

ETHS

**PLANNING FOR MY
FUTURE**

CLASS OF 2025

FAMILY NIGHT



El Toro High School PSTO

Parent Student Teacher Organization

The PSTO is the **ONLY** booster club on campus that supports **EVERY** student at El Toro.



PSTO President Tina Fellers

What does PSTO do?

- Student support including Awards Celebrations, Finals Treats & Back to School Welcome
- Senior Scholarships, Grad Nite, Senior Breakfast
- Teacher and classroom needs through Education Boosters funded by the Charger 5K on July 4th
- 3 Staff/Teacher Appreciation luncheons
- Family Education Nights
- Parent Volunteer Opportunities
- Regular meetings to share ideas, meet other parents and hear from the Principal, ASB President and the Activity Director



How to get involved with PSTO ?

- Become a Member- School year memberships open on July 1, \$20/family
- Come to a General Meeting- All are welcome!
- Volunteer at the Charger 5K on the 4th of July
- Read the Charger Weekly Newsletter



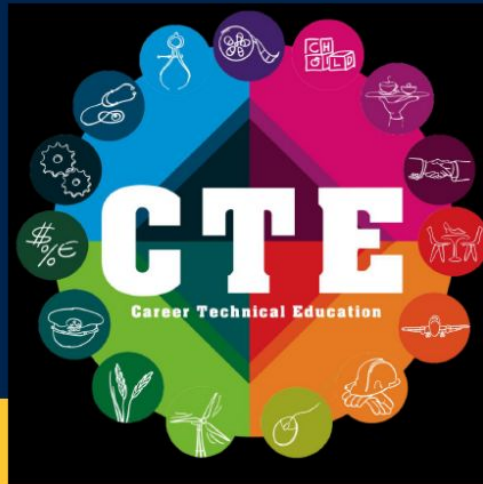
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ETHS PSTO PARENT EDUCATION NIGHT

SVUSD Career Technical Education - CTE

Thursday, January 25th @ 6:30 pm in the
Innovation Center



Connect with ETHS PSTO

- General Meeting this Thursday, 1/25, 6:30 @Innovation Center
Family Ed Night: CTE
- Follow our website and social media
@ETHSPSTO and @ElToroChargers5K
on Instagram and Facebook
- Visit our website www.ethsPSTO.org
- Tina Fellers- president@ETHSPSTO.org



AGENDA

- INTRODUCTIONS OF THE COUNSELING TEAM
- REVIEW GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS
- COMMON APP/LOR'S/PARCHMENT
- FAFSA
- UC/CSU REQUIREMENTS
- SADDLEBACK COLLEGE/C100/PROMISE PROGRAM
- FUTURE READY EVENT OCTOBER 2024
- CALIFORNIA COLLEGES PLATFORM
- Q & A

SCHOOL COUNSELORS



MISS COGNETTI

A-CRO

7:30 - 3:30



MISS KURISU

CRU-HERN

7:30 - 3:30



MISS MORONES

HERR-MOM

8:00 - 4:00



MRS. COLEMAN

MON-R

8:00 - 4:00



MRS. CLARK

S-Z

7:30 - 3:30

STUDENT SERVICES TECHNICIANS



MRS. CORONA

A-GA



MRS. SULLIVAN

GE-N



MRS. DICKELMAN

O-Z

SCHOOL COUNSELORS HELP WITH...

- COLLEGE AND CAREER GUIDANCE
- MENTAL HEALTH RESOURCES AND EMOTIONAL SUPPORT
- TOOLS FOR ACADEMIC SUCCESS

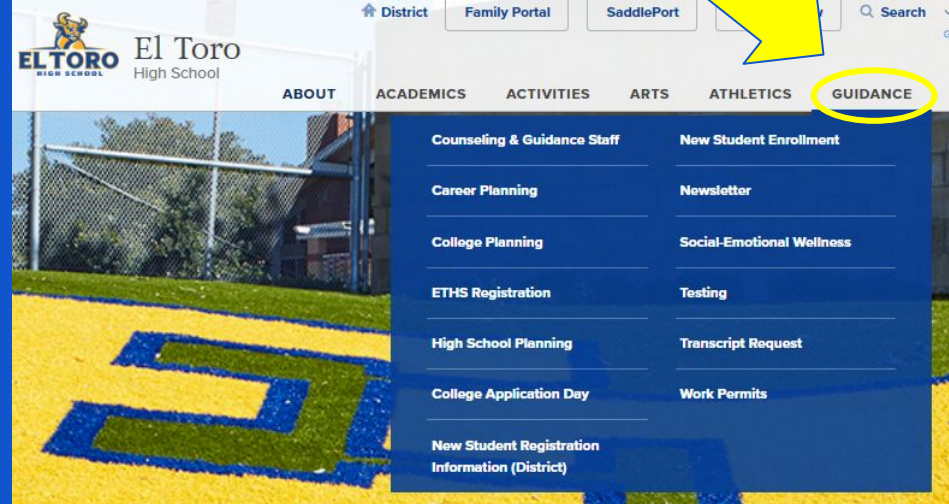
SSTs HELP WITH...

- REGISTRATION/CLASS SCHEDULES
- GRADUATION STATUS
- PROOF OF RESIDENCY
- COMMUNITY SERVICE HOURS
- SUMMER SCHOOL AND CREDIT RECOVERY

WE ARE AVAILABLE FOR STUDENTS:

- BEFORE SCHOOL
- DURING SNACK OR LUNCH
- AFTER SCHOOL

YOU CAN ALSO VISIT OUR COUNSELING WEBSITE:



GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

<u>English</u>	<u>Social Studies</u> <i>World American Civics/Gov</i>	<u>Science</u> <i>Biology Chemistry Physics +</i>	<u>Math</u> <i>Algebra Geometry Algebra 2</i>	<u>World Language/ Visual Performing Art/ Applied Technical Art</u>	<u>PE</u>	<u>Health</u>	<u>Electives</u>	<u>Total</u>
40 credits	30 credits	30 credits	30 credits	10 credits	20 credits	5 credits	55 credits	220 credits
4 years	3 years	3 years	3 years	1 year	2 years	½ year	5.5 year-long classes	*8 Hours Community Service

***If you earn an F in a required course you must recover those 5 credits by one of the following:**

- Summer School (online and in-person)
- Night School (1 night a week at SHS)
- Fuel Ed - Period 1 (in-person)



SO MANY POST HIGH SCHOOL OPTIONS

UC's
9
Campuses

CSU's
23
Campuses

**Vocational
or Trade
School**

**Community
College**

**Private/Out
of State
University**

**Military
Branches**

**World
of
Work**

**WHAT'S
YOUR
PATH?**



IMPORTANT THINGS TO REMEMBER:

- Students will be applying to colleges with their JUNIOR YEAR GPA
- Most applications open in August 2024 and report acceptance starting in the middle of January
- Students must make a decision by May 1st on what College/University they are going to attend
- Most colleges will send communications to students via email, so encourage them to check their personal email FREQUENTLY
- Students must complete a FAFSA/CAADA application by February 2025



A-G ELIGIBILITY VS ETHS GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

How do I make my goal of attending a 4 year university a reality?

C's or better in:

A: History (2 yrs)

B: English (4 yrs)

C: Math (3 yrs)

D: Science (2 yrs)

G: College Prep (1 yr)

Language Requirement

E:

2 years of the
SAME language

VAPA Requirement

F:

1 year of a Fine
Art course

GPA

CSU: 2.5+

UC: 3.0+

Private/OOS:

*Varies by school

UC (UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA)



General Info

9
Campuses
across
California

Requirements

3.0 GPA
(minimum)

A-G
Requirements (C
or better)

Supplemental

No testing
requirement
(ACT/SAT)

No letter of rec
(exceptions for
impaction)

Extra

Answer 4
Personal Insight
Questions (PIQ)

Utilize the
“additional
comments”
section

CSU (CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY)

General Info

23
Campuses
across
California

Requirements

2.5 GPA
(minimum)

A-G
Requirements (C
or better)

Supplemental

No testing
requirement
(ACT/SAT)

No letter of rec

No essay

Extra

Simple
application

Local Area
School:

CSU San Marcos

PRIVATE/OUT OF STATE



General Info

Many use the
Common
Application
(check school
website)

Requirements

GPA varies
(strive for 3.0
minimum)

Admission req'ts
vary (strive for
A-G completion)

Supplemental

Most require
letters of rec

Many require
essays

Some require
SAT/ACT

Extra

Want to go out
of state but not
pay out of state
tuition?

Western
Undergraduate
Exchange (WUE)

COMMON APPLICATION

Common App at a glance

- Over 900 colleges and universities use Common App
- 250+ public colleges and universities
- 60+ international universities in 20+ countries
- 80+ MSIs
- 440+ without app fee
- 730+ test optional/flexible

- Students must create an account
- Students must order a transcript to be sent to common app in **OCTOBER!**
- Students must add their school counselor as their recommender to get information submitted to their application

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

Helpful tool for navigating The Common App:

www.AXSCompanion.org

Common App

11th grade checklist



COMMUNITY COLLEGE



General Info

116 California
Community
Colleges

Pathway to
graduate from
4-year

Requirements

Must have high
school diploma

OR

Be at least 18
years old

Supplemental

No letters of rec

No essays

No SAT/ACT

Extra

Certificate
Programs available!

Want to attend CC
for free?

Promise Program;
Freshman
Advantage

SADDLEBACK COLLEGE INFORMATION

- Ms. Jimenez
- Saddleback College Counselor on campus Thursdays with appointments open for students to meet with her for help and info
- **C100 - Spring class offered at ETHS spring semester of senior year that gives students a head start on success at Saddleback College**
- **Promise Program - 2 years free college! Must graduate from high school and complete a FAFSA/CAADA application**



Ms. Vanessa Jimenez

El Toro High School
Location: Library

Appointments Available:
Thursday: 9:00am – 12:30 pm
12:30-1 pm (walk-ins)

Email:
vjimenez20@saddleback.edu

Hablo Español

TRANSCRIPT REQUEST

Transcripts are ordered at **PARCHMENT.COM**

- You must create an account this year because you will begin ordering transcripts at the start of Senior year when you start applying to schools
- Order your transcripts to be sent directly to the college or Common App you will be applying to
- **Counselors DO NOT send transcripts to colleges, Common App, or NCAA**



FUTURE READY EVENT

OCTOBER 2024

WHAT IS IS??

- 2-day School Wide Event held during their Senior year that promotes being "Future Ready" and helping them start and complete their After High School Plan

WHEN IS IS??

- OCTOBER && and && during a block schedule day. Each activity will take place during their English and Civics or Economics Period

FUTURE READY EVENT

OCTOBER 2024

WHAT WILL STUDENTS BE DOING?

- Applying to 1 post secondary institution
- Working on PIQ questions
- Talking with representatives for the different military branches

WHAT ELSE?

- Working on their Common App
- Learning about and starting their FASFA/CAADA application
- Celebrating their achievements

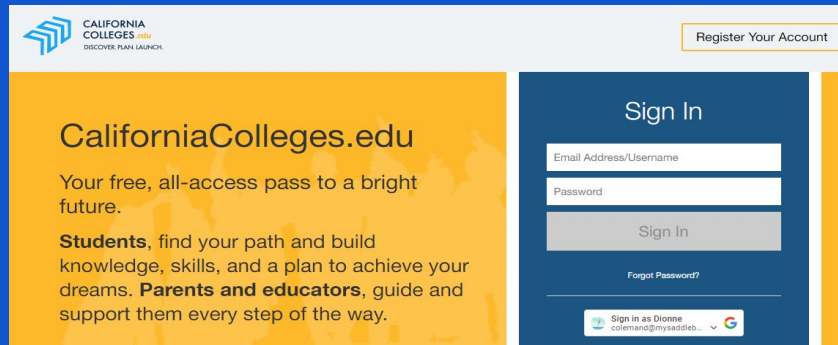
CALIFORNIA COLLEGES

WHAT IS IT?

- **California's official college and career planning platform.**
- **It's a free Internet based platform for California 6th - 12th grade students, their parents, and educators.**

WHAT CAN I DO IN CA COLLEGES?

- **Take interest and career assessments**
- **Explore careers that align with your strengths and interests**
- **Build your college list**



HOW DO I LOG ON?

- **Go to californiacolleges.edu**
- **Use your SVUSD student email to log in**
- **Use the password that you chose last year. (if you forgot, you can reset)**

- **Research different colleges both instate and out of state, private or public, 4-year or 2-year**
- **Learn how to pay for college**
- **Apply to colleges directly from the platform**



POST SURVEY



www.tinyurl.com/JuniorFamily25