



*College & Career
Parent Information Night*



Magnolia Junior High

Preparation for Cal State (CSU) and University of California (UC) Universities

What are UC 'a-g' requirements ?

What is it?

- The **minimum requirements** for admission to a University of California campus & a Cal State Campus.
- 15 different courses, each from an "area" --- a-g

Why is it important?

- The courses have been approved by the UC/CSU and considered rigorous enough to make it on the "list."

Where do I get more information?

- School counselors
- Administrators
- <http://admission.universityofcalifornia.edu/>
- CSU Admissions: <https://www2.calstate.edu/Apply>

A thru G Requirements

In order to be eligible to attend any school in the University of California (UC) or the California State University (CSU) systems as a freshman, you must take certain classes in high school.

These classes are known as the "A thru G Requirements:"

A. History/Social Science - 2 years required: One year of U.S. History or ½ year of U.S. History and ½ year of civics or American Government. CSU requires one additional year of Social Science. UC requires one year of world history, cultures, and geography.

B. English - 4 years required: Four years of college preparatory English

C. Mathematics - 3 years required, 4 years recommended: Classes must include the topics of algebra, geometry, and intermediate algebra. Approved integrated math courses can also fulfill this requirement.

D. Laboratory Science - 2 years required, 3 years recommended: CSU requires one biological and one physical. UC requires classes in at least two of the following areas: biology, chemistry, and physics.

E. Language Other Than English (Foreign Language) - 2 years required, 3 years recommended: At least two years of the same language.

F. Visual & Performing Arts - 1 year required: One yearlong course in dance, drama/theatre, music, or visual art.

G. College Preparatory Electives - 1 year required: One additional year in any of the above A-F areas or other approved elective.

You must get a "C" or better in each of these classes.

UC System

UC = University of California

1. UC Berkeley
2. UC Davis
3. UC Irvine
4. UCLA
5. UC Merced
6. UC Riverside
7. UC San Diego
8. UC San Francisco (Graduate School)
9. UC Santa Barbara
10. UC Santa Cruz

University of California (UC) System



Cal State University System

CSU = California State University

1. CSU Bakersfield
2. CSU Channel Islands
3. CSU Chico
4. CSU Dominguez Hills
5. CSU East Bay
6. CSU Fresno
7. CSU Fullerton
8. Humboldt State University
9. CSU Long Beach
10. CSU Los Angeles
11. CSU Maritime Academy
12. CSU Monterey Bay
13. CSU Northridge
14. Cal Poly Pomona
15. CSU Sacramento
16. CSU San Bernardino
17. San Diego State University
18. San Francisco State University
19. San Jose State University
20. Cal Poly San Luis Obispo
21. CSU San Marcos
22. Sonoma State University
23. CSU Stanislaus

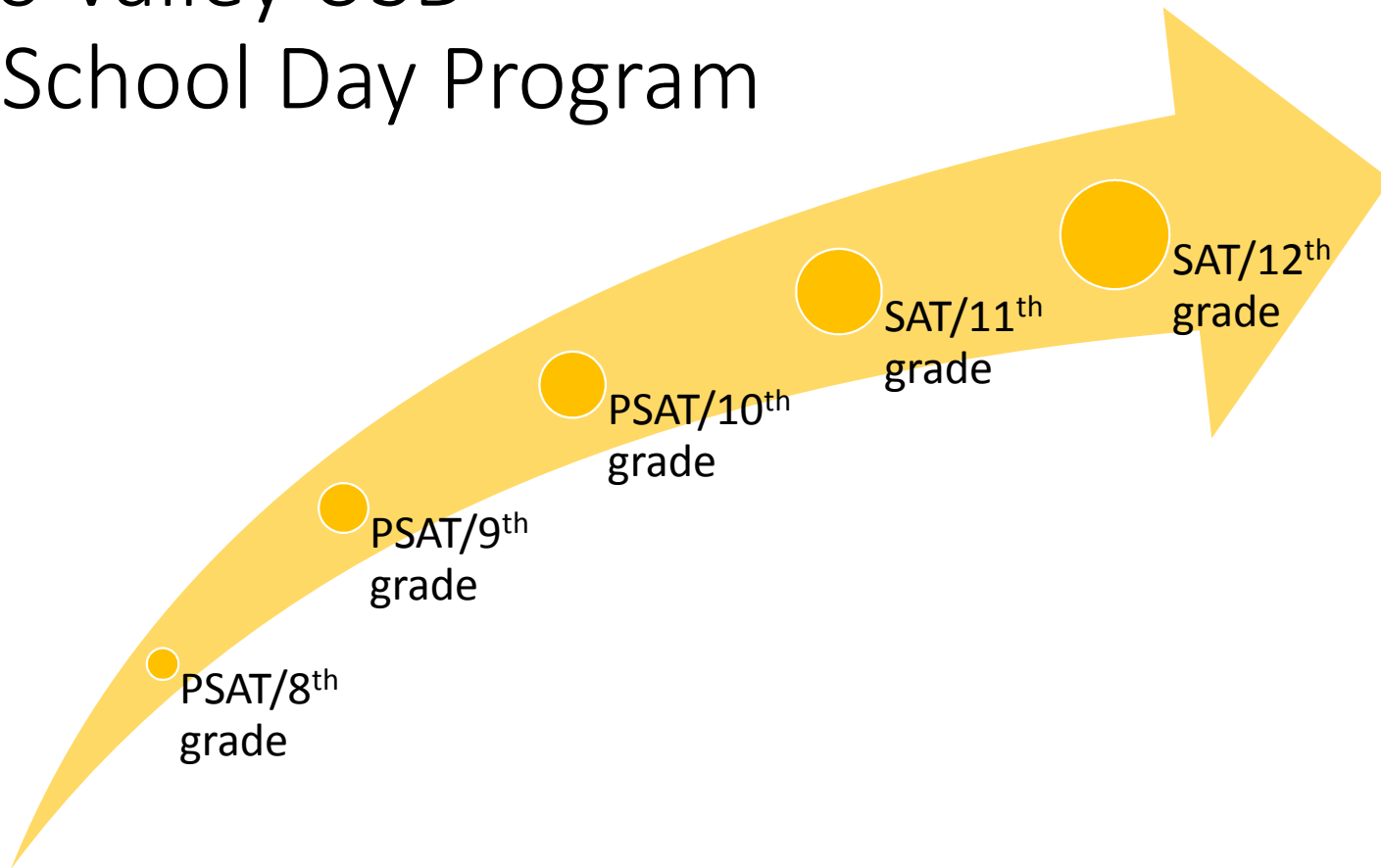
Cal State University System



High School Requirements to Participate in Graduation Ceremony

English	4 years (40 credits)	Physical Science	1 year (10 credits)
Math	3 years (30 credits)	Physical Education	2 years (20 credits)
World History	1 year (10 credits)	Vis/Per Arts or Foreign Language	2 years (20 credits)
U.S. History	1 year (10 credits)	Health	½ year (5 credits)
U.S. Government	½ year (5 credits)	Electives	60 credits
Economics	½ year (5 credits)	Total	225 Credits
Biological Science	1 year (10 credits)	Minimum 2.0 cumulative GPA	

Chino Valley USD SAT School Day Program



PSAT 8 Results

- “Benchmarks” within results
- College Board account → Khan Academy
- More info: <https://collegereadiness.collegeboard.org/psat-8-9>

Connect, connect, connect!

- Academics
- Activities
- Arts
- Athletics

Student Handbooks

- Graduation Requirements
- CTE Courses
- Distinguished Scholars
- Advanced Placement
- Codes, Codes, and more Codes...

Preparing for Academic Success in High School

California College Guidance Initiative (CCGI)

- Prepared and informed students and parents
- “Activities”
- Academic, CSU, UC Planning
- Online platform - accessible at any time from anywhere
- www.CaliforniaColleges.edu

The screenshot displays the 'Academic Planner' interface. At the top, a navigation bar includes links for 'Academic Planner', 'My College Plan', 'My Career Plan', 'My Financial Aid Plan', 'My Goals', 'My Journal', 'My Experiences', and 'My Documents'. Below this, a text block explains that CSU eligibility is determined by graduation, 'a-g' course completion, and college entrance exam scores. A secondary navigation bar highlights 'CSU Eligibility' and 'UC Eligibility'. The main content area is divided into two columns. The left column, titled 'CSU GPA', features a large blue circle with the number '4.04' in orange. Below this, it states that the user is meeting the minimum 2.0 GPA requirement and provides details about UC Honors Approved courses. The right column, titled 'Your Eligibility for CSU', features a green target icon and states that the user is making good progress but must complete current coursework with a C- or better. A small print at the bottom indicates that transcript data was last submitted on 02/05/2018.

Academic Planner | My College Plan | My Career Plan | My Financial Aid Plan | My Goals | My Journal | My Experiences | My Documents

CSU uses three factors to determine eligibility—graduation from high school, completion of "a-g" courses, as well as grades achieved in a-g courses and test scores on college entrance exams. The Eligibility Tool below includes your completed and enrolled courses (uploaded by your school district) and measures your progress towards meeting the "a-g" requirements for CSU.

Academic Planner | **CSU Eligibility** | UC Eligibility

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CSU GPA

You are currently meeting the minimum GPA requirement of 2.0 or above. Your GPA reflects 10-12th completed "a-g" coursework submitted by your school district.

Courses that have UC Honors Approved under the title are approved as honors in the UC CMP database. Eligible courses receive an extra one point in the CSU GPA calculation.

Your CSU GPA is based on CSU guidelines. [Learn more here.](#)

Transcript data most recently submitted on 02/05/2018

Your Eligibility for CSU

You are making good progress towards completing both your total "a-g" course units and subject area courses for your grade level.

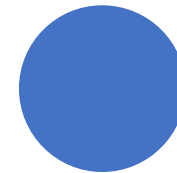
Based upon successful completion of coursework this term, you are on target to meet CSU eligibility, but you must complete your current coursework with a C- or better.

DO YOU WANT TO BE A COLLEGIATE ATHLETE?

- Graduate high school
- Complete a minimum of 16 core courses
- Secure a minimum GPA in core courses
- Achieve a qualifying test score on ACT or SAT

Scholarships

- Scholarship - A grant or payment made to support a student's education, awarded on the basis of academic or other achievement.
- www.fastweb.com/scholarships
- Chino High School Website:
 - www.chino.k12.ca.us/Domain/37
 - Click “Academic” tab, select “Career Center,” & click on “Scholarships.”



Some “tips” from
the High Schools!
(Counselors & Seniors)

- Every day counts!
- Join, Join, Join....
- Don't be afraid to ask questions
- Get to know your teachers
- Get and Stay organized
- Four years goes by “crazy fast.”
- Have a plan....then make a backup plan

Thank you!

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