

# San Juan Hills High School

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# Senior Parent Information Class of 2025

**Graduation, College and Senior Event Information** 





# Are we ready for June 5?

# Let us Help You!

- Overview of the college application process and graduation
- Learn about resources
- Know deadlines
- \*\*Presentation will be posted on SJHHS website\*\*



# SJH Guidance



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# Earning Your Diploma

#### To Earn Your Diploma You Must:

- Complete a minimum of 220 credits (Seniors should have at least 160 credits)
- Pass 12<sup>th</sup> grade English course (ex: AP Lit, ERWC)
- Pass 12<sup>th</sup> grade Social Science course (ex: AP Econ, Gov/Econ, AP Gov)
- Complete any graduation requirements that have not yet been fulfilled (ex: electives)

If a student doesn't complete the above requirements , they will not receive their diploma in June and will not participate in the graduation commencement ceremony.



# Senior 1:1 Meetings

## September 24- October 11

- \* Review Transcript Graduation Status
- **★** Review A-G report and college admissions process with students applying to four year
- **★** Review Promise Program/Freshman Advantage Program with students attending Saddleback
- ★ Answer general questions about UC/CSU, private in-state, out of state colleges, community colleges, career/technical schools
- \* Review Financial Aid Information Requirements



# Ride For Your Future Day

## **October 15-16**

Seniors will have a one stop approach where they will have support for:

- College admissions/Applications for UC/CSU
- **&** Common App Support
- Financial Aid support
- Saddleback and California Promise Program
- **&** Career Preparation and Options Outside of College





## What is CaliforniaColleges.edu?

An interactive, web-based platform with an associated curriculum that:

- Helps students create and launch a plan.
- Informs parents about the topics that matter most.
- Enables educators to track student progress.



# Mapping Your Future: Strategies for College and Career Planning with <u>Californiacolleges.edu</u>



#### WEBINAR

September 18, 2024 5:30pm





- College Search Tools & College Admissions
- Creating a College & Career Interest Lists
- · A-G Eligibility for UC & Cal State Universities
- · Utilize Tools for Career Planning
- · Financial Aid and more!





Ouestions? cusd-futureology@capousd.org

## Consolidated Application Launch \*For all seniors

Students can launch CCC, CSU, UC\*, FAFSA, and CA Dream Act applications from within their accounts and track submissions.



CAL STATE APPLY



\* Partner Districts only.







# Community College

### Benefits for attending a Community College

- Only requirement to enroll in a Community College is a high school diploma
- Transfer programs to Four Year Universities
- TAG Programs (Transfer Admission Guarantee)
- Certificate Programs (2 or 3 semesters to complete)
- Tuition is significantly less than a Four Year University
- Promise Program (free!)

## Apply to Community College by launching through CCGI:

#### californiacolleges.edu

- Saddleback College
- Irvine Valley College
- Orange Coast College

# Saddleback 1:1 Counseling

Come talk to a Saddleback Counselor about:

- <u>SENIORS:</u> Promise Program, Freshmen Advantage, Counseling 100
  - Career Technical Education and Associate Degrees
    - Bachelor Degrees and University Transfer
  - CSU/UC/Private and Out of State Transfer Information
    - Career Counseling

Saddleback 1:1 Appointments with Selene Roman

More information on how to set up an appointment will be sent out
soon via the SJHHS Newsletter!!

Parents are more than welcomed to attend with their child.



# COUNSELING 100 CLASS



Spring 2025 C100 Classes at SJHHS

## One Day a Week in the Spring Semester

- ✓ Transferable to CSU
- ✓ 1.5 unit college success class for seniors only
- ✓ Taught by a Saddleback College Counselor
- ✓ Free dual enrollment class
- ✓ Freshman Advantage
- ✓ CA Promise Program



# Applying to a 4-Year College/University

- Application process
  - Completing an application
  - Transcripts
  - Financial Aid
  - o Essays
  - Letter of Recommendation



## Applying to a CSU or UC Campus

CSU - California State University www.californiacolleges.edu

Submit App: October 1 - December 2

- Application Fee: \$70.00 per campus
  - Fee waiver available based on eligibility
- CSU <u>does not require</u> letters of recommendation
- No college essay!!

**UC** - University of California

www.californiacolleges.edu

Submit App: October 1 - December 2

- Application Fee: \$80.00 per campus
  - Fee waiver available based on eligibility
- UC <u>does not require</u> letters of recommendation
- UC requires completion of four Personal Insight Questions.



# Information for both California Public University Systems

SJHHS High School CEEB code is 054181 Self Report Grades Unofficial Transcript





## Applying to a Private or Out of State Public University

## **Application Process**

- Complete application for specific private or out of state public university online
- Watch for deadlines this includes campus specific scholarship deadlines
- Check your email and/or portal daily







<u>Specific School Website</u> if the university does not participate in one of the above online forums



# College Rep Visits

Colleges Reps from universities will be visiting SJHHS this fall. See the guidance webpage for the college visit schedule (updated weekly)

#### September 2024 Visits:

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9/4/24	Baylor University
9/9/24	Boston University - Virtual
9/10/24	Texas Christian University
9/11/24	University of Oregon
9/12/24	Chapman University
9/18/24	University of Iowa
9/18/24	UCLA
9/23/24	American University - Virtual
9/24/24	University of Colorado
9/25/24	USC
9/26/24	Saint Mary's College of California
9/30/24	Southern Utah University - Virtual





## Ms. Luna can assist with College questions via workshops or 1:1 appointments





Schedule

GET SUPPORT WITH COLLEGE/CAREER PLANNING! COLLEGE & CAREER CENTER (IN THE LIBRARY)

- ▶ WEDNESDAY WORKSHOPS START AT 3RD PERIOD TUTORIAL (12:15-12:45PM)
- . College List Building & California Colleges (All Grades)- September 11th
- . UC App & PIQs (Seniors)- September 25th
- Cal State & Common App (Seniors)- October 2nd
- Exploring Majors & College List Building (All Grades)- October 23rd
- . Work on College Apps & Essays (Seniors)- October 30th
- . Work on College Apps & Essays (Seniors)- November 6th
- . Community Colleges & Transfer Pathways (All Grades)- November 13th
- Financial Aid & Scholarships (Seniors)- December 4th



#### IMPORTANT SENIOR DATES

- UC App: August 1st December 2nd\*
- · Cal State App: October 1st December 2nd\*
- · Community Colleges: October 1st Deadlines vary by college\*
- · Private/Out of State Apps: Deadlines vary by college
- . Financial Aid: December 1st March 2nd
- \* Launch application through CaliforniaColleges.edu

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**MEET YOUR COLLEGE AND CAREER** 



Get support with:

Best Fit College Search Financial Aid & Scholarships ACT/SAT Planning College Applications and Essays Major Exploration Career Exploration Extracurricular Planning



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#### **OFFICE HOURS:**

Located in the College & Career Center (Library)

Mon. Tue. Wed. Fri 8:00am-3:30pm

Thursday 9:30am-5:00pm

Schedule an appointment by scanning below



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#### **COLLEGE FAIR**

SAN JUAN HILLS HIGH SCHOOL SEPTEMBER 23, 2024 5:30PM-7:30PM

Information & Registration:

100+ Colleges & Universities!



College breakout sessions!









#### **Fall 2024 Events Calendar**

College & Career Readiness Events - Open to ALL CUSD HS Students



#### **AUGUST**

8/26 ONE ON ONE APPOINTMENTS BEGIN FOR JUNIORS & SENIORS

> 8/28 SENIOR SUCCESS ORIENTATION WEBINAR

Missed any of our live presentations or want to learn more? Watch all of our presentations on our YouTube Channel

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#### SEPTEMBER

9/18
MAPPING YOUR FUTURE:
COLLEGE & CAREER
PLANNING WITH
CALIFORNIACOLLEGES.EDU
WEBINAR

9/23 CUSD COLLEGE FAIR AT SIHHS

ONE ON ONE APPOINTMENTS FOR JUNIORS & SENIORS

COLLEGE ESSAY &
COLLEGE
APPLICATION
SUPPORT @
SCHOOL SITES

MOCK SAT/ACT ONLINE EXAM (CHECK SITE FOR DATES)

#### OCTOBER

10/2 COLLEGE ESSAYS 101 WEBINAR

10/23
DEMYSTIFYING THE
SAT & ACT: INSIGHTS
FROM THE PROS
WEBINAR

ONE ON ONE APPOINTMENTS FOR JUNIORS & SENIORS

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#### **NOVEMBER**

11/13
JUNIOR SUCCESS
ORIENTATION
WEBINAR

FINANCIAL AID
WORKSHOPS @
SCHOOL SITES
(CHECK SITE FOR DATES &

ONE ON ONE APPOINTMENTS FOR JUNIORS & SENIORS

COLLEGE ESSAY &
COLLEGE
APPLICATION
SUPPORT @
SCHOOL SITES

MOCK SAT/ACT
ONLINE EXAM
(CHECK SITE FOR DATES)

#### DECEMBER

12/11 COLLEGE ADMISSIONS PARENT ORIENTATION WEBINAR

FINANCIAL AID
WORKSHOPS @
SCHOOL SITES
(CHECK SITE FOR DATES &
LOCATIONS)

ONE ON ONE APPOINTMENTS FOR JUNIORS & SENIORS

COLLEGE ESSAY &
COLLEGE
APPLICATION
SUPPORT @
SCHOOL SITES

MOCK SAT/ACT ONLINE EXAM (CHECK SITE FOR DATES)



#### **Meet your SJHHS Career Guidance Specialist** Schedule a 1:1 appointment with Ms. Bell



#### **IMMEDIATE CAREER OPPORTUNITIES AFTER GRAD**



#### **CCA ADULT CLASSES FOR FREE**

#### Only 1 Semester!

- Cybersecurity
- Dental Assistant
- Medical Assistant
- Medical Asst-ELL
- Pharmacy Tech
- Surgical Tech
- · Vet Tech-Alt Route

#### **APPRENTICESHIPS**

- Plumbing
- Electrical
- Carpenters
- Welding



- Information **Technology**
- Software **Engineer**

#### AA DEGREES, CERTIFICATES, ETC.

SADDLEBACK COLLEGE

**COLLEGE** 

IRVINE VALLEY ORANGE COAST **COLLEGE** 







#### Saddleback College Dual Enrollment

#### Earn High School and College Credit in Fall & Spring Semesters at SJHHS!

Fall schedule below - Spring schedule available in December, 2024



#### Fall 2024

Crs#	Course Name	IGETC	High School	Days	Start Date	End Date	Start Time	End Time
MUS 28	History of Rock	Yes	ANHS	*W/F	8/28	12/6	1:35pm	3:15pm
BUS 105 BUS 196	Social Media Marketing Workplace Success Skills (1 unit, online)	No	CVHS	T/Th	8/27	12/5	1:34pm	3:17pm
ENV 1	Introduction to Environmental Studies	Yes	SCHS	T/Th	8/27	12/5	1:38pm	3:20pm
BUS 1	Introduction to Business	No	SJHHS	T/W/Th	9/12	12/12	7:10am	8:20am
SOC 1	Introduction to Sociology	Yes	SJHHS	T/Th	8/27	12/5	1:22pm	3:18pm
CIMP 8A	Programming with Python	No	THS	T/Th	8/27	12/12	1:35pm	3:15pm

#### \* Please note the change for MUS 28 to W/F.

Students can sign up for any class that is offered in the district, but students need to have their own transportation. Students may sign up for 2 classes if counselors approve that they can handle the workload and the times above do not conflict.

#### Course Descriptions

#### BUS 105 SOCIAL MEDIA MARKETING

3.0 Units 3.00 hours Lecture, Transfers: CSU

Social media implications, opportunities, and challenges for business and communications professions. Students will participate in content creation. They will learn practical, ethical, and effective use of an array of social media sites, applications, and resources. They will evaluate the impact, effectiveness, and design of various elements of social media marketina.

#### BUS 196 WORKPLACE SUCCESS SKILLS

1.0 Unit 1.00 hour Lecture, Transfers: CSU

Teaches the employability skills needed to succeed in a professional career field or work organization. The focus of this class is to teach students transferable skills necessary to succeed in the ever-changing workplace through teamwork, problem-solving, communication, self-management and responsibility, and career readiness. Students will enhance soft skills, workplace skills, interpersonal skills, communication skills, and leadership skills.

#### BUS 1 INTRODUCTION TO BUSINESS

3.0 Units 3.00 hours Lecture, Transfers: CSU, UC

Business concepts and practices; develops knowledge, thinking skills, and related business skills with regard to forms of ownership, management, finance, marketing, production, competition, technologies, global business, entrepreneurship, legal considerations, controls through which business organizations operate and other aspects of business.

#### CIMP 8A PROGRAMMING WITH PYTHON

3.0 Units 2.00 hours Lecture 3.00 hours Lab, Transfers: CSU, UC

Introductory programming course teaching standard algorithmic programming concepts using the Python programming language. Class covers syntax, variables, strings, conditions, flow control structures loops, switches, classes, database connections, utilities, short-incuit evaluations and frameworks. Class also covers data structures using sets, frozen sets, lists, arrays and dictionaries. No prior coding experience necessary. Class includes many python programming assignments and one large programming project. 25 hours of online instruction in addition to in-person class meetings.

#### ENV 1 INTRODUCTION TO ENVIRONMENTAL STUDIES

3.0 Units 3.00 hours Lecture, Transfers: CSU, UC

Introduction to environmental studies that includes an overview of human activities within the global ecosystem. Examines population growth, energy use, agricultural techniques, water quantity and quality, biodiversity, air quality, and waste disposal, and searches for solutions while exploring future options.

#### SOC 1 INTRODUCTION TO SOCIOLOGY

3.0 Units 3.00 hours Lecture, Transfers: CSU, UC

Introduction to the scientific study of society and human behavior, including core concepts and theories. Topics expiored through the sociological perspective include: social institutions, culture, human behavior and relationships, social forces, socialization, social structure, social class, social inequality, gender, and social change. Credit may be earned for SOC 1 or 1H, but not both.

#### MUS 28 HISTORY OF ROCK

3.0 Units 3.00 hours Lecture, Transfers: CSU, UC

A study of the elements of rock music tracing the development and evolution of its styles and structures, including sociological and political aspects, from rock's beginning to the present time.

# Fall 2024 College @ Capo



# Official and Unofficial Transcript

# Unofficial Transcripts

- Student will need a copy of your unofficial transcript to complete your application to CSU and UC and private universities
- Available in your Student Portal

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## Official Transcripts

- Private/Out of State Universities will require an official transcript as part of the application process.
- Must be ordered online through PARCHMENT.

#### **Matriculation**

• Once you commit to a university (CSU, UC, private, out of state) you will be asked to send your final official transcript which includes your graduation date **PLEASE order your** transcript online through PARCHMENT before June 6, 2025



# Letter of Recommendation

## Do You Need a LETTER Written by a Counselor?

- Some private or out of state public schools require at least one letter of recommendation written by a counselor
- Your counselor will complete the <u>Secondary School</u> <u>Report or Counselor's Report</u> if the college requires one and the student requests them.

Due Date	Student Profile for Recommendation Due		
Friday, September 13, 2024	College Applications with a November or December deadline		
Friday, October 11, 2024	College Applications with a January or later deadline		



# Letter of Recommendation

- www.sjhhs.org
- Go to the <u>Guidance</u> tab and select <u>College</u> <u>Information</u>
  - Select Letter of Recommendation

## • Academic/Teacher Letters

- Ask a teacher in person that you feel knows you the best and can speak to who you are as a student.
- Contact the teacher as early as possible.
- Do not wait until the last minute
- Be sure to THANK them. Teachers write the letters on their own time.



# **Testing Information**

Quick update for Fall 2025 applicants

to date information

- SJHHS Testing Dates for ACT/SAT- LINK
- For the 2024 school year, Cal State Universities and UC's are test blind (Not required or viewed for admission)
- Visit fairtest.org <a href="here">here</a> for test optional universities or check each college's individual website for the most <a href="here">SA</a>





## Financial Aid

#### **FAFSA**

Free Application For Federal Student

- Apply online at <u>www.fafsa.ed.gov</u>
- Apply December 1, 2024

### College Campus Based Aid

- Must file FAFSA and <u>CSS Profile</u> (for some universities) to be considered.
  Check the financial aid page on the website of the college/university you
- are applying to.
  Adhere to deadlines as they will be different and sometimes earlier than the admissions deadline!!

#### Cal Grants For California Schools

- Information at <u>www.calgrants.org</u>
- All student GPA's will be sent to the California Aid Commission to determine **Grant GPA eligibility**
- California State deadline: March 2, 2025

#### California Dream Act

- Can apply December 1, 2024
- Must meet AB 540 requirements



# Scholarships

- Current list on the website and send information via Canvas announcements- LINK
- Students are responsible for researching and applying to scholarships on their own. Start Early!!!!!
- Follow deadlines and instructions for completing scholarship applications.
- Apply to as many as possible.

# Are Senior Classes **Important?**

- UC and CSU do care about performance senior year acceptance could be rescinded if grades go down.
- Private Schools ask counselors for reports as the year goes on. Any changes could change their admission decisions.
- Change status in NHS and CSF
- End of the year awards (Up to the Spring 12 week grade reporting period)
  - Scholar of Scholars

  - Valedictorian (GPA 4.0 +) Academic Distinction (GPA 3.5 3.99)



# GRADUATION AND SENIOR EVENTS

Senior Awards PROM Grad Nite Graduatio Senior Brunch Graduation Rehearsal Cap and Gown



## **Senior Activities**

**TBD: Senior Panoramic Photo** 

May 17, 2025: Prom (OC Hangar at the OC Fairgrounds)

May 20, 2025: Senior Awards

June 3, 2025: Senior Brunch at Dave & Busters

June 5, 2025: Graduation (SJHHS Badlands)

June 6, 2025: Grad Night



# Final thoughts...

- Create an email account just for college applications
- Start EARLY!
- Double and triple check everything
- Be aware of deadlines and follow the directions
- Senior classes are important
- If you have a question...ASK!
- This is a busy time and we are here to support you!





# Thank You! 0 period starts at 5:40pm



Welcome to San Juan Hills High School's 2024-2025 Back to School Night

SENIOR PRESENTATION				
5:00—5:30	00—5:30 THEATER			
EL TAQUERO—TACO MAN				
AVID FUNDRAISER				
5:00—6:30	UPPER QUAD			

CLASS VISITATION SCHEDULE						
0 PERIOD	5:40—5:50	4 <sup>th</sup> PERIOD	7:00—7:10			
1 <sup>st</sup> PERIOD	6:00-6:10	5 <sup>th</sup> PERIOD	7:20—7:30			
2 <sup>nd</sup> PERIOD	6:20-6:30	6 <sup>th</sup> PERIOD	7:40—7:50			
3 <sup>rd</sup> PERIOD	6:40—6:50	7 <sup>th</sup> PERIOD	8:00-8:10			

