
Junior Classroom Presentation

— Spring 2018 —

Thinking about College

- What's next?
 - Take the SAT/ACT at least once before the start of senior year
 - Start researching the type of college you want to attend
 - Big school vs. small school
 - In the city vs. suburbs
 - On campus life
 - Start researching what career options you might be interested in
 - What major would you select for that career?
- College Presentations
 - SJSU: Getting College Ready → March 20
 - College Fair → March 21 at 2pm in the Quad

SAT Test Dates

<u>Test Date</u>	<u>Registration Deadline</u>	<u>Late Registration Deadline</u>
March 10	February 9	February 28
May 5	April 6	April 25
June 2	May 3	May 23

**August Test Date has yet to be released*

***Fee waivers are available in the Counseling Office, which is open during the summer*

ACT Test Dates

<u>Test Date</u>	<u>Registration Deadline</u>	<u>Late Registration Deadline</u>
April 14	March 9	March 23
June 9	May 4	May 18
July 14	June 15	June 22

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Preparing for College

- Evaluate your A-G eligibility
 - Counselors made notes on your transcripts
- Visit Colleges - onsite campus tours
 - Local universities: UC Berkeley, UC Santa Cruz, San Jose State, SF State, East Bay, St. Mary's, UOP, Stanford, Santa Clara
 - Virtual Tours are available online
- Start preparing your personal insight questions
 - UC Applications open on August 1st
- Assess volunteer, work, leadership, athletic, or club experiences

College Prep Scholars Program

- Quest Bridge <https://www.questbridge.org/high-school-students/college-prep-scholars>
 - Program for financial assistance
 - Low Income Juniors
 - High Achieving
 - See your counselor for more information

SBAC Testing

- Testing will take place in April
- Juniors will take the English and Math
- Make sure to try!
 - Your score can exempt you from taking a placement test in college

East Side Spartan Promise

ESUHSD and San Jose State University partnered to provide a pathway to college admissions

What does this mean for you?

- Guaranteed admissions to eligible ESUHSD graduates starting Class of 2017 through Class of 2021



Transcripts - Where should you be?

Total Credits	150 credits
"A" - Social Science	15 credits
"B" - English	25 credits
"C" - Mathematics	20-25 credits
"D" - Science	20-25 credits
"E" - World Language	20-25 credits
"F" - Fine/Performing Arts	10 credits
PE (high school graduation only)	20 credits

Advancement Opportunities or Credit Recovery

- Summer School (A-G, advancement, and/or credit recovery)
 - 6 week summer program that meets Monday - Friday
 - If AH does not offer a course, see your counselor for alternative location options
- Cyber High (A-G eligibility and/or credit recovery)
 - Online college prep courses that meet after school once a week. Independent work
- Night School (credit recovery only)
 - Senior year only
 - Semester class that meets once a week from 6:20pm - 9:30pm
 - Class location: AH, IHS, or Overfelt

New Course Offerings for 2018-19

Fine Arts

- Drawing and Painting 1
- Sculpture 1

Electives

- IB Sports Science (Sports/Exercise/Health Science)
- Exploring Computer Science
- Ethnic Studies (now open to all grades)

P-Drawing and Painting

Prerequisite: Completion of Art 1, Multimedia 1, Photo 1 or teacher rec.

Grades: All

Fine Arts credits

- Use a variety of drawing and painting media in dealing with traditional subject matter such as still life, landscape and the figure, using realistic style as well as expressive and abstract styles

P-Sculpture

Prerequisite: None

Grades: 10, 11, 12

Fine Arts credit

- Create three-dimensional art forms
- Explore different forms of sculpture such as clays, plaster, assemblage, wire, wood, metal, and paper through the additive or subtractive methods
- Learn historical and cultural background pertaining to sculpture

P-IB Sports Science

Prerequisite: None

Grades: 11, 12

Elective Credits

- Disciplines of anatomy and physiology, biomechanics, psychology and nutrition, which are studied in the context of sports, exercise and health
- Carry out practical (experimental) investigations in both laboratory and field settings
- Acquire the knowledge and understanding necessary to apply scientific principles and critically analyse human performance

P-Exploring Computer Science

Prerequisite: None

Grades: All

Elective Credits

- Introduction to the breadth of computer science
- Explore human-computer interaction, problem-solving in computing, Web design, programming and animation using the Alice environment
- Lego Mindstorm robotics
- The creation of programs to manipulate images and sound clips

P-Ethnic Studies

Prerequisite: None

Grades: All

Elective Credits

- Educate students to be politically, socially, and economically conscious about their personal connections to local and global histories
- Study the histories of race, ethnicity, nationality, and culture
- Provides an emancipatory education that will inspire students to critically engage in self-determination and seek social justice for all

SVCTE Applications

Now Open! - www.svcte.org

Priority Registration Deadline: **March 9**

- Best chance of being accepted

Regular Registration Deadline: **April 13**

- Good chance of being accepted

***Note: You can still apply after April 13, but space will be limited*

- AM Classes (10 credits/semester) → 7:30-9:30am
- PM Classes (15 credits/semester) → 12:30-3:30pm

SVCTE Field Trip

Tour classes at SVCTE

Tuesday, March 13, 2018 from 12:45pm - 3pm

Limited Space - 45 students

See Ms. Pham in Counseling Office for Permission Slip

SVCTE Open House: March 6 5:30-7:30pm

What courses should you take next year?

Social Science: American Gov/Economics **or** IB History of America HL 2

English: IB English SL **or** IB English HL 2

Elective 1: Math (recommended)

Elective 2: Science (recommended)

Elective 3: World Language (recommended)

Elective 4: Visual/Perf. Arts **or** other electives (i.e. Yearbook, JROTC, PE)

**If you are not on track, you will need to take required courses for graduation. Refer to your transcript.*

Scheduling Forms

- Choose a start time
- Choose 6 classes
 - Write in two (2) alternatives
- Elective choices on the back

Counselors will be returning to meet with you to schedule your classes for next year on Tuesday through Friday

Parent Meeting: Tuesday, February 27 at 6pm in the Cafeteria