

**GRAND TERRACE HIGH SCHOOL**  
**At the Ray Abril Jr. Educational Complex**



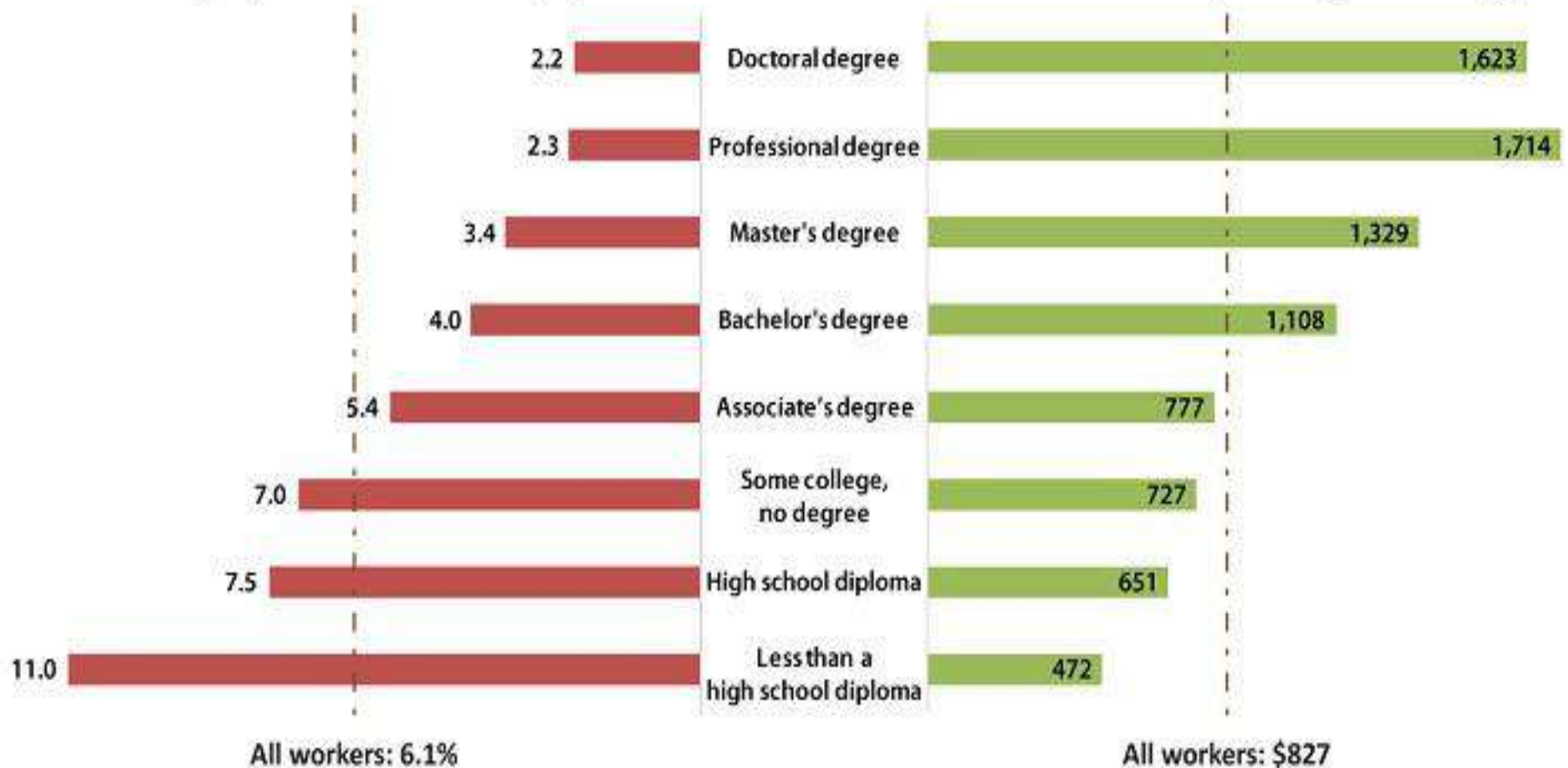
# **11<sup>th</sup> grade Presentation**

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# Earnings and unemployment rates by educational attainment

Unemployment rate in 2013 (%)

Median weekly earnings in 2013 (\$)



Note: Data are for persons age 25 and over. Earnings are for full-time wage and salary workers.  
Source: Current Population Survey, U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics, U.S. Department of Labor

# Graduation Requirements

<u>SUBJECTS</u>	<u>CREDITS/ YEARS</u>
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U.S. HISTORY	10/ 1 YEAR
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ECONOMICS	5/ 1 SEMESTER
MATHEMATICS **INCLUDING ALGEBRA	20/ 2 YEARS
PHYSICAL SCIENCE	10/ 1 YEAR
BIOLOGICAL SCIENCE	10/ 1 YEAR
FOREIGN LANGUAGE, CTE, OR FINE ART	10/ 1 YEAR OF SAME AREA
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PHYSICAL EDUCATION	20/ 2 YEARS
ELECTIVES	75 CREDITS
TOTAL CREDITS	220 CREDITS

# Useful resource – Graduation Checklist

## GRAND TERRACE HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATION CHECKLIST

STUDENT NAME: _____	<b>GRADE:</b> 9 10 11 12 <b>CAHSEE PASSED:</b> ENGLISH / MATH
ID: _____	

<b>GRADUATION CHECKLIST</b>					
ENGLISH I			W. HISTORY		
ENGLISH II			US HISTORY		
ENGLISH III			POD (1 SEM)		
ENGLISH IV			ECON (1 SEM)		
MATH -			FOREIGN LANG	<b>OR</b>	
MATH -			FINE ARTS		
**MUST INCLUDE 1 YEAR OF THE STATE APPROVED ALGEBRA REQUIREMENT			CTE		
EARTH SCIENCE/ CHEM/PHYSICS/ GEOLOGY (ANY)			PHYSICAL ED		
BIOLOGY			PHYSICAL ED		
			COMPUTER LIT. ( 1 SEM)		

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# CAHSEE

- ▶ California High School Exit Exam (CAHSEE)
  - Score of 350 on EACH test, English and math, is required to earn a diploma.
  - Currently, students who meet all graduation requirements other than a passing score on the CAHSEE will receive a certificate of completion and are eligible to walk at the graduation ceremony.
  - CAHSEE Support classes are available as electives
  - Students are able to retake the CAHSEE for up to two years after their expected graduation date and receive a diploma.
  - Visit [www.cde.ca.gov](http://www.cde.ca.gov) for more information

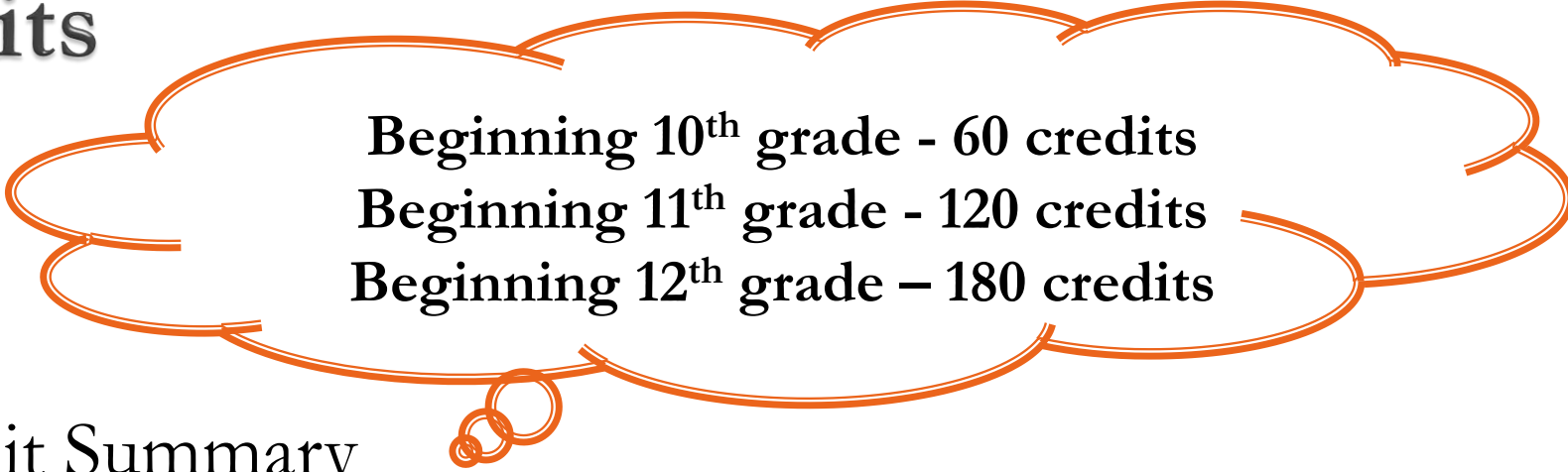
# Grade Point Average (GPA)

## ► GPA Types

- **Academic Unweighted** – includes all academic classes on a 4.0 scale (nothing is weighted for honors or AP)
- **Academic Weighted** – includes all academic classes on a 5.0 scale (honors and AP given 1 extra GPA point if a “C” or better is earned)
- **Cal Grant** – includes 10<sup>th</sup> and 11<sup>th</sup> grade classes, excluding ROTC and remedial classes
- **Total Weighted** – included all classes on a 5.0 scale
- **A-G GPA** – not included on transcript, but college applications will ask for it.
  - Includes A-G classes taken in 10<sup>th</sup> and 11<sup>th</sup> grade
  - Visit <https://doorways.ucop.edu/list/> for a list of approved classes



# Credits



**Beginning 10<sup>th</sup> grade - 60 credits**  
**Beginning 11<sup>th</sup> grade - 120 credits**  
**Beginning 12<sup>th</sup> grade – 180 credits**

- ▶ Credit Summary
- ▶ Semester grades are posted twice a year and are permanent grades.
- ▶ A grade of “D” or higher is considered “passing” and credits will be issued.
- ▶ No credit is given for a class that a student repeats if that class has previously been taken and passed.

# Credit Deficiency Options

- ▶ Credit Recovery/OdysseyWare class
- ▶ Work Experience class (if student is employed)
- ▶ Exploratory Work Experience class (community service/volunteer)
- ▶ Concurrent enrollment in an after school independent study program\*
- ▶ Slover Mountain Continuation High School Transfer (11<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup> graders)\*
- ▶ Washington Independent Study\* (esp. with special circumstances)
- ▶ Summer school
- ▶ Out of District options may also include Adult Education, GED, JC concurrent enrollment\*

*\*Counselor referral/recommendation needed*



# Post-secondary options

- Work
- College
  - 2 year community college (JC)
  - 4 year university/college
    - Public or Private/Independent
  - Career Technical/trade schools
    - Non-profit or For-profit
- Military
- Intern/volunteer

# Career Exploration

Websites to help determine career interest:

- ▶ [www.californiacareers.info](http://www.californiacareers.info)
- ▶ <http://www.calcareercenter.org>
- ▶ [www.californiarealitycheck.org](http://www.californiarealitycheck.org)
- ▶ <http://www.internshipprograms.com>
- ▶ <http://www.internships.com>
- ▶ <http://www.internweb.com/>
- ▶ <http://cacareerbriefts.com/>
- ▶ <http://www.whodouwant2b.com>
- ▶ [www.icanaffordcollege.com](http://www.icanaffordcollege.com)
- ▶ ASVAB – will be given on campus in the spring

# Work Skills

## Skills & Qualities for the 21st Century World of Work

- ▶ It's not too early to think about getting your first part-time or full-time job. The Partnership for 21st Century Skills has identified three important skill areas and 10 specific skills you'll need to succeed in the 21st century workforce:
- ▶ Information and communication skills  
Verbal and written communication skills
- ▶ Computer skills
- ▶ Thinking and problem-solving skills  
Analytical skills
- ▶ Flexibility and adaptability
- ▶ Interpersonal and self-directional skills  
Honesty and integrity
- ▶ Teamwork skills (working well with others)
- ▶ Relating well with others
- ▶ Strong work ethic
- ▶ Self-confidence
- ▶ Motivation and initiative

Information from [www.calcareercenter.org](http://www.calcareercenter.org)

# 2 year Community College (JC)

## Local Colleges

- ▶ **Riverside City College (RCC)**
- ▶ **San Bernardino Valley College**
- ▶ **Chaffey College in Rancho Cucamonga**
  - 60 occupational programs including nursing, automotive technology, aeronautics, business, science, the arts or hotel and food service management.
- ▶ **Crafton Hills College in Yucaipa**
  - Crafton has a two-year respiratory care program, and a radiology program operated cooperatively by Crafton and Arrowhead Regional Medical Center, that's also the site of a California State Fire Training Academy.

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

# A-G Requirements for Eligibility to University of California (UC)/California State University (CSU)

	<b>SUBJECT REQUIREMENT</b> *Grade earned must be a "C" or better.	<b>YEARS REQUIRED</b>	<b>YEARS RECOMMENDED</b>
A	HISTORY / SOCIAL SCIENCE	2	
B	ENGLISH	4	
C	MATHEMATICS	3	4
D	LABORATORY SCIENCE	2	3
E	LANGUAGE OTHER THAN ENGLISH	2	3
F	VISUAL AND PERFORMING ARTS	1	
G	COLLEGE PREPARATORY ELECTIVE	1	

# Useful resource – A–G Checklist

## GRAND TERRACE HIGH SCHOOL A-G CHECKLIST

A - G REQUIREMENTS							
REQUIREMENT	S1	S2	MUST RETAKE	REQUIREMENT	S1	S2	MUST RETAKE
<b>ENGLISH (4 YEARS)</b>				<b>SCIENCE (2 YEARS [LABORATORY SCIENCE])</b>			
ENGLISH I				BIOLOGY			
ENGLISH II				CHEMISTRY/PHYSICS/ GEOLOGY**			
ENGLISH III				**SEE COUNSELOR FOR DETAILS			
ENGLISH IV							

<b>HISTORY (2 YEARS)</b>				<b>FOREIGN LANGUAGE (2 YEARS OF THE SAME LANGUAGE)</b>			
WORLD HISTORY				1			
US HISTORY				2			

<b>MATH (3 YEARS)</b>				<b>VISUAL &amp; PERFORMING ART (1 YEAR IN SAME DISCIPLINE, AND SEQUENTIAL)</b>			
ALGEBRA 1				ART, ACTING, MUSIC HISTORY, WIND ENSEMBLE, CONCERT BAND, CHAMBER CHOIR			
GEOMETRY							
ALGEBRA 2				<b>COLLEGE PREP. ELECTIVE (1 YEAR)</b>			
MATH ANALYSIS/TRIG				For example: 4 <sup>th</sup> YR. MATH, 3 <sup>rd</sup> YR. LAB SCIENCE, ECONOMICS, 3 <sup>rd</sup> YR. FOREIGN LANGUAGE, PART 2 OF VPA, PSYCHOLOGY, MARINE BIOLOGY, AVIATION SEMINAR, EARTH SCIENCE, JOURNALISM (REFER TO APPROVED A-G LIST)			
AP CALCULUS							

**I'm Going to College**

**A-G Minimum Subject Requirements**  
Admission to California State Universities & UCs requires completion of the following requirements:

- A. HISTORY**  
2 years of history, including one year of United States history and one year of world history.
- B. ENGLISH**  
4 years of English.
- C. MATHEMATICS**  
3 years of mathematics, including Algebra I, Geometry, and Algebra II.
- D. LABORATORY SCIENCE**  
2 years of laboratory science, including one year of biology, chemistry, or physics, and one year of earth and space science.
- E. LANGUAGE OTHER THAN ENGLISH**  
If not completed in high school, students must complete one year of language other than English.
- F. VISUAL OR PERFORMING ARTS**  
2 years of visual or performing arts, including one year of studio art, music, or dance.
- G. COLLEGE PREP. ELECTIVE**  
1 year of college prep. elective, approved by the A-G Committee.

Admission to California State Universities & UCs requires completion of the following requirements:

\*CSU/UC A-G requirements listed above need to be completed with a grade of "C" or better, or validation, to meet minimum eligibility requirements for admission. Advanced Placement (AP) and Honors (H) classes are recommended for competitive colleges and universities. Additional grade points are given for specific, approved courses up to 8 semesters. Refer to Grand Terrace High School, UC-A-G course list.  
<http://www.uscsp.edu/departments/>

**PRIVATE AND OUT-OF-STATE COLLEGES/UNIVERSITIES** Admission requirements will vary at each private and out-of-state college or university. Check online or with counselor for more information.

**COMMUNITY COLLEGES** No subject requirements. Students must be 18 years old, be a high school graduate, or possess a high school diploma.

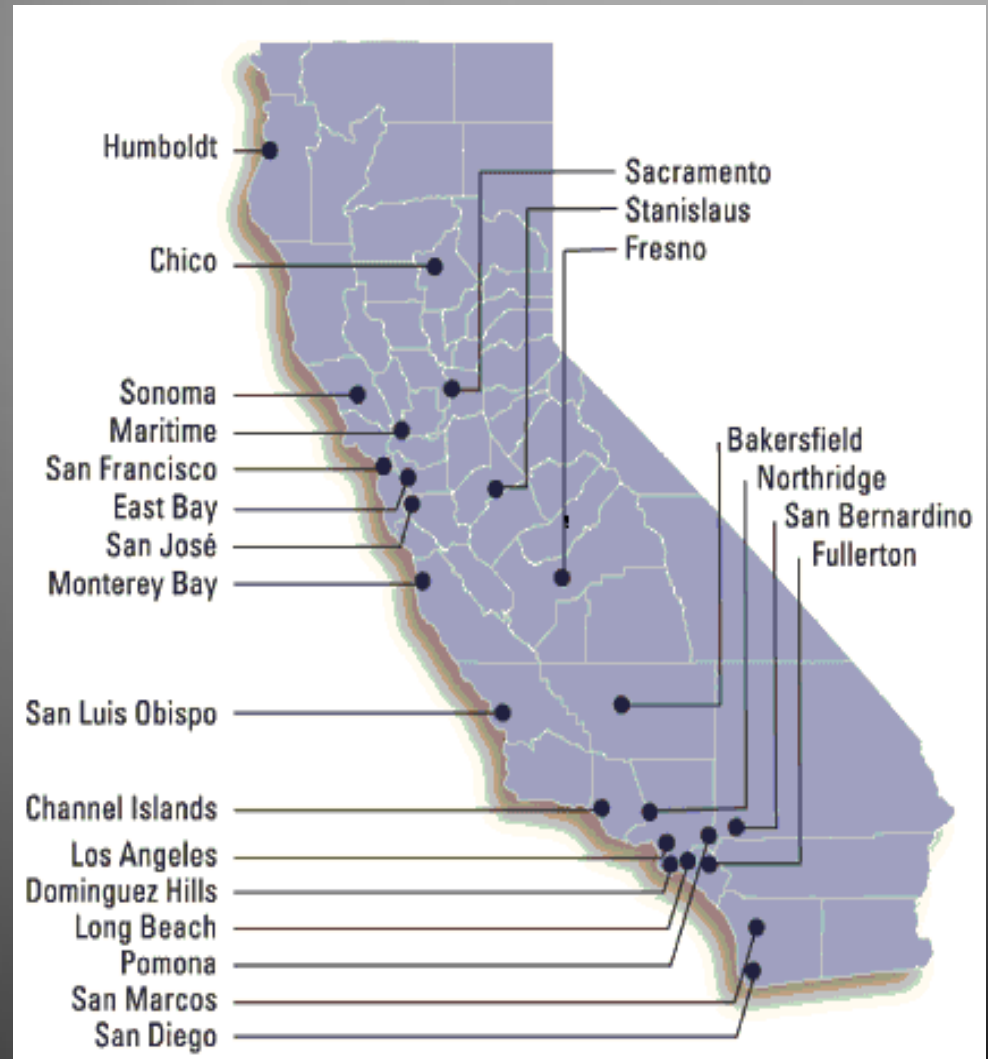


# 4 year University (CSU)

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

“CSUMentor assists students in planning for college, in selecting the appropriate CSU campus to attend, in planning how to finance their education, and in applying for admission.”

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



# EAP 11<sup>th</sup> Grade Testing

- ▶ Students may be exempt from CSU (and participating community college) placement tests if students earn a ready for college level courses in English/mathematics status
- ▶ **To receive EAP results students must complete ALL sections of test**
  - ELA CST and additional 15 multiple choice questions,
    - EAP essay administered in March
  - CST in Algebra 2 or Summative High School Mathematics and 15 multiple choice questions

# EAP Release

- ▶ Important to release EAP results to the CSU/CCC
  - If a student did not release results, will be required to submit hard copy to campus
  - ETS will begin charging \$10 for duplicates
- ▶ 2012 Release Results English
  - Both: 64%
  - Not Authorizing: (72K) 19%
- ▶ 2012 Release Results for Math
  - Both: 70%
  - Not Authorizing (26K) 13%

# University of California (UC)

- ▶ 4 year university

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

Website provides admission specific information and allow students to see campus specific information. Students should begin to research the application process to be best prepared for the comprehensive review process.



# UC Freshman Admission Requirements

## **Grade point average**

- Minimum 3.00 weighted GPA (for CA Residents)
- Based on “a-g” courses completed in 10th and 11th grades, including summer courses

## **Coursework**

- Complete any 11 UC-approved “a-g” courses prior to senior year
- Complete all 15-course “a-g” subject pattern by the end of senior year
- Courses must be completed with a grade of C or better

# Independent/Private Schools

Some of our local Independent Colleges:

<http://www.aiccu.edu>

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

- ▶ Cal Baptist University in Riverside
- ▶ La Sierra University in Riverside
- ▶ Loma Linda University
- ▶ University of Redlands
- ▶ Azusa Pacific University
- ▶ Claremont McKenna College
- ▶ La Verne University
- ▶ Chapman University
- ▶ Loyola Marymount University
- ▶ University of Pepperdine
- ▶ University of Southern California (USC)

**WEBSITES LISTED ABOVE HAVE CAMPUS SPECIFIC INFORMATION**



# Living With Parents / Commuting from Home

	California Community Colleges	California State University (CSU)	University of California (UC)	California Independent Colleges (based on median costs)
<b>Fees/Tuition</b>	\$1,104*	\$7,025	\$13,200	\$32,100
<b>Books and supplies</b>	\$1,675	\$1,666	\$1,550	\$1,650
<b>Room and board</b>	\$4,400	\$4,281	\$4,500	\$4,401
<b>Miscellaneous</b>	\$4,266	\$4,167	\$4,350	\$4,300
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$11,445</b>	<b>\$17,139</b>	<b>\$23,600</b>	<b>\$42,451</b>

# 4 year university EXAMINATION REQUIRED

[www.collegeboard.org](http://www.collegeboard.org) to register for SAT

[www.actstudent.org](http://www.actstudent.org) to register for ACT

- ❑ The CSU and UC schools will accept either the SAT Reasoning Test or the ACT with Writing.
- ❑ Juniors are encouraged to begin taking the SAT in March or May of this school year
- ❑ You are allowed to retake the test as long as all tests are completed before November of senior year.
- ❑ UC takes the highest score from one sitting
- ❑ CSU takes the highest score of math and critical reading from any sitting
- ❑ Fee waivers are available
- ❑ SAT Subject Tests are recommended for competitive majors at UC and may be required for some independent/private schools.

# MILITARY OPTION

## Enlisted Service members

- ▶ Enlisted service members make up the majority of the Military and perform much of the hands-on work. To enlist, an individual must be 18 years old, or 17 with parental consent. He or she must also have graduated from high school, although a General Education Development (GED) certificate is sometimes acceptable.

## Officers

- ▶ Officers are the managers of the Military, planning and directing operations or acting in professional roles in fields such as law and medicine. Officers have generally completed a four-year college degree or greater before serving, though it is possible to advance through the enlisted ranks and complete officer training later.

TAKE THE ASVAB EXAM  
NOVEMBER 17<sup>th</sup>.

# How to start NOW....

## 11<sup>th</sup> Grade

- Evaluate your individual status
- Make personal and academic goals
- Take on Academic Challenges (AP/Honors)
- Pass classes with good grades (C or better for college)
- Pursue Leadership/Enrichment opportunities
- Explore Careers/Majors
- Develop a college list
- Take Exams
  - PSAT, SAT, ACT
- Register with NCAA Clearinghouse if you are a student athlete
- Tour Campuses
- Volunteer/ Community Service
- Ask questions

# Contact Information

- ▶ Mrs. Welzel
  - ▶ Mr. Grisham
  - ▶ Mrs. McGuffee
- ▶ Students can make student appointments, or see counselors before school, during lunch, or immediately after school. If there is an urgent need, students can ask for teacher permission to go to the office.