

# 7th Grade Field Trip

## THE ROAD MAP TO COLLEGE...

This year, California State University San Marcos (CSUSM) welcomes all Temecula Valley Unified School District (TVUSD) 7<sup>th</sup> grade students to the College Admission Promise for Students Program by inviting them on a field trip to CSUSM. Each year, roughly 1,500 seventh grade students from TVUSD will visit the CSUSM campus to learn about the opportunities available to them and to inspire them to set goals.

### What is the C.A.P.S. program?



Our district has a very exciting program this year called the **C.A.P.S.** (College Admission Promise for Students) program. This program supports college readiness for students so that they are guaranteed admission to CSUSM when they graduate from a TVUSD high school. This year, we have the incredible opportunity to take our 7<sup>th</sup> grade classes on a free fieldtrip to CSUSM where they will tour the campus and be exposed to the university system.

### WHO CAN PARTICIPATE?

C.A.P.S. was developed to give every motivated TVUSD student the opportunity to pursue higher education, regardless of their financial means or background, beginning with the graduating Class of 2015.

### SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Students are bused from their school to the entrance of CSUSM where they are met and greeted by current CSUSM students. The day is comprised of various activities to include:

1. Interactive demonstrations by the CSUSM STEM department
2. Walking tour of the campus

### CAMPUS TOUR

TVUSD staff and students go on a walking tour of the campus with current CSUSM students, visiting various locations highlighting important places on

### TAKE AWAYS

Visitors get exposure to a college campus and make valuable connections to academic departments that may one day be their choice of a major.

