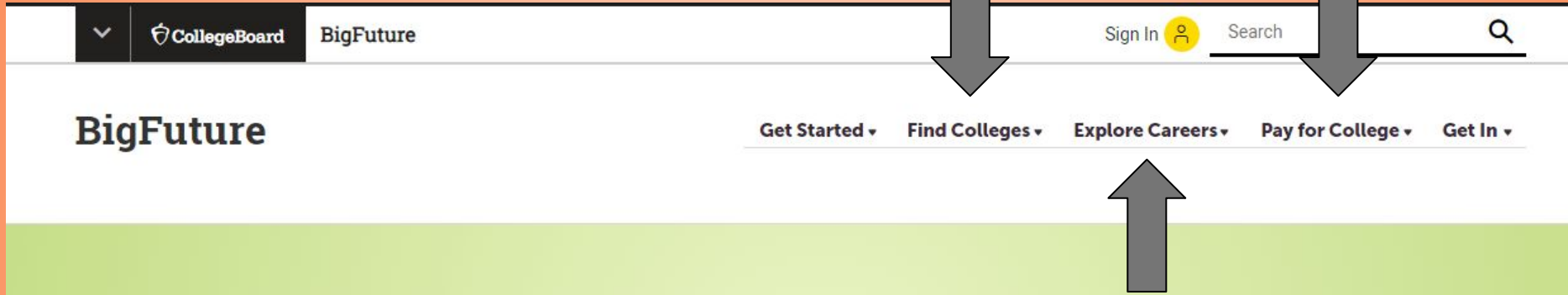
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College Search

Search by college name

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Find the right college for you.

Choose a category to start exploring.



Location



Major



Type



Campus Life



CAREER ZONE

<https://eduhd.cacareerzone.org/signin>



California CareerZone
powered by Headed2>

You are not signed in: [Sign In](#)

Explore ▾ Decide ▾ Grow ▾

Search

What's your plan?



A **California CareerZone** account can help
keep your plan on track...



Take an assessment to see



Do some research to see

GET STARTED

CAREER ZONE

A **California CareerZone** account can help **keep your plan on track...**



Take an assessment to see what you might be interested in doing



Do some research to see what your choices entail



Develop a budget to make sure your choices can support your plan



Document your plan

Questions?



This presentation can be found on
the College & Career Center
website.