

# *Senior*



# Class of 2017

HOME OF SCHOLARS, ACHIEVERS & CHAMPIONS

# Agenda

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- UC/CSU A-G Requirements
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- SAT & ACT Info
- How to Apply to College
- NCAA Eligibility
- Community College Admission Process
- Paying for College
- Scholarship Information
- Requesting a Letter of Recommendation
- How to Request your Transcript

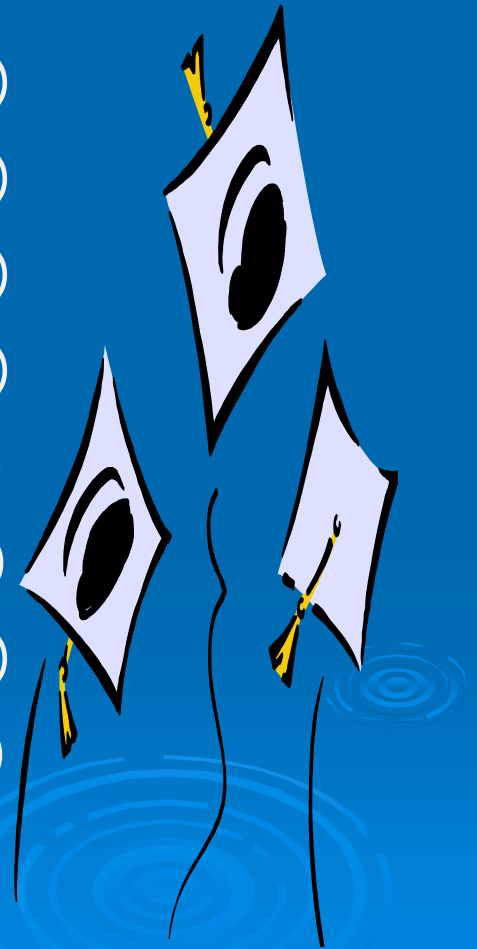


# Life After High School: What are my options?



# CNUSD High School Graduation Requirements

✓Language Arts	4 Years	(40 Credits)
✓Math	2 Years	(20 Credits)
✓Science	2 Years	(20 Credits)
✓Social Science (History)	3 Years	(30 Credits)
✓World Language/Fine Art	1 Year	(10 Credits)
✓Health	1 Sem.	( 5 Credits)
✓P.E.	2 Years	(20 Credits)
✓Electives	15 Sems	(75 Credits)
	<u>220 Credits Total</u>	



# Short on Credits?

- **ADULT EDUCATION (NIGHT SCHOOL)**
- **LEE V. POLLARD**
- **SOS Portfolio Credit Recovery**
- **ODYSSEY (Computer Credit Recovery Course)**

See your counselor ASAP if you have questions!

# Make Your Senior Year Count!

**ERWC & Math** – Being successful in your Math and Language Arts classes will help you to prepare for your placement exams. Doing well on your placement tests can save you precious time and money by allowing you to start with the classes that count, not remedial classes.

Check with each individual UC campus for Math placement test information.

## Colleges Can Rescind Admissions

If you receive a D or an F during either semester of your senior year colleges who have sent your acceptance letters before the issuing of semester grades can rescind your admission. This most often happens with Language Arts and Math classes. However, selective schools or majors that are impacted can rescind admission for D's and F's in classes that are not required.

# Students' Rights and Responsibilities in the College Admission Process

It is **YOUR** responsibility to:

- Research your school of interest
- Seek help early throughout the application process
- Complete all application materials before the published deadline
- Check your email and university portals often
- Order official transcripts from the Registrar in a timely manner
- Follow all instructions regarding placement tests
- Call the admissions office for advice when you aren't sure what to do next

# Career & Technical Education Programs

<http://explorecte.com>

Career & Technical Education (CTE) – program that helps student to prepare to enter the job market by preparing them with specific job skills.

Programs: Medical Assistant, Dental Assistant, Law Enforcement, EMT, Business & Technology, Construction, Culinary Arts . . .



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## Exciting Career Options Start Here



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COLLEGE



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CAREERS



LEARN MORE



# Private and Public Career & Technical Education (CTE) Programs



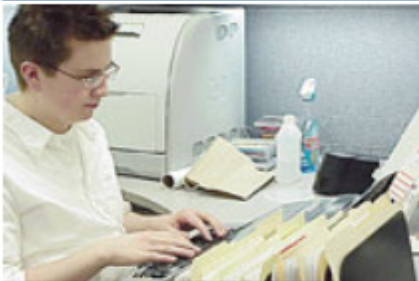
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Career Technical Education



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## What is a Community College?

A type of educational institution where students can earn an associate (2 year) degree in a subject and/or receive career and technical training.

## Why select?

- Associate degree
- To transfer to a 4 year university
- A more cost effective solution for some
- Specific job training

## Qualify to Enroll:

### You Must:

- Have a high school diploma or equivalent  
or
- Be 18 years or older

## How to Apply:

- Apply as soon as the Fall 2017 application window opens
- Apply for Financial Aid  
(beginning Jan 2017)
- Mail your official transcript
- Complete your Math & Writing Assessments  
(Begins February/March 2017)
- Schedule a Counseling Appointment



# Norco College Summer Advantage Program

If you plan to attend Norco College Fall 2017 be on the look out for information regarding the *Norco College Summer Advantage Program.*

## Benefits of participation:

- Early Registration
- Summer Math & Language Arts Workshops
- Norco College Orientation Week
- Additional support with the application process



# The Military



Interested in joining the military. Speak to your parents about your interest and do your research. Visit [www.military.com](http://www.military.com) for more information or talk to your local recruiter.



## NROTC Scholarship Program

You could be eligible for tuition and financial benefits worth up to \$180,000.

Other benefits:

- commission as an officer upon graduation
- monthly stipend



[www.nrotc.navy.mil/scholarships.html](http://www.nrotc.navy.mil/scholarships.html)

# ASVAB Exam & Career Exploration Program

Take the ASVAB Exam – November 10, 2016

***MUST*** Sign up in the College & Career Center or in Upstairs Student Services!

ASVAB Score Interpretation TBA

The **ASVAB Career Exploration Program** is a comprehensive career exploration and planning program that includes a multiple-aptitude test battery, an interest inventory, and various career planning tools designed to help you explore the world of work.

The ASVAB is the most widely used multiple-aptitude test battery in the world.

## **ASVAB and the Military:**

Your ASVAB scores can also qualify you for certain jobs and training in the Armed Forces. If you are a junior or senior, you can use your ASVAB scores for military enlistment, including the Reserves and the National Guard, for up to two years after you take the test.

***There is no relationship between taking the ASVAB and Selective Service registration. ASVAB information is not made available to the Selective Service System.***

# How to Read Your Transcript

Name		Place of Birth		Issued To		Print Date		GPA Type		GPA		Cred Amp		Class Rank	
gaeta, Mm lee		ORANGE, CA				09/15/2011		10-12 Unweighted / No PE		2.9310		145.0000		398 of 829	
								9-12 Unweighted		3.1087		230.0000		336 of 831	
								9-12 Weighted		3.1957		230.0000		354 of 833	
								Cal Grant		2.9487		195.0000		372 of 831	
								Elementary Honor Roll				0.0000			
								Total Credits Earned				230.0000			

Course ID	Course	Mrk1	Mrk2	Credits	Course ID	Course	Mrk1	Mrk2	Credits	Standardized Test Scores	Date	Scores
<b>Santiago High</b>												
*817050	Visual Arts 1A	A	O	5.0000	*813032	Alg 2A	B	S	5.0000	CAHSEE - English	03/09	P/P
*811001	Lang Arts 1A	B	O	5.0000						CAHSEE - Mathematics	03/09	P/P
*818323	Biology 1A	B	O	5.0000								
*814021	Spanish 1A	C	S	5.0000	*+822300	Econ Hnr	B-	S	5.0000	Algebra I Requirement		
*813051	Geometry 1A	B	O	5.0000	*+846350	AP Psychology	B	O	5.0000	Algebra I		P/Net
819003	Advanced PE Athletics	A	O	5.0000	*811015	Lang Arts 4A	A-	S	5.0000			
					*813070	Trigonometry 1A	C+	O	5.0000			
					819006A	Varsity FB	A+	O	5.0000			
<b>Santiago High</b>												
*817051	Visual Arts 1B	A	O	5.0000								
*811002	Lang Arts 1B	A	O	5.0000								
*818324	Biology 1B	B	S	5.0000	*+846351	AP Psychology	B	O	5.0000			
*814022	Spanish 1B	C-	O	5.0000	*+832207	AP Government and Politics	C+	S	5.0000			
*813053	Geometry 1B	C-	O	5.0000	*811016	Lang Arts 4B	A+	S	5.0000			
819022	Advanced PE Athletics	A	O	5.0000	*813071	Trigonometry 1B	C	O	5.0000			
<b>Santiago High</b>												
*811005	Lang Arts 2A	A	O	5.0000	<b>Graduation Requirements</b>					Req	Cmp	
*814023	Spanish 2A	B	S	5.0000		Language Arts 1A			5.0000	5.0000		
*813032	Alg 2A	D	S	5.0000		Language Arts 1B			5.0000	5.0000		
819021	Advanced PE Athletics	A	O	5.0000		Language Arts 2A			5.0000	5.0000		
*818411	Oceanography 1A	B	S	5.0000		Language Arts 2B			5.0000	5.0000		
*812513	World Hist 1A	C	S	5.0000		Language Arts 3A			5.0000	5.0000		
						Language Arts 3B			5.0000	5.0000		
						Language Arts 4A			5.0000	5.0000		
						Language Arts 4B			5.0000	0.0000		
<b>Santiago High</b>												
*811006	Lang Arts 2B	A	S	5.0000		US History 1A			5.0000	5.0000		
*814024	Spanish 2B	B	O	5.0000		US History 1B			5.0000	5.0000		
*813033	Alg 2B	C	S	5.0000		Government			5.0000	0.0000		
819022	Advanced PE Athletics	A	S	5.0000		Economics			5.0000	5.0000		
*818412	Oceanography 1B	B	S	5.0000		World History 1A			5.0000	5.0000		
*812514	World Hist 1B	C	S	5.0000		World History 1B			5.0000	5.0000		
						Health			5.0000	5.0000		
<b>Santiago High</b>												
812876	Health	A	S	5.0000		Mathematics			20.0000	20.0000		
*811009	Lang Arts 3A	A	O	5.0000		Fine Arts/Foreign Language			10.0000	10.0000		
*813031	Probability & Statistics 1A	C	S	5.0000		Life Science 1A			5.0000	5.0000		
819006A	Varsity FB	A+	O	5.0000		Life Science 1B			5.0000	5.0000		
*818401	Chemistry 1A	C	S	5.0000		Physical Science 1A			5.0000	5.0000		
*812101	Us Hist 1A	A	O	5.0000		Physical Science 1B			5.0000	5.0000		
						Physical Education			20.0000	20.0000		
						Electives			75.0000	75.0000		
						Total Required Credits			220.0000	210.0000		
<b>Santiago High</b>												
816281	School Service	A	O	5.0000		All Credits						
*811010	Lang Arts 3B	A	O	5.0000		CAHSEE - ELA			Passed			
*813032	Probability & Statistics 1B	C+	S	5.0000		CAHSEE - Math			Passed			
819006B	Varsity FB	A+	O	5.0000		Algebra I Requirement			Passed			
*818402	Chemistry 1B	C	O	5.0000								
*812102	Us Hist 1B	A	O	5.0000								

Course Flags (\*UG/CSU Approved, +Weighted GPA) Column Labels (Mrk1: Achievement, Mrk2: Citizenship, Scores Z:1-20, E: Adjusted Scaled Score, R: National Percentile Rank, P: Pass/Fail)

- Total Credits Earned
- 9-12 Weighted GPA
- Class Rank

Entry Date	Counselor	Term Ending	Class of	Grade
	Rodgers, Valencia	06/02/2011	2011	12
Exit Date	Exit Reason	Grad Date	Diploma Type	
		06/01/2011	High School Diploma	
GPA Type	GPA	Crdt Atmpt	Class Rank	
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Source: CA Dept of Education

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*818329	Biology 1A	B	O	5.0000	Santiago High Grd 12 Semester 1 13/10							
*814021	Spanish 1A	C	S	5.0000	*-322300	Econ Hwr	B	S	5.0000	Algebra I Requirement		
*813051	Geometry 1A	B	O	5.0000	*-346350	AP Psychology	B	O	5.0000	Algebra I Requirement P:Mat		
*819003	Advanced PE Athletics	A	O	5.0000	*811015	Lang Arts 4A	A-	S	5.0000			
Santiago High Grd 09 Semester 2 0611												
*817051	Visual Arts 1B	A	O	5.0000	*813070	Trigonometry 1A	C+	O	5.0000			
*811002	Lang Arts 1B	A	O	5.0000	*819006A	Varsity FB	A+	O	5.0000			
*818324	Biology 1B	B	S	5.0000	Santiago High Grd 12 Semester 2 0611							
*814022	Spanish 1B	C-	O	5.0000	*-346351	AP Psychology	B	O	5.0000			
*813053	Geometry 1B	C-	O	5.0000	*-322207	AP Government and Politics	C+	S	5.0000			
*819022	Advanced PE Athletics	A	O	5.0000	*811016	Lang Arts 4B	A+	S	5.0000			
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# Recording Grades on College Applications

\* = Meets A-G Requirement

\* + = Eligible for an extra point towards GPA & meets A-G Requirement

<b>Corona High Summer School</b>		<b>Grd 12</b>	<b>SS Session 1</b>	
*813032	Alg 2A		B	
<b>Santiago High</b>		<b>Grd 12</b>	<b>Semester 1</b>	
*+822300	Econ Hnr		B-	S
*+846350	AP Psychology		B	O
*811015	Lang Arts 4A		A-	S
*813070	Trigonometry 1A		C+	O
819006A	Varsity FB		A+	O
<b>Santiago High</b>		<b>Grd 12</b>	<b>Semester 2</b>	
*+846351	AP Psychology		B	O
*+832207	AP Government and Politics:		C+	S
*811016	Lang Arts 4B		A+	S
*813071	Trigonometry 1B		C	O

# College Admissions Testing

- **SAT Reasoning**: Used to measure verbal, math, and writing abilities.
- **ACT**: Measures English, Math, Social Science, & Natural Sciences. May be used as an alternate to the SAT.
- **SAT Subject**: Specific subject tests (i.e.- Social Sciences, Sciences, World Languages, etc.)
  - No longer required by UC schools but can be used to boost your application profile.
  - May be required as part of a supplemental application for the major you are applying to. Check with the major department of each campus you plan to apply to.

***Your last opportunity to test for  
Fall 2016 admission is December 2016***

# Class of 2017 Testing Season

[www.collegeboard.com](http://www.collegeboard.com)

Santiago High  
School Code

050692

<u>SAT Test Dates</u>	Regular Registration Deadline
Oct 1	Sep 1
Nov 5	Oct 7
Dec 3	Nov 3

**SAT**

The **ACT**

<u>ACT Test Dates</u>	Regular Registration Deadline
Oct 22	Sept 16
Dec 10	Nov 4

[WWW.ACTSTUDENT.ORG](http://WWW.ACTSTUDENT.ORG)

# Test Prep Options

Princeton Review - [www.Princetonreview.com](http://www.Princetonreview.com)

Princeton Review Practice SAT September 10, 2016  
Sign up in the Shark Shop by September 5<sup>th</sup>

MeriEducation – <http://merieducation.com>

Khan Academy - [www.khanacademy.org/](http://www.khanacademy.org/)

# Are you Ready to Apply to a 4 Year University?

1. Familiarize yourself with the A-G requirements & your transcript
2. SAT &/or ACT - sign up for one if you haven't already taken it
3. Know the differences between the requirements for UC, CSU, Private & community colleges
4. Know the application deadlines & apply early

# UC/CSU A-G Requirements

Pass all required classes  
with a C or better!

<u>Subject:</u>	<u>Minimum Requirement:</u>
<b>Mathematics</b>	<b>3 years</b>
<b>Lab Science</b>	<b>2 years</b>
<b>English</b>	<b>4 years</b>
<b>Language other than English</b>	<b>2 years</b>
<b>Visual or Performing Arts</b>	<b>1 year</b>
<b>History</b>	<b>2 years</b>
<b>College Prep Elective</b>	<b>1 year</b>

# Where Do I Apply? California Public Schools

➤ California State University:



[www.csumentor.edu](http://www.csumentor.edu)

Application submission window is Oct. 1- **Nov. 30**

➤ University of California:



[www.universityofcalifornia.edu](http://www.universityofcalifornia.edu)

Application submission window is Nov. 1- **Nov. 30**



# Private Colleges & Universities Where to Apply?



[www.commonapp.org](http://www.commonapp.org)

**\*\**You must submit a Letter of Recommendation Request form to your counselor ASAP* if you plan to apply to a private school through the Common App.**

The secondary school report requires a letter of rec or comments from your counselor.

Application deadlines may vary! Research each school you are interested in applying to. Early admission deadlines are usually Sept/Oct/Nov!

<b><u>Review</u></b>	<b>California State University (CSU)</b> i.e. CSU Fullerton...	<b>University of California (UC)</b> i.e. UC Irvine...	<b>Independent (Private) Colleges &amp; Universities</b> i.e. USC...
<b>ACT OR SAT EXAMS</b>	<b>ACT <u>without</u> writing</b> <b>or</b> <b>SAT Reasoning</b>	<b>ACT <u>plus</u> writing</b> <b>or</b> <b>SAT Reasoning</b>  *SAT 2 Subject Test Area Optional	<b>Most accept SAT and ACT. Check with each school you apply to for ACT writing requirement.</b>
<b>Personal Statement</b>	<b>No</b>	<b>Yes</b>	<b>Some – Check with each school you are applying to.</b>
<b>Letter of Recommendation</b>	<b>*No</b>	<b>*No</b>	<b>Some – Check with each school you are applying to.</b>
<b>Deadline</b>	<b>Nov. 30, 2016</b>	<b>Nov. 30, 2016</b>	<b>Varies – check with each school</b>

- If you are required to submit a supplemental application for your major a letter of recommendation may be required.
- Check with the major department for each school you plan to apply to.

# Placement Testing

## EAP Results

### Community College:

- Accuplacer

### Military:

- ASVAB

### CSU:

- ELM – Entry Level Math
- EPT – English Placement Test

### Pre Employment Testing:

- Probation Department
- Fire Department
- Police Department
- Department of Water & Power

### UC

- Analytical Writing Placement Examination
- Math Placement: varies from campus to campus

Colleges can rescind admissions if you miss a placement test or are late!

# California State University - Early Assessment Program (EAP)

**What is EAP?** The Early Assessment Program uses 11<sup>th</sup> grade SBAC Math & Language Arts scores to help students determine if they are ready for college level English and Math.

[www.calstate.edu/eap](http://www.calstate.edu/eap)

**Your results:** Could exempt or conditionally exempt you from taking community college or CSU placement tests.

- Complete ERWC with a C or better
- Complete upper level Math with a C or better

Check out your results at: [www.csusuccess.org/eap-results](http://www.csusuccess.org/eap-results)

# Interested in College Level Athletics?

## NCAA Eligibility:

- NCAA is the entity that governs college level athletics. To be eligible to become a college athlete, NCAA must certify that you are an amateur and that you meet minimum academic readiness for college.

### NCAA Eligibility Requirements:

- Meet the core grade point average in the 16 core courses
- Meet the minimum ACT/SAT score that matches your GPA
- \* Check the NCAA Eligibility Center website for details regarding minimum requirements & approved courses. Not all courses, especially online courses, will meet the NCAA approved courses.

### To become NCAA eligible:

1. Register with the NCAA Eligibility Center at: [www.eligibilitycenter.org](http://www.eligibilitycenter.org) at the beginning of your junior year
2. Make sure you are enrolled in the appropriate core courses
3. Submit any required paperwork to NCAA
4. Have your test scores sent to NCAA by each testing company (*CEEB code 9999*)

**It is the responsibility of the athlete to register with the NCAA!**

# Some Final Application Tips



- Start Early
- If you took Spanish 1 or 2, or Geometry in the 8<sup>th</sup> grade, be sure to include them on your application
- UC schools require a personal insight statement, CSU's do not
- Check the department website for the majors you are interested in to see if supplemental materials are required
- Report ALL grades for A-G classes, including original grades for classes you have or plan to repeat

# How To Apply For Financial Aid

Apply for financial aid in two simple steps:

## 1. Complete your FAFSA

Applications for 2016/17 become available Oct. 1, 2016

[WWW.FAFSA.ED.GOV](http://WWW.FAFSA.ED.GOV)

- Priority filing deadline is March 2, 2017

## 2. Cal Grant GPA Verification

- Cal Grant GPA's are uploaded electronically by the district

<https://webgrants.csac.ca.gov>

[www.fafsa.ed.gov](http://www.fafsa.ed.gov)

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Free cash for college or career school can help.

**Important Tasks For January**

Submit your FAFSA as soon as possible after January 1. Fill out and submit it online. It's easier and faster.

Attend a free "California Cash for College" workshop in your area.

[View All Tasks](#)

**WebGrants for Students.**

Monitor and manage your Cal Grant and Chafee awards 24/7 at WebGrants for Students with a secure account. You can also update your address, view payment history, or make a school change.

[Find Out More](#)

**Need help filling out your grant application?**

Search for a Cash for College workshop near you.

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# Financial Aid Events

- **October 5<sup>th</sup> – Financial Aid Presentation  
By Santiago Canyon Community College  
5:30-6:30 pm in the Theater**
- **October 12<sup>th</sup> - Financial Aid Application Workshop  
6-7:30 pm in the Computer Lab**



# CNUSD Free & Reduced Lunch Program



## ➤ Benefits:

- You could receive lunch for free, and it is discrete and confidential!

- You could qualify for:

- ✓ College application fee waivers.
- ✓ SAT & ACT fee waivers.
- ✓ A fee waiver for your AP exams.

## ➤ How to Apply:

- Check out the income requirements and apply online at:

<http://cnusdnutrition.com>

- Or visit CNUSD Child Nutrition  
300 S. Buena Vista Ave.  
Corona, CA 92882

**Must Reapply Yearly!**



## SHS College & Career Center

**Welcome Ms. Nunes!**

**Location:** Santiago Library

**Hours:** 7:00am - 3:30pm

**Services:**

- Local and General Scholarships
- College application help
- FAFSA Submission help
- College Presentations



# Requesting a Letter of Recommendation

➤ A Letter of Recommendation is usually required for **private colleges & scholarships**

1. Download and Complete the Letter of Recommendation Request form.
2. Give the person you ask a minimum of 2-3 school weeks notice!!
3. UC & CAL STATE schools do not require a letter of recommendation.

“I waive my right to review or access letters of recommendation written for me”

Yes or  No

Visit: [www.cnusd.k12.ca.us/domain/5253](http://www.cnusd.k12.ca.us/domain/5253) for a digital copy

## *Letter of Recommendation Request*

Private universities and many scholarships require that you include a letter of recommendation. If you plan to ask your counselor, teacher, or administrator for a letter of recommendation, please use the following tips to streamline the process.

**UC & CSU COLLEGES DO NOT REQUIRE OR ACCEPT LETTERS OF RECOMMENDATION**

WHEN YOU REQUEST A LETTER OF RECOMMENDATION FROM A COUNSELOR, TEACHER, OR ADMINISTRATOR:

- Make sure that the person you ask to write your recommendation knows you well and has a positive rapport with you.
- Make personal contact (preferably via an appointment) with the person you intend to ask for a letter of recommendation. **NEVER leave a request in a mailbox.** In person, you can ask for a letter of recommendation instead of assuming that one will be written.
- Fill out the Personal Profile and Senior Data Form completely and give it to your counselor, teacher, or administrator.
- Always be sure to give the writer **AT LEAST TWO-THREE SCHOOL WEEKS NOTICE** (preferably more). This will help ensure that the writer's schedule will allow him/her to respond before your deadline. Your lack of planning does not constitute an emergency on their part.
- If you are not applying through the Common Application, you may need to request an official transcript from the registrar's office for each college that you are applying to. Scholarships might also require an official transcript.
- **When filling out your questionnaire, use brief narratives to describe and give examples of your qualities, accomplishments and goals.** Your parents can be a good resource of information for you so ask them to help.
- If you need more space to write your information, feel free to use additional paper and attach it to your profile.
- Thank the writer. A verbal and/or personal note reflects your manners and an understanding of the time and effort given to write your letter of recommendation.

**REMINDER: ALLOW A MINIMUM OF 2-3 SCHOOL WEEKS FOR LETTERS**



# Transcript Requests:



## Where:

## Registrars Office

- Turn in your transcript request form to the Registrar's Office.
  - Must include an addressed stamped envelope if you want the school to mail them
  - You may also choose to mail them yourself (*certified mail recommended*)
  - Transcripts will not be mailed if the student has an obligation

## Official Transcripts Require 2-3 Days Notice

## When:

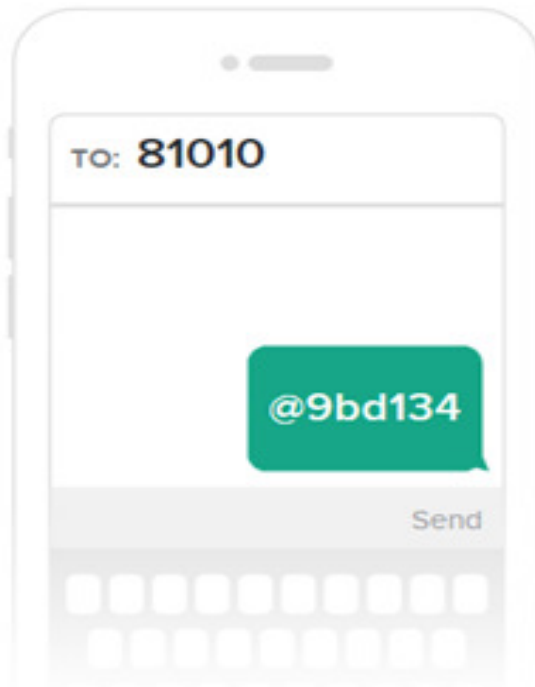
- Send **7<sup>th</sup> semester/Mid-year transcript** to each 4 year college applied to if required.
- Remember to send a transcript to sponsors of scholarships you've applied for if required.
- Request final transcript to be sent to the college you will attend by May 30<sup>th</sup>.

## Class of 2017 Remind 101

Tell people to text @9bd134 to the number 81010

They'll receive a welcome text from Remind.

If anyone has trouble with 81010, they can try texting @9bd134 to (951) 905-1063.



Don't forget to  
download the App!



# Visit the SANTIAGO HIGH SCHOOL Counseling Department



The poster features a central illustration of a student wearing a graduation cap and reading a book. To the left is the school's logo, a stylized 'S' with a blue and green design. Below the illustration is a teal roof-like shape. The text 'SHS Counseling Department' is in orange, and 'COLLEGE & CAREER FAIR' is in teal. Below this is a paragraph of text. A large dark blue circle in the center contains a list of topics. To the left and right of this circle are smaller circles containing the location and date. The background of the poster is light yellow with faint mathematical formulas and symbols.

**SHS Counseling Department**  
**COLLEGE & CAREER FAIR**

Students, parents and guardians, please join the Counseling Department at Santiago for our College and Career Fair. See your counselor for more information.

- Private Universities
- Out of State Universities
- University of California
- California State University
- Community Colleges
- Princeton Review
- Military
- Financial Aid

Santiago High School GYM

Oct. 5th  
6:30-8:00pm

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