

9th Grade Freshman Year



Agenda:

- ✗ Requirement Review (High School & A-G)
- ✗ Transcript Explanation
- ✗ Systems of Higher Education
- ✗ Financial Aid

California Colleges

- ✗ Registration
- ✗ Activity

Requirement Review

High School Graduation & 4 Year College Eligibility



Credits

- ✘ How do you earn credits?
- ✘ How many credits do you earn per class?
- ✘ What is a passing grade for High School graduation?
- ✘ What happens if you do not earn credits?



What is Community Service?

Community service refers to **service** that a person performs for the benefit of his or her local community. It must be for a non-profit organization, school, church or public agency.

40 HOURS are required for graduation

Visit Student Services or the [WHS Website](#) for additional Information

A-G or 4 Year College Eligibility Minimum Requirements

You can go to
COLLEGE

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

Category	Required Years	Recommended Years	Credits
A History	2		2
B English	4		4
C Mathematics	3	4	4
D Laboratory Science	2	3	3
E Foreign Language	2	3	3
F Visual and Performing Arts	1		1
G College Prep Elected	1		1

* Grades of C or better required.

History: 20 credits
10 credits: World History (10th grade)
10 credits: US History (11th grade)

English: 40 credits

Math: 30 credits (40 recommended)
(Math I, Math II, Math III minimum)

Science: 20 credits (30 recommended)
10 credits: Life Science
10 credits: Physical Science

Language: 20 credits (same language)

Visual/Performing Art: 10 credits

College Prep Elective: 10 credits

Remember:
C grades or better in all A-G classes is required to be eligible to apply to a 4 year university!

A: History/Social Science- 2 years required

10 th	World History.....	10 credits
11 th	US History.....	10 credits
12 th	Government	5 credits
	Economics	5 credits

B: English-

4 years required

9 th Grade	10 th Grade	11 th Grade	12 th Grade
English 9	English 10	Jr. Literature	Expo Read/Write
English 9 Puente	English 10 Puente	AP English Language	Multicultural Lit
English 9 Adv.	English 10 Adv.		AP English Literature

C: Mathematics-

3 years required

4 years recommended

Math I

Math II

Math III or Math III w/Financial Applications

Pre-Calculus

or

Intro to Statistics

AP Calculus



D: Laboratory Science

2 years required

3 years recommended

Life Science10 credits

Physical Science10 credits

Biological Sciences	Physical Sciences
Biology, Biology & Sustainable Agriculture	Chemistry, Chemistry & AgriScience
Zoology/Botany	Physics
Anatomy/Physiology	AP Physics
AP Biology	AP Chemistry

E: World Language

2 years required

3 years recommended

Woodland High School:

Spanish 1

Spanish for Spanish Speakers 1

Spanish 2

Spanish for Spanish Speakers 2

Spanish 3

AP Spanish Language

Spanish 4

AP Spanish Literature

Woodland Community College***:

American Sign Language 1

American Sign Language 2

F: Visual & Performing Arts

1 year required

- Art and Culture
- Theatre Arts, Play Production
- Concert Choir, Chamber Singers
- Jazz Ensemble, Concert Band, Symphonic Band, Wind Ensemble
- Guitar, Piano
- Color & Design, Art 1, 2, 3, AP Art
- 3/D Design, Ceramics
- Restaurant Management
- Horticulture

G: College Prep Elective

1 year required

- Courses expected to be at advanced level with appropriate prerequisites in “a-f” subject areas:
 - *Ex.: Spanish 3, Pre-Calculus*

OR

- Courses that can give an introduction to a college major or provide in-depth experience in new areas of academic disciplines:
 - *Ex.: Psychology, Chicano Studies*

Did You Notice?

WHS Graduation Requirements
and A-G Requirements are VERY
Similar.... *What was the
difference??????*



Transcripts

Courses / Grades / Requirements

Things to check:

NAME: (FAFSA, official document for work, college, etc)

Credits: Am I on track to graduate?

Post High School: Do I want to meet A-G eligibility?

GPA: 2.0 for working and sports
2.0 for Cal Grant B
3.0 for Cal Grant A

**Yours will look like this in 10th grade.
This is how grades go onto a transcript**

Student Name	Student ID	Grade	Birthdate	Counselor	Transcript of Student Progress						
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Parent/guardian name, address, telephone					September 10, 2021 Woodland Senior High School 21 North West Street Woodland, CA 95695 (530) 662-4678 Fax (530) 662-7464						
Crs-ID	Course Title	Mark	Att/Cmp	Crs-ID	Course Title	Mark	Att/Cmp				
Grade 9 Fall 2020-2021											
Woodland High School											
p	SB110Y English 9	B	5.00	5.00							
p	SC113Y Int Math I	A-	5.00	5.00							
p	SD110Y Biology	C	5.00	5.00							
p	SE110Y Spanish 1	C-	5.00	5.00							
p	SF310Y Color & Design	C-	5.00	5.00							
*	SN110Y Co-Ed PE 9	A	5.00	5.00							
	SOS20T Health	B-	5.00	5.00							
Credit Att: 35.00 Cmp: 35.00 TGPA: 2.86											
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Woodland High School											
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p	SC113Y Int Math I	C-	5.00	5.00							
p	SD110Y Biology	D	5.00	5.00							
p	SE110Y Spanish 1	F	5.00	0.00							
p	SF310Y Color & Design	C	5.00	5.00							
	SM210T Tech 9	C	5.00	5.00							
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Total GPA (9-12)		2.3571	2.3571		Math	30.00	10.00	20.00			
Credit Attempted:		70.00		Life Science	10.00	10.00	-				
Credit Completed:		65.00		Physical Science	10.00	-	10.00				
Class Size:		349		World History/Geog	10.00	-	10.00				
Class Rank:		187	10-12 Rank: 47		U.S. History	10.00	-	10.00			
Ranked by Weighted Total GPA								American Gov/T	5.00	-	5.00
District Enter: 8/10/2011								Economics	5.00	-	5.00
School Enter: 4/29/2020								Health	5.00	5.00	-
Class of 2024								Fine Arts/For. Lan	10.00	10.00	-
State ID#								Physical Education	20.00	10.00	10.00
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Signature: _____								Electives	70.00	5.00	65.00
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University of California & California State University

UC (ex. Berkeley, Davis)	CSU (ex. Sacramento, Fresno)
*Grades, and the courses you take	*Grades, and the courses you take
*Personal Insights Questions	NO Personal Insight Questions
*Activities and Awards	NO Activities and Awards Section
GPA of 3.0 or higher	GPA of 2.5 or higher

“D” grades DO NOT count for 4 year colleges



University of California (UC)

- 10 campuses in CA – only 9 open for undergraduates
- Minimum GPA is 3.0
- Acceptance based on:
 - A-G Courses and GPA
 - Extracurricular Activities and Involvement
 - Personal Statement
- Impacted Majors will have stricter requirements

- Applications accepted from October 1st to November 30th
 - Application opens in August....start early!
 - Fee Waiver = 4 Free Applications

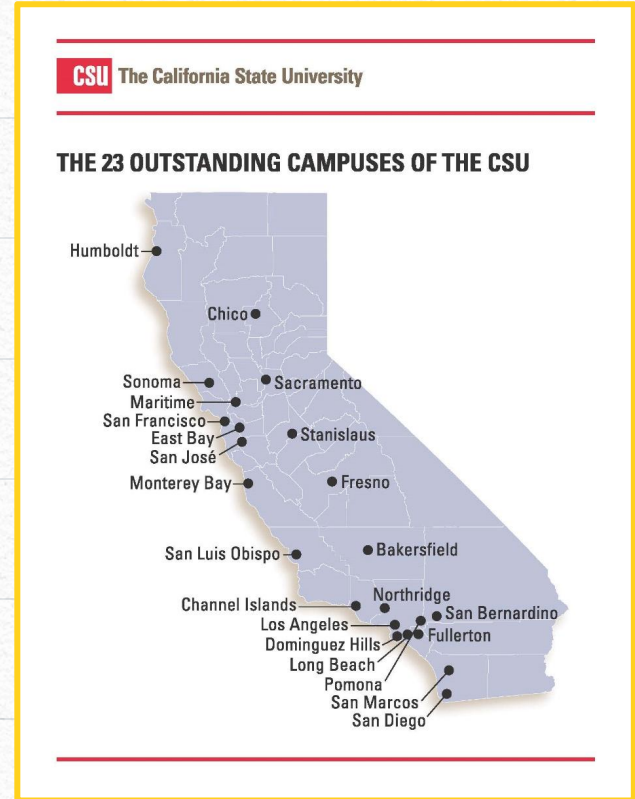


California State University (CSU)

- 23 Campuses
- Minimum GPA is 2.5
- Acceptance based on:
 - A-G Courses and GPA

- Applications accepted from October 1st to November 30th
 - Fee Waiver = 4 FREE APP'S

- Impacted Campuses will have stricter requirements



California Private/Independent Colleges & Universities

- 85 Campuses throughout California (aiccu.edu)
- Provide large scholarship/financial aid packages
- Smaller class size and faster graduation rates
- Target students that are of good academic standing and in line with the school mission
- Requirements and Deadlines will VARY
- Many use the Common App, 805 use it nationwide.



College Fairs

[CSU College Night](#) - Sept. 28 @ 6:00pm
Location: CSUS 6000 J St. Sacramento

[Black College Expo](#) - Oct. 28 @ 10am-4pm
Location: CSUS 6000 J St. Sacramento

[Steps to College](#) - TBD Feb. 2024
Location: Consulate General of Mexico, 2093
Arena Blvd Sacramento

Also- check out
[Californiacolleges.edu](https://californiacolleges.edu)
and BigFuture.org to
search for a College,
Program, and Career that
fits YOU!

What Are Majors and Degrees?

- Majors are courses of study in college.

Associate's Degree:

“2 year degree” awarded by Community College (*you do not have to have an associates degree, and can continue to go to Bachelors degree without it). *Not awarded at a 4 Year University*

Bachelor's Degree:

“4 year degree” awarded by 4 Year Universities (UCDavis, Sac State, etc). Typically a minimum of 120 units required

Master's Degree:

Additional study in a specialized field after obtaining a Bachelor's degree, typically 2-4 years on top of Bachelor's Degree (*you can skip the Master's if you want or allowed for PhD programs)

Professional Degree / Doctorate:

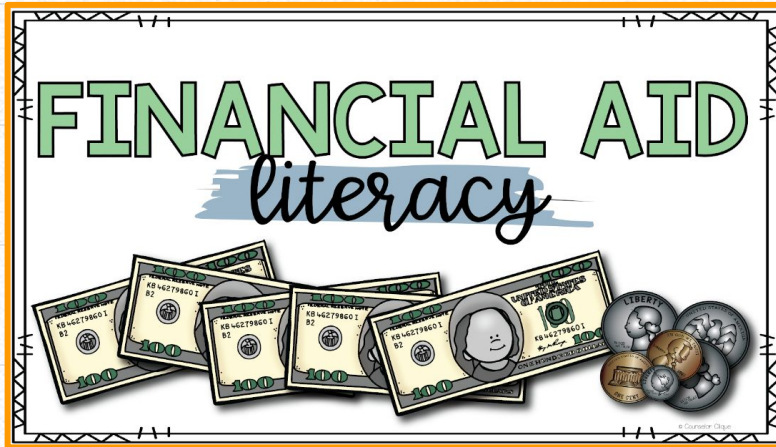
Specialization in specific areas, typically between 3-10 years. Require Bachelor degrees prior to getting into these programs (including medical school, law school, etc)

Financial Aid



What is Financial Aid?

Financial Aid is a term used to encompass school loans, grants, work study, and scholarships to help pay for post high school education.



What is the FAFSA?

- The Free Application for Federal Student Aid is an application that is submitted before **EACH** year of college. The application opens in December (of 12th grade) and needs to be completed before March 2nd. The application is submitted to be eligible for Cal Grants, Pell Grants, Federal Loans (*typically lower interest rates than private loans*) and **MUST** be submitted to be eligible for the 2 years of free tuition at California Community Colleges.

What is the CADAA?

- The California Dream Act Application allows students interested in attending eligible California Colleges, Universities, and Career Education Programs to apply for state financial aid. It is submitted before **EACH** year of college. The application opens October 1st (of 12th grade) and needs to be completed before March 2nd. This application is unrelated to the federal Deferred Action for Childhood Arrivals (DACA) program.

Counselors are located in *Student Services!*

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CaliforniaColleges.Edu

Registration and Activity



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  Sign In

Welcome

CaliforniaColleges.edu provides students with an
**all-inclusive guide for their college & career paths &
enables educators to track their progress.**



Register your account!

This allows you to save information to your account each time you do an activity.

The screenshot shows the top portion of the California Colleges.edu website. At the top left is the 'California College Guidance Initiative' logo. In the center is the title 'How To Register Your Account with CaliforniaColleges.edu'. At the top right is the 'CALIFORNIA COLLEGES.edu' logo with the tagline 'DISCOVER. PLAN. LAUNCH.'. Below the title, a text instruction reads 'Step 1: Go to CaliforniaColleges.edu, and click on Register Your Account'. A red arrow points from this text to a 'Register Your Account' button in the top right corner of the page. The main content area is split into two columns: the left column has a yellow background with the text 'CaliforniaColleges.edu Your free, all-access pass to a bright future. Students, find your path and build knowledge, skills, and a plan to achieve your dreams. Parents and educators, guide and support them every step of the way.' The right column has a dark blue background with a 'Sign In' section containing input fields for 'Email Address/Username' and 'Password', a 'Sign In' button, a 'Forgot Password?' link, and a 'Sign In as Army' button with a logo.



CALIFORNIA COLLEGES.edu

Activity!

Complete the Interest Profiler. This will give you a list of careers that CA Colleges thinks you might be interested in for the future.

Read through the information about the careers that you find interesting to help with completing the form.

Forms will be turned into your English teacher to help with an assignment in English.

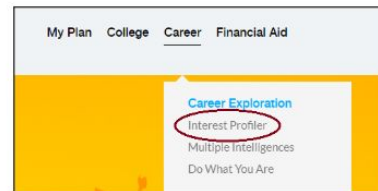
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Interest Inventory

Step 1: CaliforniaColleges.edu



Step 3: Click on Career area, and select Interest Profiler



Step 2: Sign in with GOOGLE

Step 4: Click GET STARTED, and complete the Interest Profiler