

CCGI Curriculum

Middle School Lessons

6th Grade: An Introduction to College and Career Planning

- [Welcome to CaliforniaColleges.edu: Platform Exploration \(6.1\)](#) Fall (Optional 8th grade)
- [What Do I Like?: Interest Profiler \(6.2\)](#) Fall
- [College 101: An Introduction \(6.3\)](#) Spring

7th Grade: Let's Start Researching Colleges and Creating SMART Goals

- [My First College List \(7.1\)](#) Fall (Optional 8th Grade)
- [Finding Meaningful Experiences and Activities \(7.2\)](#) Fall (Optional 8th Grade)
- [My Future Alma Mater - College Research \(7.3\)](#) Spring (Optional 8th Grade)
- [My Future Alma Mater - College Presentation \(7.4\)](#) Spring
- [Introduction to SMART Goals \(7.5\)](#) Spring

8th Grade: Self-Reflection, Growth Mindset, and Planning for High School

- [How Do I Learn? \(8.1\)](#) Fall
- [Family Lesson: My Aspirations \(8.2\)](#) Fall
- [Growth Mindset \(8.3\)](#) Spring
- [Planning Courses for High School \(8.4\)](#) Spring
- [Reflection and Goal Setting \(8.5\)](#) Spring

High School Lessons

9th Grade: Strategies for Success, Knowing your Resources, and Career Exploration

- [Success, School, Self \(9.1\)](#) Fall
- [Task and Time Management \(9.2\)](#) Fall
- [Past and Future Me: Career Investigation \(9.3\)](#) Spring
- [Past and Future Me: Revised High School Plan \(9.4\)](#) Spring
- [Past and Future Me: Reflection and Annual SMART Goal Development \(9.5\)](#) Spring
- [Family Lesson: My Schools Resources \(9.6\)](#) Spring

10th Grade: Connecting Careers to Course Offerings, Pathways, and Degrees

- [Resources for Finding a Career \(10.1\)](#) Fall
- [Module 1: Paying for College \(Financial Aid\)](#) Fall
- [Career Research Project: Career Research \(10.2\)](#) Spring
- [Career Research Project: College Research \(10.3\)](#) Spring

- [Career Research Project: Conclusion \(10.4\)](#) Spring
- [Reflection and Goal Setting \(10.5\)](#) Spring

11th Grade: Planning for Life After High School

- [Module 1: Understanding Financial Aid](#) Fall
- [Module 2: Finding Your College Costs](#) Fall
- [Researching Postsecondary Options \(11.1\)](#) Fall
- [Planning to Meet Deadlines \(11.2\)](#) Fall
- [Who Are You? \(11.4\)](#) Spring
- [Writing Your Best Resume \(11.6\)](#) Spring
- [Reflection and Goal Setting \(11.7\)](#) Spring

12th Grade: Time to Transition: Launching Your Plan!

- [Guide: How to Launch College and Financial Aid Applications](#) Fall 1
- [Solidifying the College List \(12.1\)](#) Fall 1
- [College Essays \(12.2\)](#) Fall 1
- [Module 1: Complete Prep Work for Your FAFSA or CADAA](#) Fall 1
- [Module 2: Launch and Submit the FAFSA or CADAA](#) Fall 2
- [Planning for Community College Bound Students \(12.3\)](#) Fall 2
- [Planning for 4-Year Bound Students \(12.4\)](#) Fall 2
- [Module 3: Review the Student Aid Report and Cal Grant GPA](#) Spring
- [Module 4: Check College Portals](#) Spring
- [Module 5: Review Financial Aid Offers](#) Spring
- [Module 6: Secure State Aid](#) Spring
- [Reflection and Goals Setting \(12.5\)](#) Spring

Non-Bolded Activities are optional.