



SAUSD COLLEGE & CAREER READINESS JUNIOR NEWSLETTER



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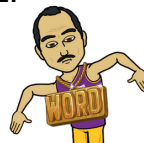


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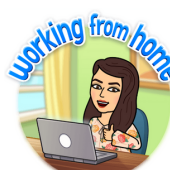
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This SPRING BREAK (April 6 - 10) is not going to be the conventional break we were all looking forward to but it can be a great time to learn new things:



- Participate in virtual college tours.
- Invent a new snack, milkshake, or pizza.
- Write a handwritten letter to a friend or family member.
- Learn a new language.
- Create a sidewalk mural with chalk using a spring theme.
- Make a playlist of your favorite get-up-and-go songs.
- Learn a new skill (knitting, sewing, calligraphy).
- Learn to cook or new recipes.
- Plant a flower or vegetable garden.
- Apply to summer programs/scholarships.

List of activities modified from VegWell Family Sept 2019

You may be homebound but you can still visit your prospective college using technology!



YouVisit connects you with over 1000 colleges & universities in virtual reality. Narrow your college choices with the best virtual experiences of schools worldwide, including community colleges.

CollegeBoard provides the 10 Best Ways to Learn About Colleges Online.



Hang in there Juniors,
we will get through this,
together!
#weareSAUSD
#bettertogether

Check YOUR school's
Counseling/Higher
Education Center's website
or Google classroom for
Summer Programs
& **\$SCHOLARSHIP\$**

Junior Newsletter

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Putting together a college/university list



Consider these factors when composing your list..

1. Location
2. Size
3. Major
4. Financial Aid
5. Clubs & Organizations
6. Type of institution
7. Demographics
8. And other factors specific to your interests.



Organize your list into these categories...



1. **Safe schools:** Schools you can easily get into based on your GPA & test scores.
2. **Match schools:** Schools you have a good chance of getting into based on GPA & test scores.
3. **Reach schools:** Schools that might be a little harder to get into but have a good holistic approach you can fall back on.

UC & CSU Temporarily Suspend Testing for the Class of 2021

- UC Press Release
- CSU Press Release (CSU memo not currently available but will appear at this site.)

Start your college search using the following steps

- Go to collegeboard.org
- Scroll down to the bottom
- Click on "College Search"

Then you will be taken to the page below where you can search by different parameters to find the perfect colleges for you.

BigFuture

Get Started • Find Colleges • Explore Careers • Pay for College • Get In

Home / Find Colleges / College Search

College Search

Find colleges by:

- Select Filters
- Test Scores & Selectivity
- Type of School
- Location
- Campus & Housing
- Majors & Learning Environment
- Sports & Activities
- Academic Credit
- Paying

You have 3,694 college options. Choose a category on the left to find the right ones for you. We'll help along the way.

Not sure where to start? Get help from our interactive guide.

CollegeBoard Opportunity Scholarship

The opportunity scholarship has 8 micro-scholarships attached to it the first of which is building a college list.

Juniors who create and save a college list on BigFuture with six or more colleges will earn a chance at a \$500 scholarship. One hundred scholarships will be awarded from January - July to juniors.

SAT

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TESTING CANCELLED FOR MAY

CollegeBoard will be sending you an email with instructions on how to register for future tests. Do not submit another registration at this time. Click [here](#) to keep informed with CollegeBoard updates.



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AP exams format has changed for the Spring 2020 assessment season. Please make sure that you are connecting with your AP instructor(s) about your device capabilities and course materials.

Your AP teachers have met with the District Officials and also within each school site to make sure they are posting information about the AP exams electronically.

Exams will be 45 minute, online free-response questions. The exam will cover 75% of the material from the course. April 3, 2020, the College Board will update their website as to the dates the exams will be offered. There will be two test dates available. It is unknown at the moment if a student can take exams on two different dates, or if they must take all their exams on the same date that they select.

Here are some resources regarding AP:

[CollegeBoard information about AP Exams](#)

[CollegeBoard YouTube channel](#) with lectures covering material in all AP courses offered. Tune in if you are struggling with reviewing the material, or just want to gain a different perspective from what you are receiving through your AP instructor.

Review materials in your AP Student account:
<https://apstudents.collegeboard.org/>

Khan Academy: AP Course review lessons:
<https://www.khanacademy.org/>

2020 AP® Exams



**45-minute
free response
exams**



**College credit
opportunities**



**Two testing
dates: one in
May, one later**



**Tests what
students have
learned**

**Below are the primary AP Exam dates.
AP Exams will start at the following times:**

9:00am

11:00am

1:00pm

	9:00am	11:00am	1:00pm
11-May	Physics C: Mechanics	Physics C: Electricity and Magnetism	United States Government and Politics
12-May	Latin	Calculus AB Calculus BC	Human Geography
13-May	Physics 2: Algebra-Based	English Literature and Composition	European History
14-May	Spanish Literature and Culture	Chemistry	Physics 1: Algebra-Based
15-May	Art History	United States History	Computer Science A
18-May	Chinese Language and Culture	Biology	Environmental Science
19-May	Music Theory	Psychology	Japanese Language and Culture Italian Language and Culture
20-May	German Language and Culture	English Language and Composition	Microeconomics
21-May	French Language and Culture	World History: Modern	Macroeconomics
22-May	Comparative Government and Politics	Statistics	Spanish Language and Culture