

Ninth Grade Parent Ed Meeting



What Are:

HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS?

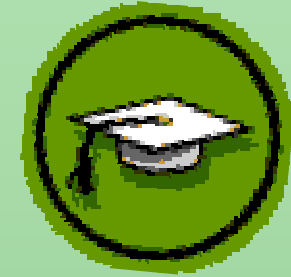
A-G COLLEGE ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS?



HIGH SCHOOL GRAD REQUIREMENTS

- **3 years Social Science (World History or European History, US History, and Govt./Econ)**
- **4 years English**
- **2 years Math (must include Algebra 1)**
- **2 years Science (1 year Physical Science and 1 year Biology)**
- **1 year Fine Art**
- **2 years Physical Education**
- **1 year Practical Art (requirement waived if three years of foreign language are completed)**
- **1 year Health / Careers**
- **Additional credits as needed to complete a total of 230 credits.**
- **Service learning : 10 hours**
- **CAHSEE Math and English**

MINIMUM A - G REQUIREMENTS



- A. Social Science (2 years)
- B. English (4 years)
- C. Mathematics (three years) must include Algebra 1, Geometry, Algebra 2
- D. Lab Science (one year Biology / one year Chemistry or Physics)
- E. Language other than English (two years)
- F. Visual and Performing Arts (one year of fine art)
- G. College- prep elective (one year)

*All academic coursework must be completed with a minimum of a "C" grade

*Cal State Universities require a minimum of 2.0 academic GPA

*University of California require a minimum of 3.0 academic GPA

Where would I find the A-G Course Requirements?

John Burroughs High School has a list of approved



courses.

<http://www.ucop.edu/doorways/>

COLLEGE PREP TIMELINE

■ Sophomore year:

- Focus on academic GPA (colleges will look at 10th and 11th grade academic grades for admissions)
- Register and take PSAT in October
- Volunteer activities / clubs / leadership / work

■ Junior year:

- Register and take PSAT in October
- Enroll in a SAT Prep Course
- Continue with rigorous academic and extracurricular schedule
- Take the SAT or ACT
- Visit Universities and Colleges of interest

■ Senior year:

- Continue with a full, rigorous academic and extracurricular schedule
- Register for SAT/ACT if needed
- Apply to college in the fall



WHAT ABOUT AFTER GRADUATION?

- 4 YEAR PUBLIC UNIVERSITIES (CSU / UC)
- 4 YEAR PRIVATE UNIVERSITIES
- COMMUNITY COLLEGE
- TRADE SCHOOLS
- MILITARY
- APPRENTICESHIPS

Four Year Colleges / Universities

- Cal State Universities (23 campuses)

WWW.CSU.MENTOR.COM

- University of California (9 campuses)

www.universityofcalifornia.edu

- Private Universities

FOUR YEAR COLLEGE ENTRANCE EXAMS

■ SAT REASONING TEST OR ACT EXAM

REQUIRED BY CAL STATES, UC'S, PRIVATE UNIVERSITIES

*To register for exams: www.collegeboard.com or www.act.org

■ SAT SUBJECT EXAMS:

EXTRA REQUIREMENT FOR U.C.'S AND SOME PRIVATE
SCHOOLS: (STUDENTS CHOOSE 2 DIFFERENT SUBJECTS IN
TWO DIFFERENT AREAS / HIGH LEVEL MATH)

Career Search Websites

- www.access.bridges.com

(site ID: 27546 password: burroughs)

- www.cacareerzone.org

- www.bls.gov

Interventions

- **CSF Tutoring: Every Tuesday and Wednesday from 3:00-4:00 in the library. The tutoring will be in all subject areas.**
- **Math tutoring by the math department on Monday and Wednesday after school (schedule posted in all math classrooms)**
- **Summer School: available for students who have failed and are behind in credits.**

Question and Answer Time

**Thanks for coming to our ninth
grade parent meeting.**

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Sheila Masters (cole – hallin)

Les Cohen (ham – meadows)

Hung Truong (mechoso – ruiz)

Jodi Levy (rumore – z)