

Patriot Parent University



10th/11th Grade

Getting Ready for Life After High School



★ AGENDA

- Parent Portal
- Reading Transcripts
- Course Selection (a – g List)
- Career Exploration
- College
- Scholarships, Loans & Financial Aid

Parent Portal



Parent Portal

Located on the
Liberty High
School Website:

<https://ca01001129.schoolwires.net/heritage>

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Heritage High School
Home of the Patriots

CAFETERIA PARENT PORTAL CALENDAR DIRECTORY

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Shortcuts

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Textbook Updates

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Yearbook

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WELCOMING STUDENTS BACK! OPENING GUIDANCE.

Welcome

Mission Statement

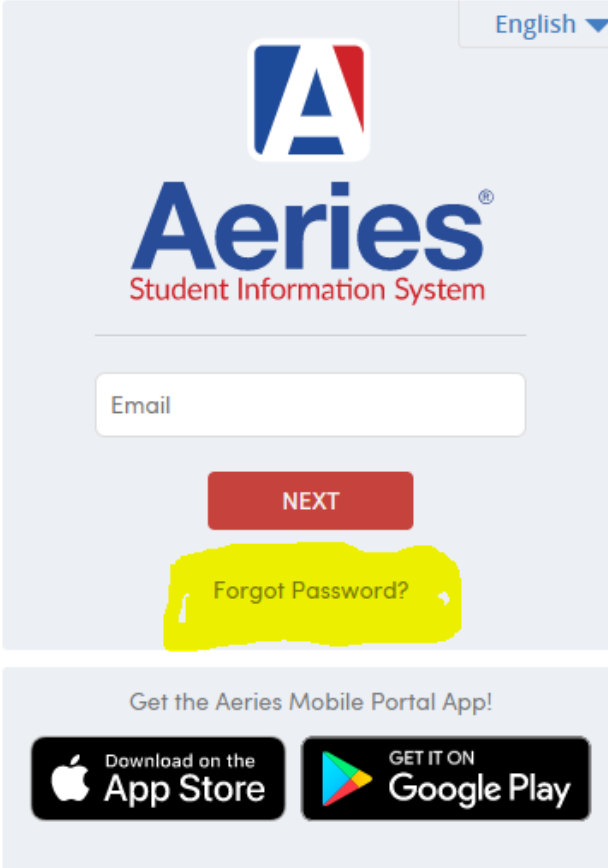
Heritage High School is dedicated to empowering all students to become life-long learners, committed to Honesty, Equality, Respect, Integrity, Trust, Achievement, Generosity and Excellence. All learning environments will provide a safe, student-centered, rigorous, relevant and engaging standards-based curriculum developed in a collaborative learning community. Heritage is committed to supporting social-emotional growth while preparing students to be productive citizens in the global and local community using career academies, enhanced extracurricular activities, and instructional technology.

Parent Portal Log in screen

Access:

- Grades
- Attendance
- Teacher Email

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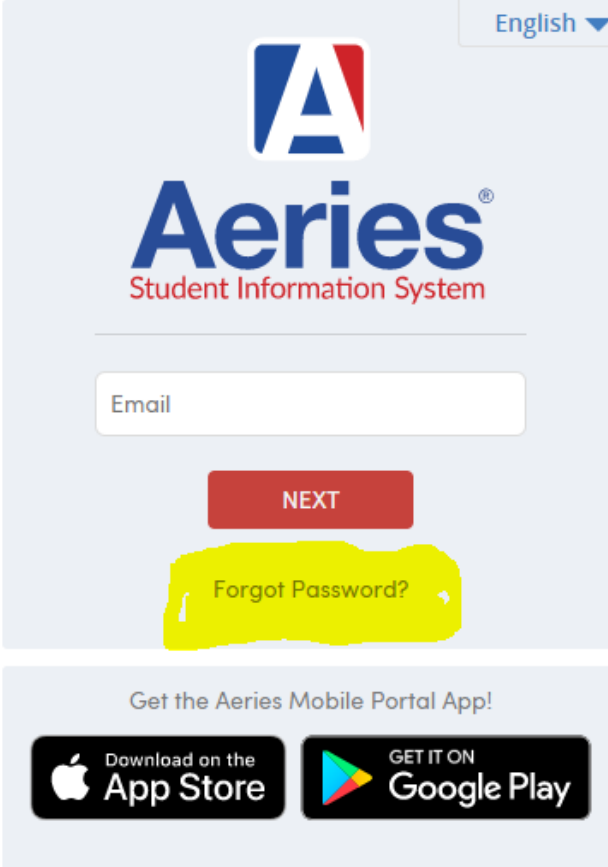
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Problems???

Email or call your
students SLC Office

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Transcripts



Transcripts: The Basics

Student Name	Student ID	Grade	Gender	Birthdate	Counselor	Transcript of Student Progress	
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	11	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	Bigler, J	<p>[REDACTED]</p> <p>Liberty High School 850 Second Street Brentwood, CA 94513 (925) 634-3521</p>	
Parent/guardian name, address, telephone		Entered LHS from EH for 1718.3/29/2017 dw					
[REDACTED]							
Crs-ID	Course Title	Mark	Alt/Cmp	Crs-ID	Course Title	Mark	Alt/Cmp
Grade 9 Fall 2017-2018							
Liberty High School							
				p 1516	P-Interns Art	A+	5.00 5.00
p 1506	P-Beginning Art	A+	5.00 5.00	p 1523	P-Public-Sp/Degrn	A+	5.00 5.00
p 1542	P-DaVinci Art 1	A+	5.00 5.00	* p 1575	P-AP Art Hist	A	5.00 5.00
p 2700	Health	A-	5.00 5.00	p 3040A	P-English 10	A+	5.00 5.00
p 3000	P-Eng 1	A	5.00 5.00	p 4670A	P-Geometry	B	5.00 5.00
p 3510	P-French 1	A	5.00 5.00	p 5020A	P-Living Earth	A+	5.00 5.00
p 4642	P-DaVinci Alg 1	B	5.00 5.00	p 5240A	P-World Hist	A	5.00 5.00
p 5115	P-Earth Science	A+	5.00 5.00	* 5700	PE 10th Core	A+	5.00 5.00
* 5750	PE 9th Core	A+	5.00 5.00	Credit Alt: 40.00 Cmp: 40.00 TGPA: 4.0000			
Credit Alt: 40.00 Cmp: 40.00 TGPA: 3.8750				--WORK IN PROGRESS--			
Grade 9 Spring 2017-2018							
Liberty High School							
p 1506	P-Beginning Art	A+	5.00 5.00	p 1302	P-PADA Core		10.00 0.00
p 1542	P-DaVinci Art 1	A+	5.00 5.00	p 1438	P-Am.Stdy/Eng 3		10.00 0.00
p 3000	P-Eng 1	A	5.00 5.00	p 1439	P-Am.Sty/His		10.00 0.00
p 3510	P-French 1	A	5.00 5.00	p 1520	P-Adv. Art		10.00 0.00
p 4642	P-DaVinci Alg 1	A	5.00 5.00	* p 1576	P-AP Drawing		10.00 0.00
p 5115	P-Earth Science	A	5.00 5.00	p 3520	P-French 2		10.00 0.00
* 5750	PE 9th Core	A	5.00 5.00	p 4690A	P-Algebra 2		10.00 0.00
7457	Foundns/Success	A	5.00 5.00	p 5165	P-Physics/Unsrns		10.00 0.00
Credit Alt: 40.00 Cmp: 40.00 TGPA: 4.0000				Total Credit: 80.00			
Grade 10 Fall 2018-2019							
Liberty High School							
p 1516	P-Interns Art	A+	5.00 5.00				
p 1523	P-Public-Sp/Degrn	A+	5.00 5.00				
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p 5020A	P-Living Earth	A+	5.00 5.00				
p 5240A	P-World Hist	A+	5.00 5.00				
* 5700	PE 10th Core	A+	5.00 5.00				
Credit Alt: 40.00 Cmp: 40.00 TGPA: 4.1250							
Grade 10 Spring 2018-2019							
Course Tags: * = Non Academic; + = Honors (weighted); p = College Prep; r = Repeated							
Weighted Non-Weighted Acad GPA (9-12) 4.0000 3.9286 Acad GPA (10-12) 4.8714 3.9286 Total GPA (9-12) 4.0000 3.9375 Credit Attempted: 160.00 Credit Completed: 160.00 Class Size: 646 Class Rank: 46 10-12 Rank: 39 Ranked by Weighted Total GPA				CREDIT SUMMARY Subject Area Credit Req'd Compl Needed English 9 10.00 10.00 - English 10 10.00 10.00 - English 11 10.00 - 10.00 Eng 12/Approved crs 10.00 - 10.00 Math 30.00 30.00 10.00 Physical Ed 20.00 20.00 - Science / Life 10.00 10.00 - Science / Physical 10.00 10.00 - Soc Sci / World Hist 10.00 10.00 - Soc Sci / US History 10.00 - 10.00 Soc Sci / Amer Govt 5.00 - 5.00 Soc Sci / Economics 5.00 - 5.00 Fine Art / For Lang 10.00 10.00 - Health 5.00 5.00 - ROP / Electives 115.00 55.00 60.00 * TOTALS * 270.00 160.00 110.00			
District Enter: 8/1/2017 School Enter: 8/1/2017 Class of 2021							
State ID# 7185534996							
This transcript is unofficial unless signed by a school official.				Signature: _____		Date: _____	

TRANSCRIPTS

*Transcripts are reflective of **SEMESTER** grades.

*Semester grades are based on **December** and **June** grades

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2700	Health	A	5.00 5.00	p 3620	P-Spanish 2	A	5.00 5.00
p 3000	P-Eng 1	A	5.00 5.00	p 4670	P-Geometry	A	5.00 5.00
p 3610	P-Spanish 1	A+	5.00 5.00	p 5020	P-Living Earth	A	5.00 5.00
p 4630	P-Algebra 1	A-	5.00 5.00	+ p 5270	P-AP World Hist	A-	5.00 5.00
p 5115	P-Earth Science	A+	5.00 5.00	p 5396	P-Psych/Society	A	5.00 5.00
* 5750	PE 9th Core	A-	5.00 5.00	* 5760	PE 10th Core	A+	5.00 5.00
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p 1506	P-Beginning Art	A	5.00 5.00	p 1060	P-Hlth Car Core	10.00	0.00
p 3000	P-Eng 1	A	5.00 5.00	+ p 3085	P-AP EngLangCm	10.00	0.00
p 3610	P-Spanish 1	A+	5.00 5.00	p 3630	P-Spanish 3	10.00	0.00
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p 5115	P-Earth Science	A+	5.00 5.00	p 5140	P-Chem/EarthSys	10.00	0.00
* 5750	PE 9th Core	A	5.00 5.00	p 5280	P-U.S. Hist	10.00	0.00
7457	Foundtns/Success	A	5.00 5.00	+ p 5397	P-AP Psychology	10.00	0.00
Credit Att: 35.00 Cmp: 35.00 TGPA: 4.0000				p 5582	P-ROP Sport Med	10.00	0.00
				Total Credit: 80.00			
Grade 10 Fall 2018-2019							
Liberty High School							
1065	Health Care Sys	A+	5.00 5.00				
p 3040	P-English 10	A	5.00 5.00				
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* 5760	PE 10th Core	A+	5.00 5.00				
Credit Att: 40.00 Cmp: 40.00 TGPA: 4.0000							
Grade 10 Spring 2018-2019							
Liberty High School							
1065	Health Care Sys	A	5.00 5.00				

TRANSCRIPTS

- ◆ Different Ways to Calculate GPA
- ◆ Class Rank
- ◆ Weighted vs. Non-Weighted

	Weighted	Non-Wgtd
Acad GPA (9-12)	4.0385	3.9615
Acad GPA (10-12)	4.0714	3.9286
Total GPA (9-12)	4.0333	3.9667
Credit Attempted: 150.00		
Credit Completed: 150.00		
Class Size: 646		
Class Rank: 35	10-12 Rank: 39	
Ranked by Weighted Total GPA		
District Enter: 8/1/2017		
School Enter: 8/1/2017		
Class of 2021		
State ID#	6989745778	

TRANSCRIPTS

◆ Credit Required =
270

◆ Credits Completed =
150

◆ Disregard Elective
Total

**150+ credits for
unscheduled period(s)**

CREDIT SUMMARY			
Subject Area	Credit Req'd	Compl	Needed
English 9	10.00	10.00	-
English 10	10.00	10.00	-
English 11	10.00	-	10.00
Eng 12/approved crs	10.00	-	10.00
Math	30.00	20.00	10.00
Physical Ed	20.00	20.00	-
Science / Life	10.00	10.00	-
Science / Physical	10.00	10.00	-
Soc Sci / World Hist	10.00	10.00	-
Soc Sci / US History	10.00	-	10.00
Soc Sci / Amer Govt	5.00	-	5.00
Soc Sci / Economics	5.00	-	5.00
Fine Art / For Lang	10.00	10.00	-
Health	5.00	5.00	-
ROP / Electives	115.00	45.00	70.00
* TOTALS *	270.00	150.00	120.00

UNSCHEDULED PERIODS

- ◆ Juniors can take ONE unscheduled period if 150+ credits
 - ◆ Seniors can take up to TWO unscheduled periods if 210+ credits

Course Selection (a – g List)



- HOME
- ACADEMICS
- ACTIVITIES
- ATHLETICS
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- SCHOOL INFO**
- STAFF
- STUDENT INFO
- TEACHERS



- ADMINISTRATION
- ATTENDANCE
- BELL SCHEDULE
- CALENDAR FOR THE YEAR
- CAMPUS MAP
- COURSE CATALOG**
- DAILY ANNOUNCEMENTS
- FACILITY REQUEST
- HERITAGE BROADCAST NEWS
- HERITAGE MISSION STATEMENT, VISION STATEMENT AND SCHOOL-WIDE LEARNER OUTCOMES
- IMPORTANT FORMS
- PATRIOT PLUS BROCHURE
- REGISTRATION INFORMATION
- SARC (SCHOOL ACCOUNTABILITY REPORT CARD)
- SCHOOL PROFILE 2018-19
- SINGLE PLAN FOR STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT
- STUDENT HANDBOOK
- INDEPENDENCE HS APPLICATION
- VISITING OUR CAMPUS PROCEDURES

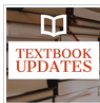
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College Preparation

Sample Schedules for College Eligibility

(in Course Catalog)

MAXIMIZING STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT FOR COLLEGE PREPARATION					
Example: Student 1: Eligible					
"a-g"	Subject Category	9 th Grade	10 th Grade	11 th Grade	12 th Grade
a	History		World History	US History	American Government
b	English	English 9	English 10	English 11	English 12
c	Mathematics	Algebra 1	Geometry	Algebra 2	
d	Lab Science	Life Science	Physical Science		
e	Language other than English		Spanish 1	Spanish 2	
f	Visual & Performing Arts		Symphonic Band		
g	College Prep Electives				Economics
Example: Student 2: Competitive					
"a-g"	Subject Category	9 th Grade	10 th Grade	11 th Grade	12 th Grade
a	History	AP Human Geography	AP World History	AP US History	AP American Government
b	English	English 9	English 10	AP English Lang	AP English Lit
c	Mathematics	Algebra 1	Geometry	Algebra 2	Pre-Calculus or Statistics
d	Lab Science	Life Science	Physical Science	Science	Science
e	Language other than English	Spanish 1	Spanish 2	Spanish 3	AP Spanish 4
f	Visual & Performing Arts	Theatre Arts 1	Theatre Arts 2	AP Studio Art 2D	AP Studio Art 3D
g	College Prep Electives		AP European History	AP Psychology	AP Economics

a-g Course Approved List

Located online in
our course catalog

The following courses meet requirements (a-g) for admission to the University of California and California State University.

* denotes courses that have been approved for extra honors credit; a=5, b=4, c=3

a-History/ Social Science – 2 years required

American Government	U.S. History	AP European History *
AP U.S. History *	World Cultures and Geography	AP Human Geography *
AP World History *	World History	AP US Government & Politics

b-English – 4 years required

AP English Language and Composition *
AP English Literature and Composition *
English 9
English 10
English 11
English 12

c-Mathematics – 3 years required (4 years recommended)

Algebra 1	Statistics	AP Calculus BC *
Algebra 2	Geometry	Financial Algebra
AP Calculus AB *	Intensified Algebra	AP Computer Science A *
AP Statistics *	Pre-Calculus	

d-Laboratory Science – 2 years required (3 years recommended for UC)

Anatomy & Physiology	Living Earth (Biology)	AP Environmental Science *
AP Biology *	Biotechnology	
AP Chemistry *	Chemistry in the Earth System	
AP Physics 1 *	Physics in the Universe	

e-Language Other than English – 2 years required (3 years recommended for UC)

French 1	French 4	Spanish 3
French 2	Spanish 1	Spanish 4
French 3	Spanish 2	Spanish for Spanish Speakers 2
AP Spanish Language & Culture *		

f-Visual & Performing Arts – 1 year required

Acting & Directing Workshop	Beginning Art	Concert Band
Ceramics I	Theatre Arts 1	Concert Choir
Ceramics II	Theatre Arts 2	Orchestra
AP Art History *	Theatre Arts 3	AP Studio Art: Drawing *
AP Studio Art: 2-D Design *	AP Studio Art: 3-D Design *	Women's Ensemble
Design 1	Intermediate Art	Intro. to Art History
Design 2	Art of Video Production	Jazz Band
Symphonic Band	Women's Chorus	Select Singers

g-Elective – 1 year required

AP Psychology *	AP Macroeconomics *	Economics
ROP Robotics Engineering Tech.	Exploring Computer Science	Introduction to Health Careers
Child Development	Foundations of Law, Govt & Public Service	Speech and Debate
Creative Writing	ROP Journalism	ROP Sports Medicine
Journalism (ROP)	Athletics Management	Mock Trials, Moot Courts & Trial Advocacy
Literary Analysis through Film	Sociology	Entomology
Psychology within Society	AP Seminar *	AP Research *
Computer Programming	ROP Law Enf./Adm. Of Justice	Teaching & Learning Careers

College & Career Center



College & Career Center

-Grade Level Action Plans

-Important Dates

-College Websites

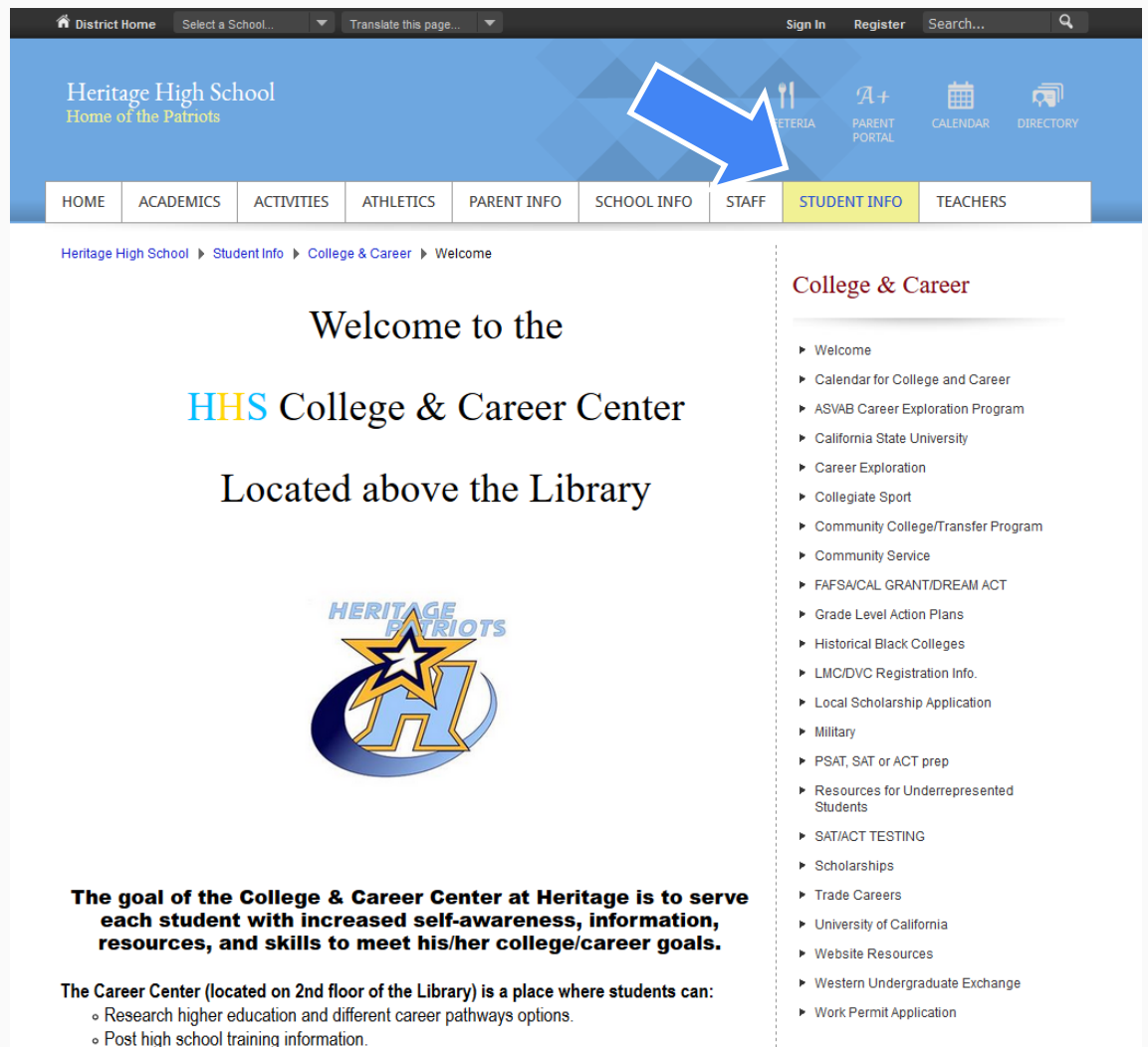
-College Athletics

-Financial Aid Information

-Scholarships

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-Work Permit Information



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Welcome to the

HHS College & Career Center

Located above the Library



The goal of the College & Career Center at Heritage is to serve each student with increased self-awareness, information, resources, and skills to meet his/her college/career goals.

The Career Center (located on 2nd floor of the Library) is a place where students can:

- Research higher education and different career pathways options.
- Post high school training information.

College & Career

- ▶ Welcome
- ▶ Calendar for College and Career
- ▶ ASVAB Career Exploration Program
- ▶ California State University
- ▶ Career Exploration
- ▶ Collegiate Sport
- ▶ Community College/Transfer Program
- ▶ Community Service
- ▶ FAFSA/CAL GRANT/DREAM ACT
- ▶ Grade Level Action Plans
- ▶ Historical Black Colleges
- ▶ LMC/DVC Registration Info.
- ▶ Local Scholarship Application
- ▶ Military
- ▶ PSAT, SAT or ACT prep
- ▶ Resources for Underrepresented Students
- ▶ SAT/ACT TESTING
- ▶ Scholarships
- ▶ Trade Careers
- ▶ University of California
- ▶ Website Resources
- ▶ Western Undergraduate Exchange
- ▶ Work Permit Application

College & Career Center

- Online Information
- Located on the second floor of the Media Center (Library)

College and Career Coordinator

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*Official transcripts can be requested and sent by visiting the [link located here](#).

COUNSELING

The Heritage High School Counseling Department provides comprehensive guidance services to all HHS students. Each student is assigned to a counselor that represents their Small Learning Community (SLC). Counselors are available, by appointment, to help students with academic success, educational planning, career exploration, and personal concerns.

The Counseling Staff includes:

SLC-A-1: Kayla Morgan ext:6016

SLC-A-2: Jenna Tioseco ext:6116

SLC-B: David Campos ext:6026

SLC-C: Mallu Moore ext:6036

SLC-D: Jackeline Valdez ext:6046

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Career Exploration



Life After High School

Options include:

Vocational/Career College

Community college

California public college

California private college

Out-of-state public or private college

Gap Year

Military

Work

Vocational & Trade Schools

- Community colleges, unions, trade schools
- Entrance exam
- On the job training
- Earn degree or certificates
- Cost vary
- www.calapprenticeship.org

LOS MEDANOS
COLLEGE



PAUL MITCHELL



Military



***Talk to a recruiter for more information (Career Center)**

***Students must take the ASVAB (sign up in the Career Center).**

Counselor Led Classroom Exploration Activities

9th Grade – Grade 4-year plan

10th Grade – Career Exploration

11th Grade – Parent University

12th Grade – Senior Parent Night

Go to the website:
<http://www.cacareerzone.org>



The screenshot shows the homepage of the California CareerZone website. At the top left is the logo for "Career Zone California". To the right of the logo is a navigation menu with "Explore", "Decide", and "Grow" buttons, and a search bar. Below the navigation is a large blue banner with the text "Welcome to California CareerZone" and a "Register Now!" button. The banner also features an illustration of the Golden Gate Bridge and a city skyline. Below the banner is a section titled "Choose an option below. Not sure where to start?" with a "Take the Tour" button. This section contains three main options: "Assess Yourself", "Explore Job Families", and "Make Money Choices". Each option has a descriptive paragraph and a "Begin Assessment", "Start Exploring", or "Get Started" button respectively. At the bottom of the page is a blue footer bar with links for "About", "Privacy Policy", "Latest News", and "Help / Contact". Below the footer bar is the logo for the "California Career Resource Network".

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

Explore Decide Grow Search

Welcome to California CareerZone

Register for an account with California CareerZone to customize your career exploration.

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Assess Yourself

Self-Assessments can help you know yourself better. And knowing yourself better can help you choose a satisfying job or occupational field to explore.

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Explore Job Families

Starting your search by looking at broad sectors can help you find related occupations within an area that you might enjoy.

[Start Exploring](#)

Make Money Choices

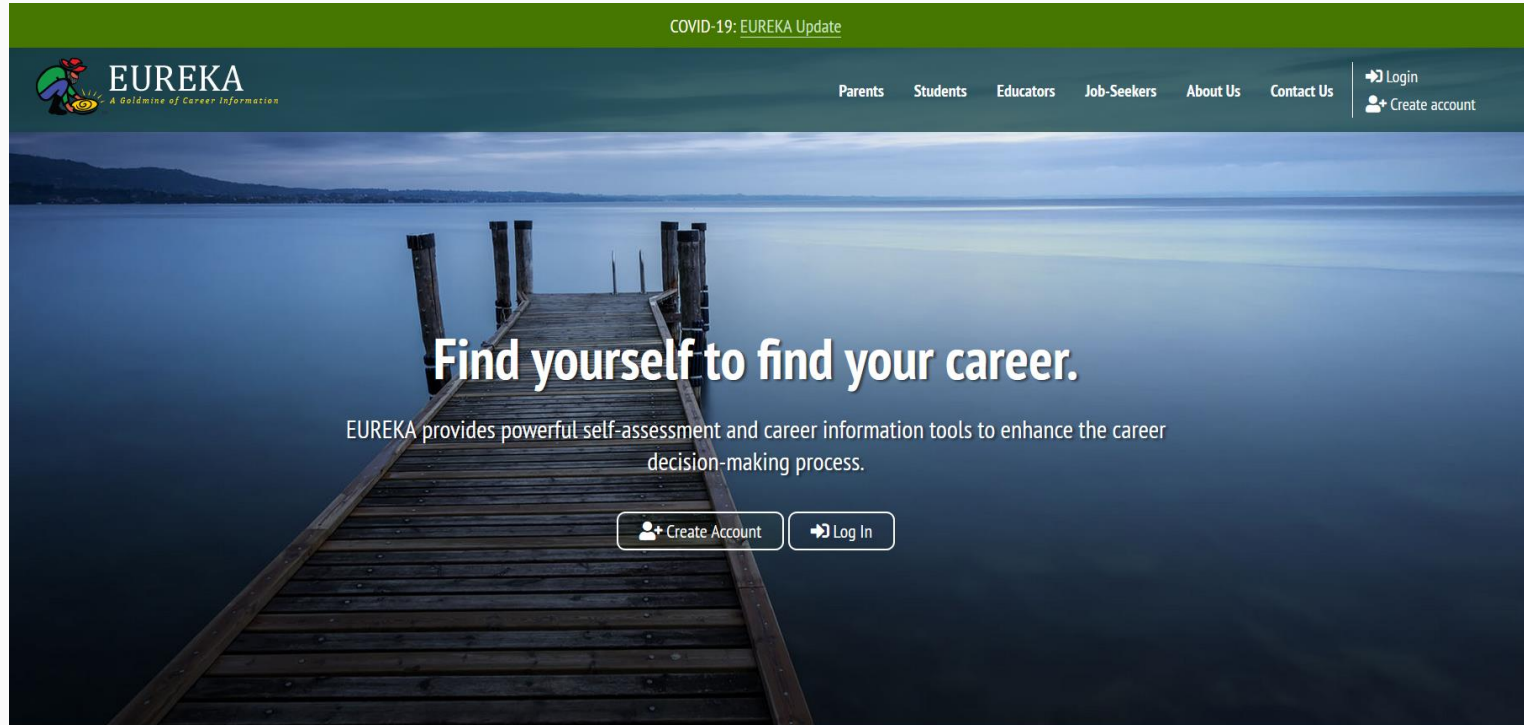
After High School you will need to work to pay for housing, transportation, and clothes... Find out how much money you will need and which occupations will pay for all your needs.

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 California Career Resource Network

Go to the website:
<http://www.eureka.org>



COVID-19: EUREKA Update

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A Goldmine of Career Information

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Find yourself to find your career.

EUREKA provides powerful self-assessment and career information tools to enhance the career decision-making process.

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Site ID Code: **X7HR2CM**

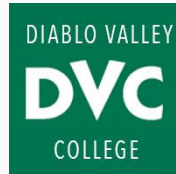
College



Community Colleges

- **Tuition: First two years are free, if you complete the required steps**
- Associate's degrees / degrees for transfer
- Multiple ways to transfer to 4 year Universities
- Certification programs, trade programs
- LMC will do orientations and enrollment in the spring on Liberty's campus

LOS MEDANOS
COLLEGE




**First Time
Full Time
Free Tuition**

- ✓ **TAKE CHARGE** of my future with the college's help
- ✓ **ATTEND** one of our colleges full-time (at least 12 college units per semester)
 - Apply Now [CCC](#), [DVC](#), [LMC](#)
- ✓ **GET READY** to attend college and do the following:
 - Complete and submit the Free Application for [Federal Student Aid \(FAFSA\)](#) or [California Dream Act application](#)
 - Complete an Educational Plan
- ✓ **COMMIT**
 - Complete a minimum of 12 units
 - Maintain a 2.0 grade point average or higher to remain eligible
 - Actively participate in college programs and support services
 - Make steady progress on my education plan

Graduation vs College Requirements

Must earn grades of C or better!

Subject	Graduation	A - G (UC's and CSU's)
A - Social Science	30 credits (3 years)	2 years
B - English	40 credits (4 years)	4 years
C - Math	30 credits (3 years)	3 years/ 4 recommended
D - Science	20 credits (2 years) 10 Biological 10 Physical	2 years/ 3 recommended 1 Biological, 1 Physical + another lab science
E - LOTE: Language other than English	 10 credits (1 year) OR 10 credits (1 year) Fine Arts	2 years / 3 recommended
F - Visual /Performing / Fine Arts		1 year
G - Electives	115 credits Any course above graduation requirement counts as elective credits	1 year of college prep elective For a list of classes: https://hs-articulation.ucop.edu/agcourselist#/list/details/506/
Health	5 Credits	
PE	20 credits (2 years)	
Total	270 credits	15 classes (that are year long)

University of California (UC)	California State Universities (CSU)	Private and Out of State Universities
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 10 Campuses • Completion of A-G • Suggested GPA 3.0 (realistically 3.8 and higher)* • SAT or ACT Score required (with essay) • Personal insight questions • Nov 1st-30th 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 23 Campuses • Completion of A-G • Suggested GPA 3.0 • SAT or ACT Score required • Oct 1st to Nov 30th 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Many campuses throughout the nation • Cost vary dramatically \$-\$\$\$ • SAT/ACT Score • Letter of Recommendations • Applications and deadline vary (Common App, school's own system, etc.) • Eligibility requirements may vary
Cost: approx. \$26,000	Cost: approx. \$32,000	Cost: approx. \$30,000-\$67,000

*GPA requirements will vary based on major and school *SAT/ACT requirements are changing

College Entrance Tests:

SAT
or
ACT

*Must take at least one
for college eligibility

PRACTICE TEST:

PSAT – Practice SAT (11th Grade, Fall)

PSAT 10 – Practice SAT (10th Grade, Spring)

MOCK SAT or ACT – Practice (10th-11th Gr, varies)

ACTUAL TEST:

SAT – Critical Reading, Essay and Math

www.sat.collegeboard.org

(Spring of 11th Grade)

OR

ACT – Reading, Essay, Math and Science

www.actstudent.org

(Spring of 11th Grade)

SAT & ACT Requirement UPDATES

The University of California will not consider SAT or ACT test scores when making admissions decisions or awarding Regents and Chancellor's scholarships. If you choose to submit test scores as part of your application, they may be used to determine your eligibility for the California statewide admissions guarantee, as an alternative method of fulfilling minimum requirements for eligibility or for course placement after you enroll.

There is no standardized test requirement for UC admission.

(Test Optional for high school class of 2021 and 2022, then test blind)

While SAT subject tests are not required, some campuses recommend that freshman applicants interested in competitive majors take the tests to demonstrate subject proficiency.

Example: Berkeley College of Chemistry and College of Engineering: Math Level 2 and a science test (Biology E/M, Chemistry, or Physics) closely related to the applicant's intended major.

SAT & ACT Requirement UPDATES

The California State University (CSU) will continue to temporarily suspend the use of ACT/SAT examinations in determining admission eligibility for all CSU campuses for the 2022-2023 academic year. This temporary change of admission eligibility applies for the following terms: Fall 2021, Winter 2022, Spring 2022, Fall 2022, Winter 2023 and Spring 2023 admission cycles. First-time freshmen must meet the following eligibility requirements be a high school graduate or equivalent; complete the 15-unit comprehensive “a-g” pattern of college preparatory course; and earn a qualifying “a-g” grade point average (GPA) as described below.

- California residents and graduates of California high schools will be eligible for admission by earning a 2.50 or greater “a-g” GPA. Any California high school graduate or resident of California earning a GPA between 2.00 and 2.49 may be evaluated for admission based upon supplemental factors such as number of courses exceeding minimum “a-g” requirements, household income, extracurricular involvement, and other available information that would inform the campus admission decision. Each CSU campus will determine the supplemental factors used with GPA to determine eligibility in these cases and communicate these criteria publicly for prospective students.

The California State University is committed to helping high school and community college students to overcome college admissions challenges caused by COVID-19. The CSU has taken steps to ensure students are not adversely impacted by these disruptions and can achieve their CSU education as scheduled.

Test Blind vs Test Optional

Test blind: they don't factor test scores into admissions decisions even if students submit scores.

Test-optional policies are more of a gray area and can differ from one school to another.

Test optional: students can choose whether or not to submit SAT, ACT, and other test scores for consideration.

How will this affect the Class of 2022 and beyond?

Most of the test-optional policies adopted by colleges and universities this year are intended to last only one year. However, a number of schools had already been considering making the jump to test optional, and some of those are launching longer pilot programs—for example, Tufts University will be launching a three-year pilot program and reevaluating after that, and the University of California system announced a five-year plan that includes test optional, then two years of test-blind admissions for residents, culminating in the creation of their own test.

For the most part, we expect that we will not know about testing policies for the class of 2022 for quite some time (hopefully spring) so we encourage juniors to approach the testing process as they normally would.

College Search Sites

[CaliforniaCollege.edu](https://www.californiacollege.edu)

[BigFuture.CollegeBoard.org](https://bigfuture.collegeboard.org)

[MyOptions.org](https://myoptions.org)

[Wichie.edu](https://www.wichie.edu)

[UniversityofCalifornia.edu](https://www.universityofcalifornia.edu)

[CalState.edu](https://www.calstate.edu)

College Readiness List:

✓ 10th Grade

- ✓ Take College Prep courses to fulfill “A-G” Requirements
- ✓ Take PSAT 10 in FEBRUARY
- ✓ Register for NCAA Eligibility Center if your students plans to play sports at the college level
- ✓ Take Geometry or Algebra 2
- ✓ Visit schools during the school breaks if possible
- ✓ Sign up for college presentations in the College and Career Center

College Readiness List:

✓ 11th Grade

- ✓ Take MORE College Prep courses to fulfill “A-G” Requirements
- ✓ Take the PSAT/NMSQT in October
- ✓ Register for NCAA Eligibility Center if your students plans to play sports at the college level (***If you haven’t already!***)
- ✓ Do your best of the EAP in the Spring as the score you get helps determine your Math and English placement in college!
- ✓ Take Algebra 2 or other advanced math course
- ✓ Visit MORE schools during the school breaks if possible
- ✓ Sign up for MORE college presentations in the College and Career Center
- ✓ Sign up the SAT or ACT in the Spring

Scholarship, Loans and Financial Aid



Understanding Financial Aid

Financial Aid is any sort of money that is used to help a student pay for college. This includes **grants**, **scholarships**, and **student loans**. This money can often be used toward tuition, books, and other school related expenses.

When is the annual Financial Aid Night?	HHS holds an annual Financial Aid Night in the fall.
What agency can I contact for more information regarding financial aid?	Contact the California Student Aid Commission at 1-800-433-3243 or www.csac.ca.gov
What is the Financial Aid Website?	www.fafsa.gov
Does it cost money to apply?	No - It is FREE! (Please use the above web address, as other links will charge you an application fee)
What does FAFSA stand for?	Free Application For Federal Student Aid
When should I apply?	You can begin the application in the Fall (October 1) of your SENIOR year
Do I have to apply every year?	Yes , students must submit a FAFSA for each year they plan on attending college. March 2nd is the Cal Grant deadline. Some colleges will have an earlier date. Check with each college that you apply to.

What's the difference between a Student Loan and a Grant/Scholarship?	Student loans must be repaid (usually with interest); grants/scholarships are not repaid. So make sure not to borrow more than you need! Learn more at studentloans.gov and studentaid.gov
What are Cal Grants?	Cal Grants are state-funded, need-based, cash grants given to California college students or student who qualify under AB540 CA Law. This will help pay for tuition and other school needs
How can I apply for a Cal Grant?	Once you complete the FAFSA/Dream Act application (by March 2nd) you will automatically be considered for the Cal Grant (once your GPA verification has been submitted)
Cal Grant A	Low to middle income students who have a 3.00 high school GPA minimum, have a financial need, meet the income and assets requirements, and are working towards an Associates (AA) or Bachelors (BA/BS) degree
Cal Grant B	Low income students who meet specific income and assets requirements, have financial need, 2.00 high school GPA minimum, and are working towards an Associates (AA) or Bachelors (BA/BS) degree
Cal Grant C	Low and middle income students who meet the income and assets requirements, have financial need, enroll in vocational courses of study, and are working towards an Associates (AA) degree or a certificate/vocational program

<p>What is the California Dream Act?</p>	<p>The California Dream Act Application is the Financial Aid application for certain documented & eligible undocumented students</p>
<p>What is the Chafee Grant for Foster Youth?</p>	<p>The California Chafee Grant Program provides up to \$5,000 annually to foster youth and former foster youth to use for college expenses. To qualify, a student must have been in foster care between their 16th and 18th birthday. Students must complete the Chafee Grant application at chafee.csac.ca.gov <u>and</u> the FAFSA application. If you have specific questions please call (888)224-7268</p>
<p>If I am a DACA student do I complete the FAFSA?</p>	<p>NO! DACA students (Deferred Action for Childhood Arrivals) for Deferred Action should complete the Dream Act Application and NOT the FAFSA.</p>
<p>What is "COA"?</p>	<p>Each college has its own cost of attendance, or COA, which includes: <i>tuition, fees, books, supplies, housing, food, transportation, and other personal expenses</i> for the school year</p>
<p>What is "EFC"?</p>	<p>Your expected family contribution, or EFC, is the amount of money the government calculates out that you and your family could reasonably contribute toward your college education for the year</p>



MCS

- Must be enrolled at a UC or CSU
- Must be enrolled at least ½ time
- 1st Undergraduate program
- Income ≤ \$184,000
- Assets ≤ \$184,000
- Maximum UC award \$5,028
- Maximum CSU award \$2,298
- Last processed award each academic year



Only for students who have less than 40% of their UC or CSU fees covered by grants and scholarships

Questions?

BigFuture Days College Fair

Learn More



College Board is hosting our first-ever series of virtual college fairs called BigFuture™ Days. Encourage sophomores and juniors at your school to sign up for a chance to connect directly with college admissions representatives and current college students. They'll have a chance to explore colleges in a way that's not overwhelming, ask questions about topics they want to learn about, and take action on key college planning steps.

Direct students to register at cb.org/bigfuturedays.

Students can attend any event and more than one.

BigFuture Day West + Southwest
Saturday, February 6

BigFuture Day Southeast
Tuesday, February 23

BigFuture Day Northeast
Sunday, March 7

BigFuture Day Midwest

