

College Day 2021 - I Own My Future

November Edition

A Note from Santa Clara County Office of Education

Welcome to our November Edition of our College Day Newsletter. On behalf of the Santa Clara County Office of Education, we want to thank our College Day Committee and College Day presenters for a tremendous success! We had over 192 registrations for many exciting workshops.

We will publish the recordings for College Day on our website soon for your resources. Stay tuned!



Santa Clara County
Office of Education

College Day 2021 - I Own My Future Kick off Event!

Thank you to our amazing College Day speakers who helped kick off our event with inspirational stories and words of wisdom: Dr. Mary Ann Dewan, Denise Williams, Ginelyn Kudsi, and Ebony Lucatero. Please click the link below to listen to their amazing stories!



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COLLEGE RESOURCE CORNER

Breaking Down Barriers: Tools for Supporting Students Experiencing Homelessness and Housing Insecurity

Community College staff, faculty and administrators are often the first point of contact for students experiencing homelessness and housing insecurity and it is essential they are equipped with the tools needed to support these students to remain enrolled. Please join the California Community Colleges Chancellor's Office in partnership with John Burton Advocates for Youth for this webinar that will review newly updated resources that are now available to support campus professionals to recognize students who may be homeless or at risk of becoming homeless, and to understand how to connect these students to resources and support. You will also hear directly from students about their experience as homeless colleges students and about the successes and challenges from colleagues across the system. This webinar, open to all, will be of particular relevance to California Community College staff, faculty and student services professionals.

[Click on link to register for Breaking Down Barriers](#)

UC Santa Cruz invites you to join one of four virtual tour options!

We look forward to meeting your students at [our Virtual Events](#) this fall! We're offering many options to experience the UC Santa Cruz campus community and connect with current students and staff as students begin their university journey.

Prospective students are invited to join:

- LIVE Ask Me Anything Sessions with our knowledgeable Student Life & University Guides (S.L.U.G.s)
- Information Sessions and UC Application Workshops for High School Students
- Transfer Information Sessions for Prospective Transfers
- A variety of in-person and virtual tour options for students and families (see below)



Four options for tours!

- 1- [LIVE virtual tours](#) with student tour guides leading and answering questions. Registration required.
- 2- Pre-recorded [virtual tours](#) offered in five languages.
- 3- Self-guided tours are available for in-person visits. [Register for digital maps & materials.](#)
- 4- New! [A campus tour video series](#) featuring student tour guides and campus footage.

COLLEGE DAY ACTIVITY OF THE MONTH

California Career Zone - Interest Profiler

One of the many ways to engage your students in finding out what careers they may be interested in is to have them do an interest profiler.

California Career Zone is a free online tool created by the California

Department of Education. The interest profiler is a list of 180 questions that creates a list of possible careers with videos linked to that career. It is a great way for students to start to explore their interests and see the world of possibilities!



[Click here to explore California Career Zone](#)

Exploring the University of San Francisco from the Perspective of a Student

Often times, exploring a college virtually can lack interest and engagement. However, in this short video, students can experience what it is like to be a Don quite literally from the student's perspective. What do students see, what questions do they have, and how do they see themselves as a student in a college they are curious about?



[The Campus Experience](#)

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Silicon Valley College Promise Program!

All community colleges in Silicon Valley help students pay for college through College Promise programs. Help students navigate and explore how to find financial support. Explore this easy to use digital tool to help you find the program that offers you the most financial support.

[Please Click Here to Learn More](#)



Mission College

Interested in learning more about Mission College and the services Mission offers for prospective students? This resource link provides valuable information, including videos from faculty explaining their exciting programs.

For more info, please [click here](#).



West Valley College

Curious about West Valley College and what awaits for future students? Watch the welcome videos from the Administrators and Deans across the campus to hear about the many opportunities and exciting careers West Valley has to offer.

For more info, please [click here](#).



San Jose State University

San Jose State University has an amazing Student Outreach and Recruitment team dedicated to supporting future Spartans!

For more info, please [click here](#).

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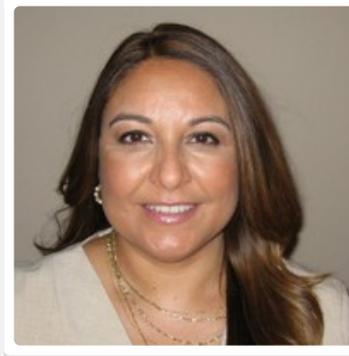
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