College Admissions Requirements and Naviance Parent Presentation

Presented by
Julia Smith
Maria Ibarra
Ross Yokomura
Agenda

- Admissions requirements for California public universities (A-G)
- Meeting eligibility requirements
- FAFSA / Dream Act application
- What is Naviance?
- Recommended tools to use in Naviance?
- How can you assist your student using Naviance?
- Questions?
The A-G requirements are the courses required to meet admissions standards for the University of California (UC) and California State University (CSU) systems.

The intent of the “a-g” subject requirements is to ensure that students have attained a body of general knowledge that will provide breadth and perspective to new, more advanced study.
## A-G requirements

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Subject</th>
<th>CHS Graduation Requirements (passing with a D- or higher)</th>
<th>A-G Requirements (passing with a C- or higher)</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td><strong>English</strong></td>
<td>40 credits</td>
<td>4 years</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>Math</strong></td>
<td>20 credits</td>
<td>3 years (4 years recommended)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>(10 credits of Algebra 1 or equivalent)</td>
<td>Algebra 1</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>Geometry</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>Algebra 2</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>Science</strong></td>
<td>20 credits</td>
<td>2 Years **</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>(10 credits of a lab Science)</td>
<td>(3 years recommended)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>1 year life science</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>1 year physical science</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>Social Studies</strong></td>
<td>35 credits</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>15 credits World History</td>
<td>2 Years</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>10 credits U.S. History</td>
<td>World History</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>5 credits Government</td>
<td>U.S. History</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>5 credits Economics</td>
<td>Government</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
## A-G requirements

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Category</th>
<th>Credits</th>
<th>Requirement</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Fine Arts</td>
<td>10 credits</td>
<td>1 year (visual or performing arts)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>C.T.E. or World Language Level 3</td>
<td>10 credits</td>
<td>No Requirement</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>P.E.</td>
<td>20 credits</td>
<td>No Requirement</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Life Skills</td>
<td>2.5 credits</td>
<td>No Requirement</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>World Language</td>
<td>No Requirement</td>
<td>2 years (in the same language (3 years recommended))</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Electives</td>
<td>62.5 credits</td>
<td>1 year College preparatory elective</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Total Credits</td>
<td>220 credits</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
Meeting Eligibility Requirements:

Students must pass all A-G requirements with a C- or higher. **What if my student earns a D or F grade?**

- Repeat course
- Validation (math or world language)
- STUDENT SHOULD MEET WITH THEIR COUNSELOR
SAT/ACT Updates

• **UC and CSU Update** -
  - “UC and CSU will no longer collect SAT or ACT scores as a part of your admission application.”

However...

  - Test scores could still be considered for other purposes such as course placement or certain scholarships.

• **Some private and out-of state public universities might require the SAT or ACT for admissions.** Please check your potential college lists for their SAT / ACT status.
UC Comprehensive review

- Grade Point Average
- Courses Completed/Planned
- Honors Courses
- Top 9% Local Context (ELC)
- Quality of Senior-Year Program of Study
- Academic Opportunities in California High Schools

- Performance in Academic Subject Areas
- Achievements in Special Projects
- Improvement in Academic Performance
- Special Talents, Achievements, and Awards
- Participation in Educational Preparation Programs
- Academic Accomplishment Within Life Experiences
- Geographic Location
State requirement (AB 469) families are required to complete the FAFSA/CADAA. Opens Oct. 1st and closes March 2nd. Workshops will be available!

Reasons students should apply for FAFSA/Dream Act -

- **FREE tuition at the Community College** (CA Promise)
- Money for college, university or vocational program
- Consideration for student loans (with typically lower interest rates), work study (to work on campus) and state or federal money.
- Some private scholarships require a FAFSA/Dream Act completion as part of their application/scholarship process.
- Even if you think you may **NOT** qualify for any financial aid, if there’s an unforeseen financial situation at home during the school year, the FAFSA/CADAA must be filed to be reconsidered for financial aid
General Announcement

Sequoia Union High School District will only be using Naviance for the next school year 2023-2024.

**We will demonstrate tools that all grade levels have access to, but only current juniors will use Naviance for college applications and scholarships.**
What is Naviance?

Naviance is a tool to:

1. self assessments
2. explore careers
3. learn about colleges and majors
4. search for scholarships and financial aid
5. request letters of recommendations
6. resume building
Naviance has a variety of self-assessment tools for students to learn more about themselves, their learning style, and potential careers that might fit their personality.
Let’s get started.

It looks like you haven’t done any assessments yet. By taking Naviance assessments you’ll get to know yourself better.

Here are assessments that are available for you to take now.

**AchieveWorks Intelligences®**
Formerly MI Advantage

Intelligence comes in many forms. **AchieveWorks Intelligences®** helps you uncover your different intelligences and how to leverage them.

**AchieveWorks Learning and Productivity®**
Formerly Learning Styles Inventory

Discover your sensory, environmental and mindset preferences to help develop and adjust your study practices.

**AchieveWorks Personality®**
Formerly Do What You Are

**AchieveWorks Personality®** helps you identify your personality type by asking you to choose scenarios that best represent how you behave in real life.

**AchieveWorks Skills®**
AchieveWorks Skills® helps you identify and develop your skills and connects your skills to careers that might interest you.

**Career Cluster Finder**

The **Career Cluster Finder** helps you identify your interests and discover career clusters that contain careers that might interest you.

**Career Interest Profiler**

The **Career Interest Profiler** captures your interests to help identify your personality traits and suggests careers based on the U.S. Department of Labor’s data.

**Strengths Explorer®**

**Strengths Explorer®** helps you identify your key strengths that you can use as you proceed on your college, career and life readiness journey.
Career Exploration

- Data about each career including description, tasks, education, and wages (based on geographic location)
- As students find careers that interest them, they can save that information
What's in the Archive?

We've gone on 52 roadtrips and interviewed 1272 leaders creating 10540 videos on struggle, triumph, and self discovery that have been broken into 48 themes and 29 interests.

First time here? Click on the Roadmap to watch more interviews with people whose interests are similar to your own.

Recommended Leaders

ASA Flight Crew S202
First All Female, African-American Flight Crew
Business Travel

Abelardo Morell
Photographer/Professor
Massachusetts College of Art and Design
Art Education

AJ Rowland
Aviation Mechanic
Rowland Dusters
Engineering Technology

Aaron Appelhans
Sheriff
Albany County Sheriff's Office
Law Government
Recommended Assessment

Strengths Explorer

Strengths Explorer is a strengths assessment that assesses 10 talent themes for individuals and identifies each student’s **three strongest emerging talents**. Upon completion of Strengths Explorer, students will be provided with explanations of their **top three themes** and will learn how to capitalize on their success and discover what they need to do next to continue building on their strengths.

**Themes:**

* Achieving, Caring, Competing,
* Confidence, Dependability, Discoverer, Future Thinker,
* Organizer, Presence, Relating
Strengths Explorer® - Powered by Gallup

Overview  Theme Details  Action Items

**Your top 3 themes**

You are the only person with your exact talents. Nobody in the world is the same as you.

**3. Achieving**

You have more energy and more goals than other people. You love a sense of accomplishment.

**1. Dependability**

Trust is important to you, and you care about being seen as responsible and trustworthy. People count on you to do what you say you will do. When you make a promise, you mean to keep it.

**2. Relating**

You like to start friendships and keep them for a long time. Maybe even your whole life. You widen the circle of friends for yourself and others.
This assessment helps students learn about their:

- personality type
- strengths
- tips for success

What's in it for you:

- Clarify your career options.

- Make assignments and tests easier.

- You understand others and others understand you.
Seniors

- Primarily use Naviance for college application support
  - Tool to research colleges and admissions information
  - Keep list of schools they are applying to
  - Send transcripts and letters of recommendation from counselors and teachers

- Resume

- Sign up for college representative visits to CHS

- Scholarship search - local and nationwide scholarship lists
Letters of recommendations

- **Counselors** letter of recommendation - requires 3 weeks notice
- **EA and ED deadline for LOR is Oct 2nd, 2023**
  - Please complete the LOR questionnaire (survey)
  - Survey will be posted late May
- Recommended to verbally ask **teachers** for letters of rec prior to summer break
- Add teachers on Naviance in the Fall 2023

...More instructions to come by Nina Rasor
Scholarships

Scholarships are a form of aid that does not have to be repaid. The list below contains scholarships or financial aid awards that may be relevant for you, based on information pulled from your profile. Select the “Match and Filter” button to apply more criteria or select “Reset” in that menu in order to view all available scholarships.

- **AAEE California Chapter Scholarship**
  - Deadline: 02/21/2022
  - Maximum Award: $3000

- **Pacific Gas and Electric Company**
  - Deadline: 02/22/2022
  - Maximum Award: $1000 - $10,000

- **Society of Woman Engineers Scholarship**
  - Deadline: 02/23/2022
  - Maximum Award: $1000 - $2500

- **Pursuit of Excellence (Bay Area)**
  - Deadline: 02/28/2022
  - Maximum Award: $500 - $5000

- **ACS Scholar Award**
  - Deadline: 03/01/2022
  - Maximum Award: $5,000

- **Alzheimer's Foundation of America Teen scholarship**
  - Deadline: 03/01/2022
  - Maximum Award: $5000
College information

- SuperMatch – College Search
- Research specific information for each college of interest
- Colleges visiting Carlmont
Welcome back Class of 2021

Welcome back to school.

This fall your counseling department and your College and Career Center will lead you through the college application process. Please read your emails regularly. We are here for all your questions and concerns. Colleges will be conducting virtual visits with Carlmont students during September, October and November.

Read more

My Favorites

- COLLEGES
  - I’m thinking about

- COLLEGES
  - I’m applying to

- CAREERS AND CLUSTERS
  - I’m thinking about

- SCHOLARSHIPS & MONEY
  - Favorite Scholarships
You've selected 6 criteria—Your results include 4 institutions with a fit score of 90% or above. Not all fields are required. Remember to only fill out the criteria that is most important to you.

Your Fit Criteria

6 selected criteria
To refine your results, use the arrows to move your criteria into the "Must Have" and "Nice to Have" boxes.

Must Have
- Location [10]
- Major [1]
- Institution Type
- High Retention Rate
- Internships and Co-ops
- Offers Study Abroad

Nice to Have
A Nice to Have is anything that's important to you, but isn't an absolute must have.

Your Results
Your results include 4 institutions with a fit score of 90% or above.

Search by College Name
<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>College Name</th>
<th>Fit Score</th>
<th>Academic Match</th>
<th>Highlights</th>
<th>Cost</th>
<th>Pick what to show</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>California State Polytechnic University, Pomona</td>
<td>100%</td>
<td></td>
<td>Photos/videos on profile</td>
<td>$5,472  In State (CA)</td>
<td>a category above</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Pomona, CA, Large City</td>
<td></td>
<td>Average</td>
<td></td>
<td>$16,632  Out of State</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>4 year, Public</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>Room &amp; Board $13,992</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>PIN TO COMPARE</td>
<td></td>
<td>Why?</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Brigham Young University-Provo</td>
<td>100%</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>Tuition &amp; Fees $5,300</td>
<td>Customize what you see here—Choose</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Provo, UT, Large City</td>
<td></td>
<td>Match</td>
<td>No highlights available</td>
<td>Room &amp; Board $7,448</td>
<td>a category above</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>4 year, Private nonprofit, Latter Day Saints</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Mormon Church</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>PIN TO COMPARE</td>
<td></td>
<td>Why?</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Oregon State University</td>
<td>99%</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>Tuition &amp; Fees $8,715  In State (OR)</td>
<td>Customize what you see here—Choose</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Corvallis, OR, Small City</td>
<td></td>
<td>Match</td>
<td>No highlights available</td>
<td>$27,195  Out of State</td>
<td>a category above</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>4 year, Public</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>Room &amp; Board $12,153</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>PIN TO COMPARE</td>
<td></td>
<td>Why?</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Montana State University</td>
<td>95%</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>Tuition &amp; Fees $5,330  In State (MT)</td>
<td>Customize what you see here—Choose</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Bozeman, MT, Small City</td>
<td></td>
<td>Match</td>
<td>Photos/videos on profile</td>
<td>$11,145  Out of State</td>
<td>a category above</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Overview</td>
<td>Studies</td>
<td>Student Life</td>
<td>Admissions</td>
<td>Costs</td>
<td>NEXT DEADLINE</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>--------------------------------------</td>
<td>---------------------------------------</td>
<td>-------------------------------------</td>
<td>-------------------------------------</td>
<td>-------------</td>
<td>---------------</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>AVERAGE NET PRICE</strong></td>
<td><strong>GRADUATION RATE</strong></td>
<td><strong>ACCEPTANCE RATE</strong></td>
<td><strong>COLLEGE OVERLAPS</strong></td>
<td><strong>NEXT DEADLINE</strong></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>$16,963</td>
<td>84%</td>
<td>49%</td>
<td>10</td>
<td>October 1</td>
<td>Winter 2022 Term</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Family Income</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>Regular Decision Deadline</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
| $0 - $30k                            |                                       |                                     |                                     |             | See all deadlines  
<p>| More about Cost &amp; Aid                | More about learning environment       | Check out Scattergrams to see how this relates to you | See other colleges that applicants to this school also applied to |</p>
<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>College Visits</th>
<th>Search for colleges</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td><strong>FEBRUARY</strong></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Thu 17</td>
<td>San Jose State University</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>10:00AM</td>
<td>College and Career Center</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>FEBRUARY</strong></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Mon 28</td>
<td>The University of Arizona</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>09:00AM</td>
<td>College and Career Center</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>MARCH</strong></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Thu 03</td>
<td>University of Portland</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>02:00PM</td>
<td>College and Career Center</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
How can parents use Naviance to help your students

• Let your student take **ownership** of the college application process

• **Resume** - Encourage your student to log activities and awards beginning in ninth grade

• Encourage your student to complete **self assessments**
  - Talk about your students’ results – what are their strengths, interests, and goals
  - Talk about career possibilities

• Search for colleges together to consider for their list of “Colleges I’m Thinking About”. Look at the schools’ admission data. Be realistic about your student’s **goals and limitations** and set a **reasonable range** of schools.
Parents of juniors should have access to Naviance.

If you have trouble accessing your account, contact Nina Rasor, College and Career Assistant nrasor@seq.org

Log into Naviance by first going to the CHS website: http://www.carlmonths.org/
Welcome to Carlmont High School
How to Get Help

Counselors
Tammy DePaoli
Connie Dominguez
Maria Ibarra
Matthew Ledesma
Kim Miller
Julia Smith
Theresa Torres
Kristin Vernon
Ross Yokomura

Guidance information Specialist
Elizabeth DeSpain
Yvonne Chamorro

Registrar
Irma Abelt

College and Career Assistant
Nina Rasor
Next Parent Webinar

Overview on College Admissions

May 2nd at 6:00 pm
Questions ?
Thank you!

Slides will be available on the Carlmont College and Career website.