

FOUR YEAR COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY ENTRANCE REQUIREMENTS
A-G Subject Requirements (High school grades [Jan/Jan] of AC@ or better)

	9th Grade	10th Grade	11th Grade	12th Grade
ENGLISH (4 yrs)	Honors English 1	Honors English 2	Honors English 3	AP English 4
MATH (3 yrs)	Honors Algebra 2	Honors Pre-Calculus	AP Calculus AB	AP Calculus BC
FOREIGN LANGUAGE (2 yrs or 2 nd level)	Spanish 2	Spanish 3	Spanish 4	
HISTORY (2 yrs)		Honors World History	AP US History	AP Government/Economics
LAB SCIENCE (2 yrs)	Honors Biology	Honors Chemistry	Honors Physics	
VISUAL/PERFORMING ARTS (1 yr)			Beginning Speech/Debate	Advance Speech/Debate
COLLEGE PREP ELECTIVE (1 yr)	Spanish 2	Spanish 3	Honors Physics	AP Calculus BC
<i>TESTS:</i> CSU: SAT I Reasoning or ACT UC: SAT I Reasoning or ACT & SAT II Subject (2 diff subjects)			SAT I Reasoning (May) ACT (May) SAT II Subject (June)	SAT I Reasoning (Oct,Nov,Dec) ACT A @ SAT II Subject (Oct, Nov, Dec) (Must select 2 different subjects)

UC SCHOOLS:
www.ucop.edu

CAL STATE UNIV. SCHOOLS:
www.csumentor.edu

PRIVATE UNIVERSITIES:
www.aiccu.edu

UC BERKELEY
 UC DAVIS
 UC SANTA CRUZ
 UC SANTA BARBARA
 UC LOS ANGELES
 UC IRVINE
 UC RIVERSIDE
 UC SAN DIEGO
 UC MERCED
 UC SAN FRANCISCO (Graduate school only)

CAL STATE LOS ANGELES
 FULLERTON
 CHICO STATE
 SAN DIEGO STATE
 SONOMA STATE
 HUMBOLDT
 LONG BEACH
 FRESNO STATE

NORTHRIDGE
 CAL POLY POMONA
 CAL POLY SAN LUIS OBISPO
 SAN FRANCISCO STATE
 CAL STATE MONTEREY BAY
 SACRAMENTO STATE
 SAN BERNADINO STATE
 CAL MARITIME ACADEMY

STANISLAUS
 SAN MARCOS
 BAKERSFIELD
 DOMINGUEZ HILLS
 SAN JOSE STATE
 CHANNEL ISLANDS
 EAST BAY

OCCIDENTAL COLLEGE
 PEPPERDINE
 LOYOLA MARYMOUNT
 WHITTIER COLLEGE
 USC
 UNIV. OF LA VERNE
 AZUSA PACIFIC UNIV
 CLAREMONT COLLEGES

High School Graduation Requirements:

English	4 years	40 credits
Math (Pre-Alg + Algebra Fund/Algebra, Geometry or higher)	2 years	20 credits (2 years of different math)
Life Science: (Integrated Science I, or Biology)	1 year	10 credits
Physical Science: (Integrated Sci II, or Chemistry, or Physics)	1 year	10 credits
Physical Education (9 th & 10 th)	2 years	20 credits
Intro to H.S. (9 th grade)	2 year	5 credits
Health/Safety (9 th grade)	2 year	5 credits
World History (10 th grade)	1 year	10 credits
U.S. History (11 th grade)	1 year	10 credits
Government (12 th grade)	2 year	5 credits
Economics (12 th grade)	2 year	5 credits
Fine Arts (Woods, Art, Tech Prep, Band, Foreign Language)	1 year	10 credits
Other Electives		70 credits
High School Exit Exam English & Math	TOTAL	220 credits

Most classes are year long. Each class earns 5 credits per semester with a “D” grade or higher. Must have “C” or better grades in the A-G subject courses for college entrance eligibility.

Type of School (Fees supported by) Website	Community College (State and Public tax) www.cccco.edu/find/find.htm	Cal State University (State and Public tax) www.csumentor.edu	University of California (State and Public Tax) www.ucop.edu	Private Universities (Private funds)
Nature of Program and	2-year schools	4-year schools w/graduate	4-year schools	4-year schools w/some

Curriculum	Career/Job entry majors Transfer Classes AA degrees Vocational certificates Concurrent Enrollment for High School Students.	programs. Variety of majors Pre-professional training Bachelor of Arts (B.A) Bachelor of Science (B.S) Master=s Degrees Teaching Credentials	w/graduate programs Pre-professional training Variety of majors Bachelor of Arts (B.A) Bachelor of Science (B.S) Master=s Degrees Ph.D (Doctorates) Professional Degrees	graduate degree programs Variety of majors Bachelor of Arts (B.A) Bachelor of Science (B.S) Master=s Degrees Teaching credential Ph.D programs
Cost: Fees/Tuition per year	\$26 per unit/ \$75 per class Total+Books: \$600.00 - \$800.00	\$3000 - \$3,900 \$8,000 - \$13,000 (housing)	\$6,500 - \$7,000 Approx \$10,000 (housing)	\$26,000 - \$40,000 \$8,000 – \$12,000
Admissions Process: REGISTER FOR: SAT I & SAT II www.collegeboard.com ACT: www.actstudent.org	Paper application or apply on-line. Need official copy of transcript. NO SAT or ACT test scores required. High school students can take community colleges classes and pay only for the books and health fee – No tuition.	Apply during senior year (Oct 1 st – 30 th) at www.csumentor.edu SAT I Reasoning or ACT test scores required. NO personal statements NO recommendation letters	Apply during senior year (Nov 1 st – 30 th) at www.universityofcalifornia.edu/apply ACT or SAT I & SAT II test scores required. Personal Statements required. NO recommendation letters. SATII: 2 subjects in two different subject areas: History/Social Science English Lit Math (level 2 only) Laboratory Science Foreign Language	Deadlines vary between Nov – Feb. Selective schools are usually in Nov. Can use the Common App for some colleges. www.commonapp.org Or call the university to request an application. ACT or SAT I (highly selective schools require SAT II). Personal Statements required. Letters of Recommendation required. www.aiccu.edu
Eligibility Requirements: 1) High School Courses 2) GPA 3) Tests	High school graduate OR Non-high school grads over 18 years of age	A-G Requirements, 2.0 minimum grade point average (GPA) SAT or ACT 3.0 GPA qualifies w/any score	A-G Requirements, 3.0 minimum GPA SAT w/writing or ACT SAT II (Two Subjects)	A-G Requirements, 2.0 minimum GPA SAT w/writing or ACT Highly Selective schools require SAT II
Financial Aid Info: Cal Grant Money	Cal Grant max award \$2,592.00	Cal Grant - \$2,520.00	Cal Grant - \$6,141.00	Cal Grant - \$9,708.00
Examples of Schools	Pasadena City College (PCC) East Los Angeles College (ELAC) Rio Hondo (Whittier) Mt. San Antonio College (Mt. SAC) LA Trade Tech	Cal State LA Cal State Northridge Cal State Long Beach Cal State Fullerton Cal Poly Pomona	UCLA UC Irvine UC Berkeley UC San Diego UC Santa Cruz UC Davis UC Merced UC Riverside UC Santa Barbara	USC Loyola Marymount Univ (LMU) Pepperdine University Whittier College Occidental College Pomona College Pitzer College Stanford University Univ of San Diego

- Eligibility index: www.universityofcalifornia.edu/admissions/scholarship
- UC application Personal Statement writing assistance: www.ucgateways.org (click on “help with your personal statement”)
- UC General information: www.ucop.edu
- UC Admissions information: www.universityofcalifornia.edu/admissions
- CSU Admissions information: www.csumentor.edu
- CSU Grade Point Average (GPA) calculator: www.csumentor.edu/planning/high_school/gpa_calculator.asp
- College Board: www.collegeboard.com
- ACT: www.actstudent.org