

SENIOR MEETINGS

Ponderosa High School

2023-2024



COLLEGE & CAREER PLANNING OVERVIEW

- Transcript Review / Graduation Requirements/CAASPP Incentive
- Career Exploration and Opportunities
- College Admissions Information (2 year & 4 year)
 - Requirements
 - Important Dates & Websites
 - SAT/ACT Test Updates
 - Letters of Recommendation
 - Paying for College
- Senior Resources and Upcoming Events



How to Read Your Transcript

Crse-ID	Course Title	Mark Att/Cmp	Crs-ID	Course Title	Mark Att/Cmp
Grd 9 First Semester 20-21 PONDEROSA HIGH SCHOOL					
0102	Adv English 1	A 5.00 5.00	p 0413	Spanish 3	B 5.00 5.00
0212	Algebra 1	B 5.00 5.00	Credit Att: 30.00 Cmp: 30.00 TGPA: 3.33		
0265	Health	A 5.00 5.00	Grd 11 First Semester 22-23 PONDEROSA HIGH SCHOOL		
0271	Life Fitness 1	A 5.00 5.00	p 0121	English 3	A 5.00 5.00
0305	Earth/Space Sci	A- 5.00 5.00	p 0168	US History/Geog	A 5.00 5.00
0412	Spanish 2	B 5.00 5.00	p 0213	Algebra 2	B 5.00 5.00
Credit Att: 30.00 Cmp: 30.00 TGPA: 3.67			p 0213	Adv Chemistry	B 5.00 5.00
Grd 9 Second Semester 20-21 PONDEROSA HIGH SCHOOL					
0102	Adv English 1	A 5.00 5.00	p 0607	3-D Design	A 5.00 5.00
0212	Algebra 1	A 5.00 5.00	p 0905	AcademicPeerTu	A+ 5.00 5.00
0271	Life Fitness 1	A 5.00 5.00	Credit Att: 30.00 Cmp: 30.00 TGPA: 3.67		
0305	Earth/Space Sci	A- 5.00 5.00	Grd 11 Second Semester 22-23 PONDEROSA HIGH SCHOOL		
0412	Spanish 2	A 5.00 5.00	p 0121	English 3	A- 5.00 5.00
0451	ICT Foundations	A 5.00 5.00	p 0168	US History/Geog	A 5.00 5.00
Credit Att: 30.00 Cmp: 30.00 TGPA: 3.00			p 0213	Algebra 2	B 5.00 5.00
Grd 10 First Semester 21-22 PONDEROSA HIGH SCHOOL					
0112	Adv English 2	A- 5.00 5.00	p 0320	Adv Chemistry	B- 5.00 5.00
0174AP	AP WorldHistory	B 5.00 5.00	p 0607	3-D Design	A 5.00 5.00
0221	Geometry	B- 5.00 5.00	p 0905	AcademicPeerTu	A+ 5.00 5.00
0273W	LifeFit2:Weight	A 5.00 5.00	Credit Att: 30.00 Cmp: 30.00 TGPA: 3.67		
0311	Biology	C+ 5.00 5.00	Work In Progress - PONDEROSA HIGH SCHOOL		
0413	Spanish 3	B- 5.00 5.00	p 0144	CSU-ExpProgWld	5.00 0.00
Credit Att: 30.00 Cmp: 30.00 TGPA: 3.33			+ p 0171AP	AP AmerGovt	5.00 0.00
Grd 10 Second Semester 21-22 PONDEROSA HIGH SCHOOL					
0112	Adv English 2	A 5.00 5.00	p 0223	Pre-Calculus	5.00 0.00
0174AP	AP WorldHistory	B 5.00 5.00	+ p 0303AP	AP Environ Sci	5.00 0.00
0221	Geometry	C 5.00 5.00	* 0879	SchServ/TchAlde	5.00 0.00
0273W	LifeFit2:Weight	A 5.00 5.00	Total Credit: 25.00		
0311	Biology	B 5.00 5.00			

Grade, Year, & Semester

Courses Listed

Credits Earned

Semester Grade

Key

GPAs - 1st column is weighted. 2nd column is unweighted

Course Taos: * = Non Academic + = Honors (weighted) p = College Prep

	Weighted	Non-Wgtd
Acad GPA (9-12)	3.5172	3.4483
Acad GPA (10-12)	3.4000	3.3000
Total GPA (9-12)	3.6111	3.5556
Credit Attempted:	180.00	
Credit Completed:	180.00	

Subject Area	Credit Req'd	Cmp'd	Needed
World History	10.00	10.00	-
U S Hist/Geog	10.00	10.00	-
Amer Government	5.00	-	5.00
Economics	5.00	-	5.00
Physical Science	10.00	10.00	-
Life Science	10.00	10.00	-
Cr Arts/For Lang/CTE	10.00	10.00	-
Physical Education	20.00	20.00	-
Health	5.00	5.00	-
Computer Tech	5.00	5.00	-
English	30.00	30.00	-
Algebra 1	10.00	10.00	-
Mathematics	10.00	10.00	-
Electives	80.00	50.00	30.00
* TOTALS *	220.00	180.00	40.00

Credit Summary (aka Graduation Requirements) - will review in the next slide

school Enter: 8/10/2020

Class of 2024

Graduation Requirements

<u>Course Requirements</u>	<u>Credits</u>
English	30
Social Studies	30
Math (minimum through Alg. 1)	20
Science (1 Life and 1 Physical Science)	20
Health	5
Computer Technology	5
Fine Arts <u>or</u> World Language <u>or</u> CTE	10
Physical Education	20
Electives	80
Total	220



CAASPP Incentive

- Standard Met (3) - Eligible to change one semester's English grade (9-11) of D to a C
- Standard Exceeded (4) - Eligible to change one semester's English grade (9-11) from a C to a B or B to an A

*not eligible for AP classes

Students eligible will receive Google Form link to via Parent Square within the next week.

See your counselor if you wish to discuss further

A person with a backpack is standing on a rocky ledge, looking up at a large waterfall cascading down a steep, rocky cliff. The scene is surrounded by lush green vegetation. The image has a teal overlay and a green geometric shape in the bottom left corner.

What should I do
with my future?

What should I do
after high school?

Begin with a Career in Mind!

1st Step: Identity Career Goal or Career Interests

2nd Step: Identify Major / Required Training

3rd Step: Identify the Appropriate Post-Secondary Program

Where Can I Find a Career Assessment?



California CareerZone
for → El Dorado Union High School District

Go Here

eduhsd.cacareerzone.org

Signin

Welcome to the California CareerZone for El Dorado Union High School District

Please sign in below to begin exploring.



Take Assessments and Find Career Options!

Interest Profiler

Discover what your interests are, and how they relate to the world of work. The Interest Profiler helps you decide what kinds of occupations and jobs you might want to explore based on your

Welcome to the Work Importance Profiler



What's important to you in a job? Discover how much you value achievement, independence, recognition, relationships, support, and working conditions in a job. Get a list of

Select an option below to begin:

- Start a new Work Importance Profiler: [Go](#)
- Resume Work Importance Profiler: [Go](#)
- View Results: [Go](#)

Have you taken the Work Importance Profiler in the past? If you know your score for each of the 21 categories you can enter them directly to see what occupations they match.

Enter your score: [Go](#)

Welcome to the Skills Profiler



What skills have you acquired through your jobs and other activities? The Skills Profiler can help you explore occupations that require your skillset.

Select an option below to begin:

- Start a new Skills Profiler: [Go](#)
- Resume Skills Profiler: [Go](#)
- View Results: [Go](#)

Have you taken the Skills Profiler in the past? If you know your score for each of the skill areas you can enter them directly.

Enter your score: [Go](#)

Art, Drama, and Music Teachers, Postsecondary



A member of Arts, Media, and Entertainment

Average Salary

\$115,460

Annual Openings

1,540

Preparation

Job Zone 5

California



About the Job

Teach courses in drama, music, and the arts including fine and applied art, such as painting, sculpture, or design and crafts. Includes both teachers primarily engaged in teaching and those who do a combination of teaching and research.

What They Do

- Explain and demonstrate artistic techniques.
- Evaluate and grade students' class work, performances, projects, assignments, and papers.
- Prepare course materials, such as syllabi, homework assignments, and handouts.
- Initiate, facilitate, and moderate classroom discussions.
- Maintain student attendance records, grades, and other required records.

view all

Interests

People who work in this occupation generally have the interest code: **SA**.

This means people who work in this occupation generally have **Social Interests**, but also prefer **Artistic**

Work Values

People who work in this occupation generally prize **Relationships**, but also value **Independence and Working Conditions** in their jobs.

Info about education, training, and job opportunities!

Your Opportunities

- All
- Education & Training
- Certification
- Jobs
- Companies
- University of Southern California
- Fashion/Apparel Design
- Accompanist II
- Nationally Certified Teacher of Music
- California Institute of the Arts
- Directing and Theatrical Production

Post Secondary Options

Employment

Career/Vocational College

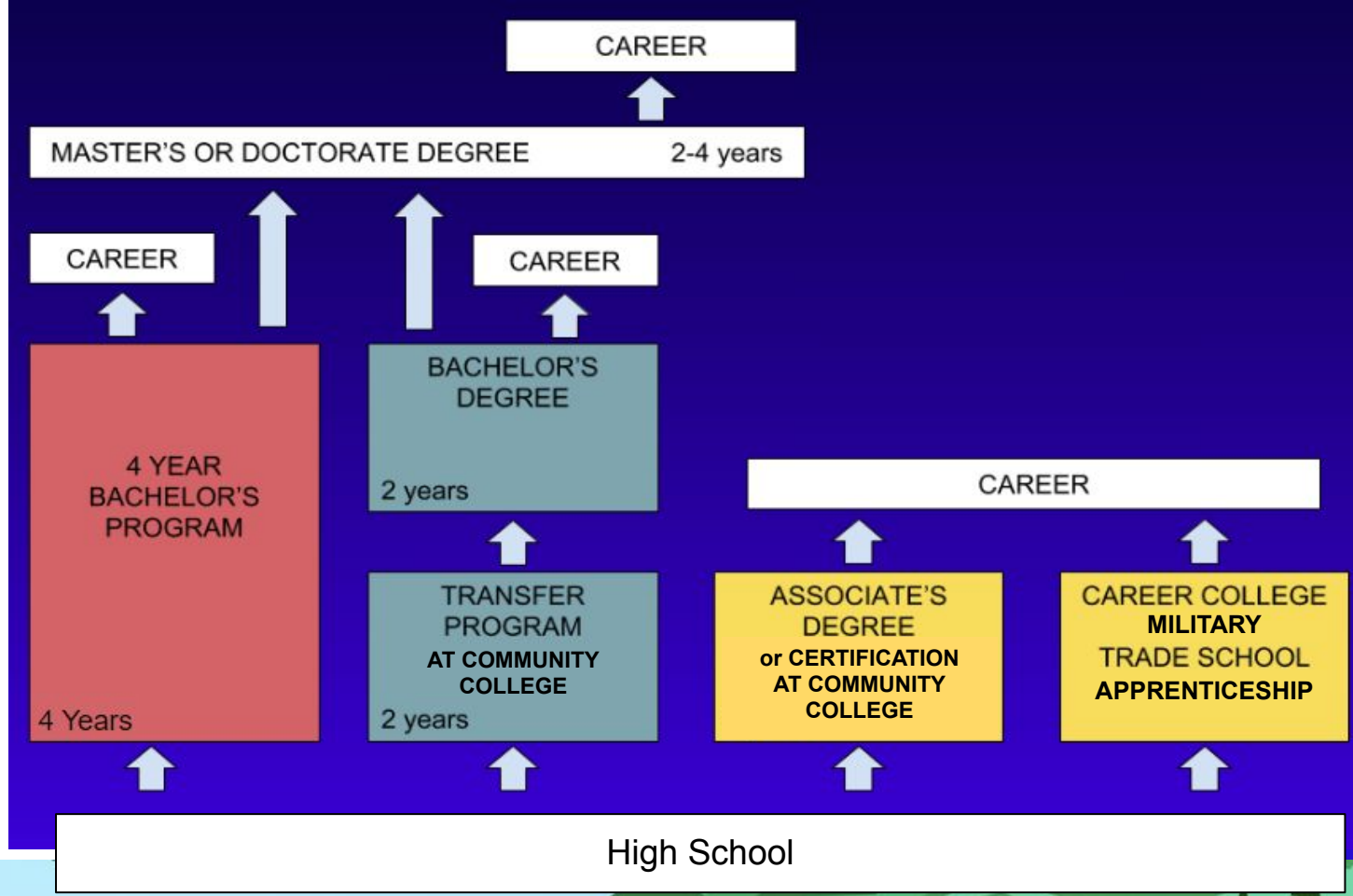
Military or Military Academy

Apprenticeship Program

College (2 year and/or 4 year)



Multiple Ways to Gain Post-Secondary Skills



4 Year College Option



Photo: [CSU, Chico](https://www.csuchico.edu/)

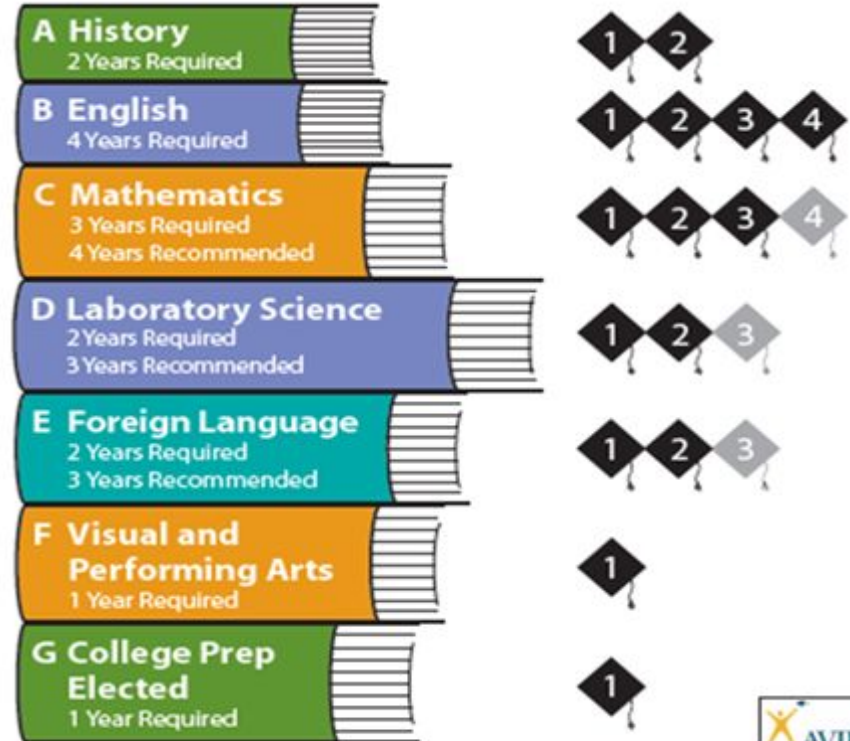


4 Year College Option Straight out of high school

- Grades of C or better required.
- Some universities may want to see involvement in extracurricular activities.
- SAT/ACT may be required for admission at some out-of-state or private schools.

You can go to **COLLEGE**

A–G Requirements*
California State University ♦ University of California



* Grades of C or better required.



UC / CSU Admissions



University of California

9 Campuses

Average Tuition: \$13,800 per year

Tuition, Room & Board, etc.: approx. \$41,000

SAT/ACT Test Not Required*

4 Personal Insight Questions

Personal insight questions

No Letters of Recommendation

Online Application:

<https://apply.universityofcalifornia.edu>

Apply October 1-November 30

\$80 application fee per campus

California State University

23 Campuses

Average Tuition: \$7,500 per year

Estimated COA by Campus
Tuition, Room & Board, etc.: approx. \$27,000

SAT/ACT Test Not Required*

No Personal Statement/Essay

No Letters of Recommendation

Online application:

<https://www.calstate.edu/apply>

Apply October 1-November 30

\$70 application fee per campus



* SAT/ACT scores may be used for consideration of course placement



UC / CSU Application Help and Live Links

University of California

[How to apply](#)

[Applying as a freshman | UC Admissions](#)

[Dates & deadlines](#)

[Personal insight questions](#)

[How applications are reviewed](#)

- Coursework other than A-G, Educational Preparation Programs, Volunteer and Community Service, Work Experience, Awards and Honors, Extracurricular Activities, 3.0 minimum GPA, Personal Insight Questions

[After you apply](#)

California State University

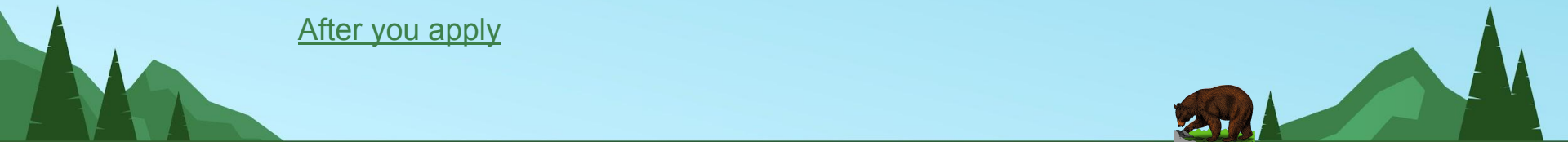
[Freshman | CSU \(application\)](#)

[Choosing a Campus | CSU](#)

[Choosing a Degree | CSU](#)

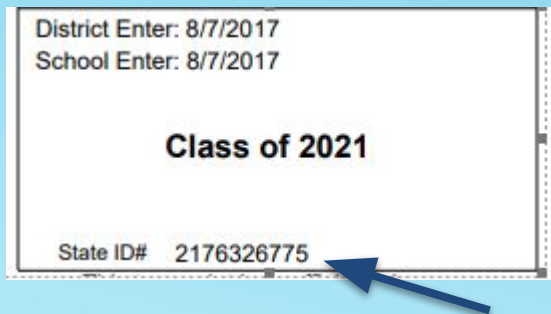
[Getting into the CSU | CSU](#)

[CSU Impaction by Major and/or Campus](#)



You will need your SSID Number to apply to the CSU / UC

Located in two places



District Enter: 8/7/2017
School Enter: 8/7/2017

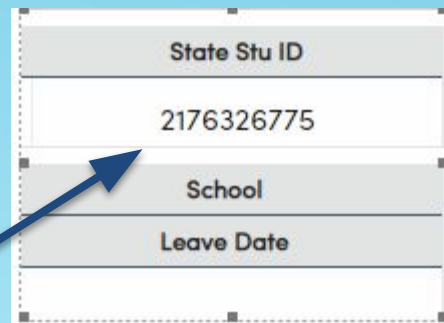
Class of 2021

State ID# 2176326775

A blue arrow points to the State ID# 2176326775 at the bottom left corner of the transcript.

Bottom Left Corner of Transcript

OR



State Stu ID
2176326775
School
Leave Date

A blue arrow points to the State Stu ID 2176326775 in the demographics screen.

On the Demographics Screen (in Aeries Portal) under the Student Data 2 tab. Box is labeled "State Stu ID"

College Admissions Testing

SAT: www.collegeboard.com

COST: \$60.00

- October 7 Register by Sept 8
- November 4 Register by Oct 6
- December 2 Register by Nov 3

ACT: www.act.org

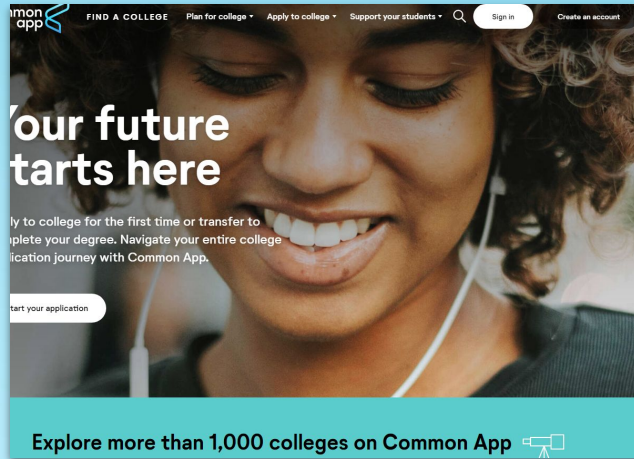
COST: \$68.00 (\$93 w/Writing)

- October 28 Register by Sept 22
- December 9 Register by Nov 3

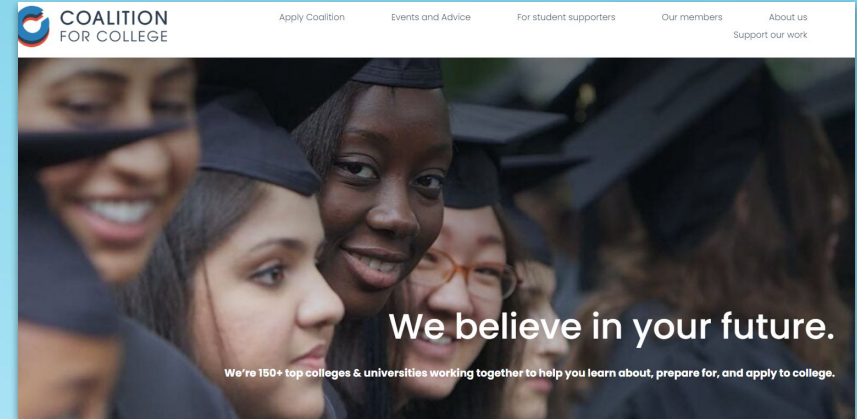


Private School Applications

www.commonapp.org



<https://www.coalitionforcollegeaccess.org/>



Deadlines and requirements vary with each private school.
Check with each individual school for more information.

Out of State Colleges

- Check school's website for application information and deadlines
- Out-of-state tuition (usually more \$\$\$)
- Residency requirements vary
- Admission requirements and deadlines vary - check with each school
- WUE (Western Undergraduate Exchange) - www.wiche.edu
 - Tuition Reduction!
Some restrictions may apply - check with the college



Welcome to Your WUE Savings Finder.

Search among hundreds of undergraduate degrees offered at the WUE rate of 150% of resident tuition (or less) by 160+ public colleges and universities across the West. Find the school and program that fits your geographic and educational goals. [Click here](#) for a downloadable list of participating schools.

Start here to save an average of \$10,895 a year!

Search for School or State/Territory

State/Territory Where You Want To Enroll: Degree Type: Student Status:

Show Only Online Majors Available at WUE Rate Show Only Interstate Passport Schools

\$\$\$\$\$ Financial Aid \$\$\$\$\$

SCHOLARSHIPS

There are over 180 local scholarships available for Pondo seniors. Check your email for information to be sent out at the beginning of November. There will also be a lot of Scholarship Workshop Flex Offerings in November and December.

1. Complete a FAFSA application
 - a. FAFSA has made changes!
 - i. Reduced number of questions automatic transfer of data from IRS, aid eligibility formulas
 - b. Due to new California State Assembly Bill (AB 469), every senior is required to complete a FAFSA application or complete a waiver
2. Complete the CSS Profile (only if your college requires it)

FINANCIAL AID INFORMATION NIGHT

Wednesday, November 15, 2023

Ponderosa High School - 6pm

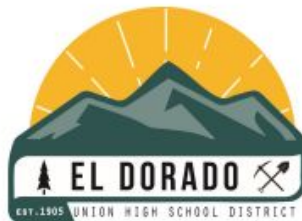
Do I send a transcript with my college application?

- **UC / CSU** - send transcripts at the end of Senior year *unless otherwise communicated by the college/university.*
- **Common Application** - Counselor will upload via Secondary School Report
- **Coalition Application** - Counselor will upload via Secondary School Report
- **Out of State or other universities** not using Common App or Coalition - check with each school on transcript process.
- **Community College** - send transcripts at the end of Senior year

Use this [Transcript Request Form](#) if college requires a mailed copy. Available in the Registrar tab on the PHS Website.

El Dorado Union High School District Request for Transcripts			
<small>For all transcripts requested to be sent by US mail to colleges, scholarship programs, or to other organizations. Please provide a properly addressed envelope with adequate postage. No transcript fee will be charged to current students. Graduates will receive the first two copies of their transcript free of charge. Additional copies for graduates are \$1.00 each. Please attach the stamped addressed envelope(s) to this Request for Transcripts form.</small>			
Student Name <small>(Name used in High School)</small>		Today's Date:	
Student Date of Birth:		Student ID #:	
Student Phone#:	School:	Year of Graduation:	
<small>U.S. AND C.S.U. CAMPUSES - DO NOT NEED TRANSCRIPTS SENT WITH APPLICATION</small>			
✓ Select One: <input type="checkbox"/> Current Transcript <input type="checkbox"/> REGRE Current Transcript: Reason: _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Mid-Year Report - after first Semester grades are recorded <input type="checkbox"/> Final Transcript - After graduation / second semester, grades are recorded.			
✓ Needed for: <input type="checkbox"/> College <input type="checkbox"/> Scholarship <input type="checkbox"/> Employment <input type="checkbox"/> Other			
Number of Transcripts Needed:		Official:	Unofficial:
✓ Choose One: <input type="checkbox"/> Pick up at school <input type="checkbox"/> Mailing requested <input type="checkbox"/> Fax: (Provide fax #, name of institution, and contact person)			
Name of Institution: _____			
Name of Contact: _____			
Fax Number: _____			

[EDUHSD College Fair Link](#)



COLLEGE FAIR

2023

WEDNESDAY
OCTOBER 4TH

Union Mine High School
6530 Koki Lane, El Dorado, CA
6:30 - 8:30 p.m.

Representatives from colleges, universities, technical schools and the military will be there.

Don't miss our amazing breakout sessions at 5:30 p.m.

- UC/CSU Admissions Panel
- Community College & Trades Pathways

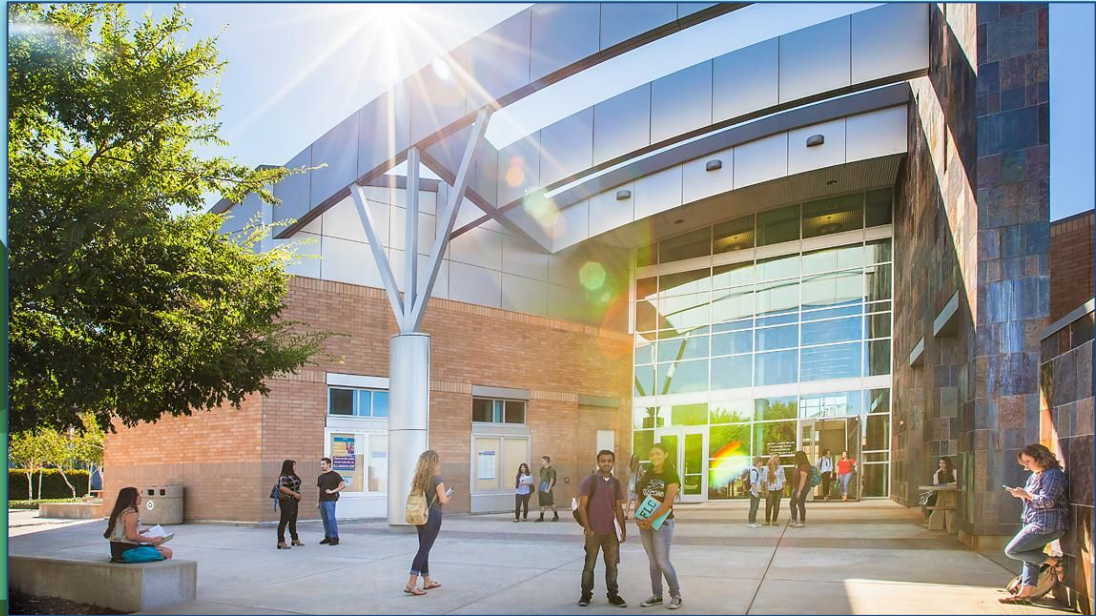


**FREE
EVENT**

**OPEN TO ALL
STUDENTS**



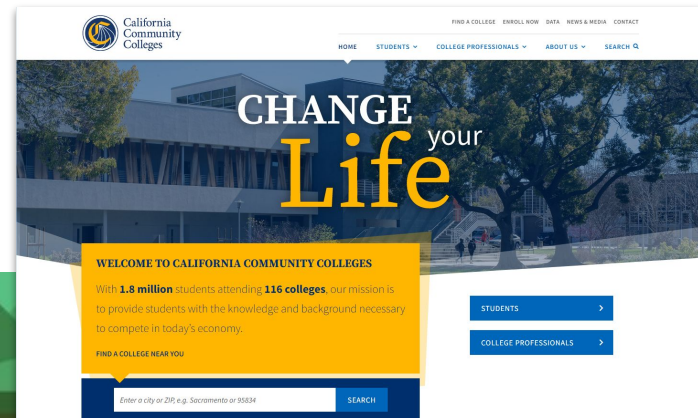
Community College Option



Why Attend a Community College?

1. Career Training
2. Associates Degree
3. Prepare to Transfer to a University - *Increase your chances of getting into a 4-year university of your choice!*
4. You can get a head start in college by taking Dual Enrollment classes while in high school!
5. Community College is less expensive!!

<https://www.cccco.edu/>



Careers without Bachelor's Degree

Examples of high-paying careers that only require an Associate Degree or CTE training

- **Radiation Therapist**
 - Median pay: \$80,160
 - Job growth through 2024: 14%
- **Diagnostic Medical Sonographer**
 - Median pay: \$69,650
 - Job growth through 2024: 26.4%
- **Occupational Therapy Assistant**
 - Median pay: \$59,010
 - Job growth through 2024: 42.7%
- **Dental Hygienist**
 - Median pay: \$72,910
 - Job growth through 2024: 18.6%
- **Geological and Petroleum Technician**
 - Median pay: \$56,470
 - Job growth through 2024: 11.8%



Certificate Programs

Click link for more CTE Information!



LOS RIOS CC DISTRICT (partial list)

- Accounting
- Admin. Of Justice
- Aeronautics
- Agriculture
- Architecture
- Art New Media
- Automotive Technology
- Biotechnology
- Building Inspection Tech
- Business
- Chemical Dependency Studies
- Communication
- Television Production
- Construction Management
- Cosmetology
- Culinary Arts
- Dental Assisting
- Design Technology
- Desktop Publishing
- Diesel Mechanics
- Digital Media
- Drafting Technology
- Early Childhood Ed.
- Electronics Technology
- Electric Vehicles
- Emergency Medical Tech
- Environmental Design
- Environmental Technology
- Fashion/Fashion Merchandising
- Fire Technology
- Geographic Information Systems
- Gerontology
- Graphic Communication
- Health Info Technology
- Horticulture
- Hospitality Management
- Interior Design
- Journalism
- Landscape Design
- Library Technology
- Management
- Marketing
- Mechanical Engineer Tech
- Medical Assisting
- Motorcycle Maintenance
- Music Production
- Nursing, LVN
- Nutrition
- Paramedic
- Phlebotomy
- Photography
- Railroad Operations
- Real Estate
- Restaurant Management
- Vet Tech
- Web Page
- Welding



Community College APPLICATION Steps

[Click for FLC Enrollment Steps](#)

1 Apply to Folsom Lake College

2 Save Money – Apply for Financial Aid

3 Set Up eServices and Los Rios Gmail

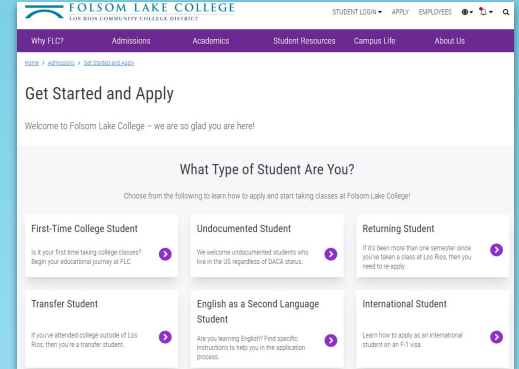
4 Complete Orientation

5 Check Your Math and English Placement

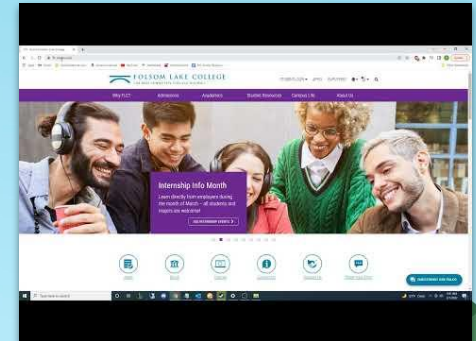
6 Meet With a Counselor and Pick Your Classes

7 Enroll in Classes

8 Pay Your Fees



Watch helpful videos!!



Summer / Fall 2024 Application opens October 1st

RESEARCH COLLEGES

CollegeBoard.org

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

California Colleges

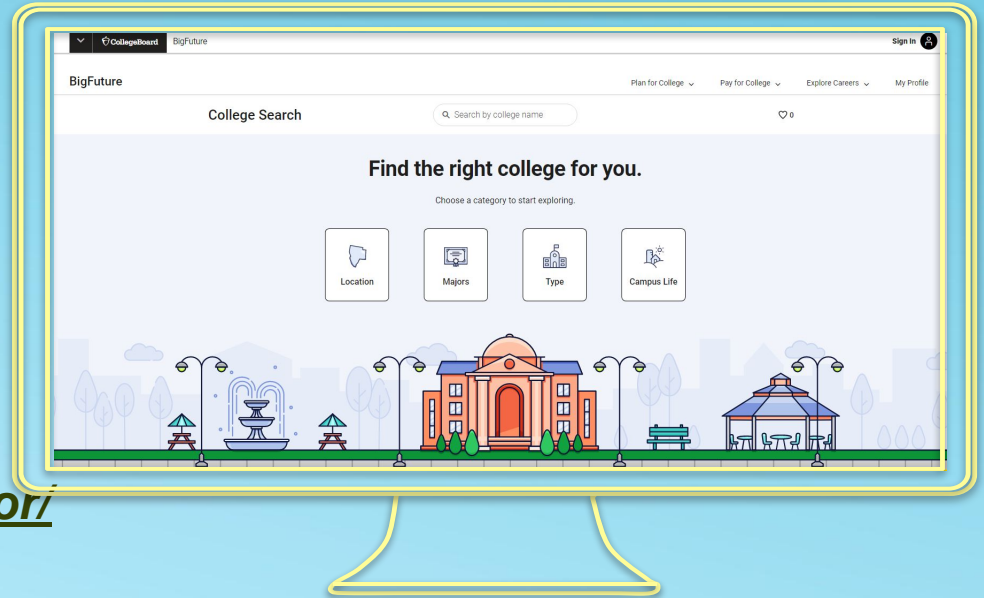
californiacolleges.edu

College Navigator

<https://nces.ed.gov/collegenavigator/>

College Scorecard

<https://collegescorecard.ed.gov/>



Get hands on experience via Career Colleges or Apprenticeships

A trade school or career college

sometimes referred to as a vocational school, technical school, or vocational college, is a post-secondary institution that's designed to give students the technical skills to prepare them for a specific occupation.

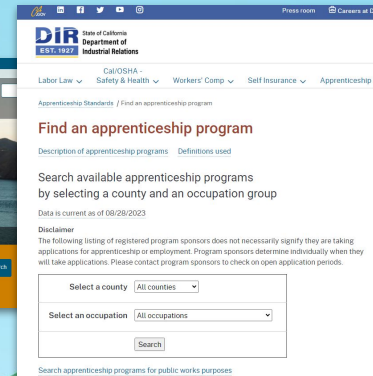
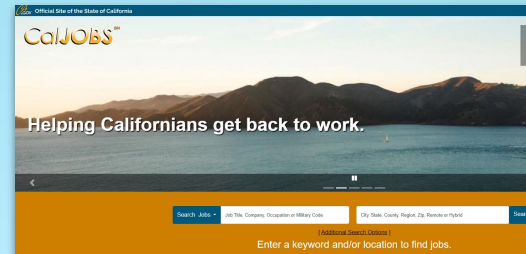
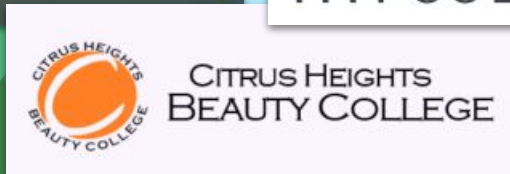


Apprenticeships

Training in the trades (plumber, electricians, carpenters, etc) provides SKILLED hands-on experience leading to full-time jobs.

Search for apprenticeships at

Cal Jobs or Dept of Industrial Relations



MILITARY OPTION



Military Branches and How to Get Started

<https://www.military.com/>



Army
FULL/PART TIME



Marine Corps
FULL/PART TIME



Navy
FULL/PART TIME



Air Force
FULL/PART TIME



Space Force
FULL TIME



Coast Guard
FULL/PART TIME

Explore your options- *click on live links*

- [Talk to a recruiter](#)
 - Visit [College & Career Center](#)
- Take the [ASVAB](#) - Hosted by the PHS College & Career Center
- Research [ROTC](#) Programs in College
- [Enlistment](#)

ASVAB- November 6; Military Academy Flex- September 7 in CCC

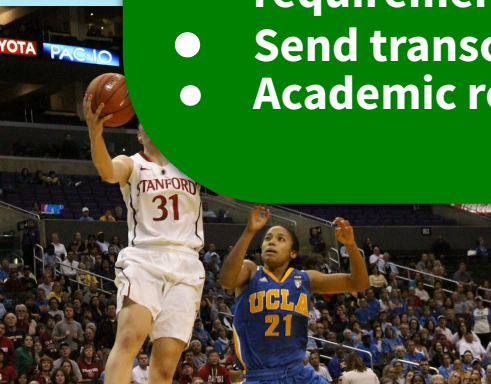
WANT TO PLAY SPORTS IN COLLEGE?

Learn about NCAA/NAIA

www.eligibilitycenter.org

<https://www.naia.org>

- Seniors must be registered already!
- ACT/SAT scores (if taken) must be sent directly to the Clearinghouse. Check the website in January for an update on the NCAA testing requirement.
- Send transcripts at the end of Junior year
- Academic requirements just as important as A-G's



Upcoming Senior Flex Opportunities

9/7- Naval Academy Officer to speak about Military Academies

9/13- Admissions counselor from UC San Diego

9/14- Admissions counselor from Oregon State

10/5 - Admissions counselor from Southern Oregon

10/10- College application workshop

10/12- College application workshop

10/17- Admissions counselor from Chico State

Search Career Center or Escobar, C to sign up!

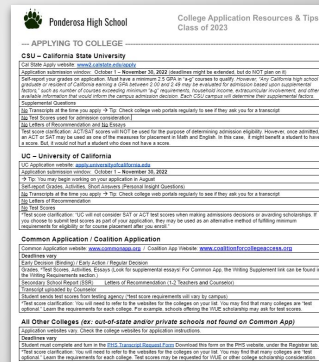
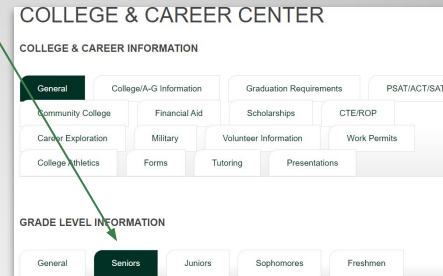


Flex Name	Category
<input type="text" value="Escobar, C"/>	<input type="text"/>
Escobar, C	Career Center

Know where to find your resources!

(this presentation will be available on the Senior page to access live links)

1. College and Career Center Website
2. Senior Quick Reference Guide
3. College Applications Tips PDF
4. Parent/Student Square Messages and daily bulletins
5. Upcoming Flex Opportunities
College Rep Visits, College Application & Scholarship workshops, etc.
6. College Fair
7. Come and visit the Career Center!



THE WELLNESS CENTER

How to Access:

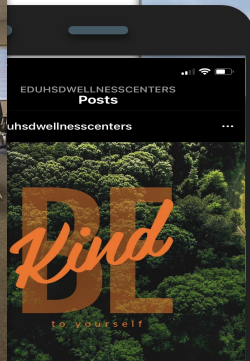
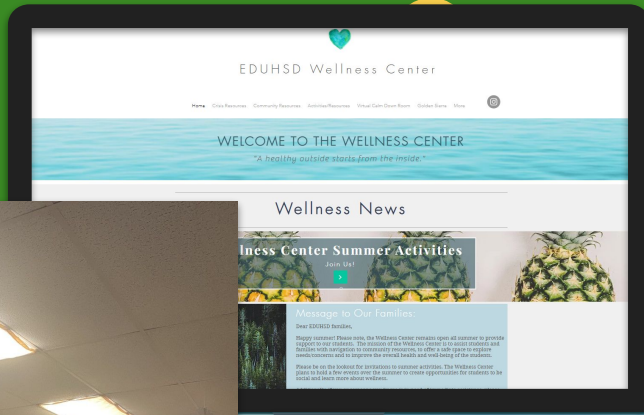
Students can request to meet with the Wellness Center directly by emailing or calling.

You can also ask your student's counselor to submit a referral.

The Wellness Center also has a website full of resources!

Follow the Wellness Center on Instagram @eduhswellnesscenters

www.scfswellnesscenters.org



If you have any questions, feel free to reach out to your counselor or the College & Career Center!

PHS Counselors & Career Center Staff

A - E

- Mrs. Katie Hunter - khunter@eduhsd.k12.ca.us

F-K

- Mr. Jim Spratling (Director of Guidance) - jspratling@eduhsd.k12.ca.us

L- Rei

- Mrs. Lisa Woods - lwoods@eduhsd.k12.ca.us

Ren - Z, EL

- Mrs. Mandy Fiedler - mfiedler@eduhsd.k12.ca.us

College & Career Center Specialist

- Mrs. Cammie Escobar - cescobar@eduhsd.k12.ca.us



THANK YOU!



We are here to help!!