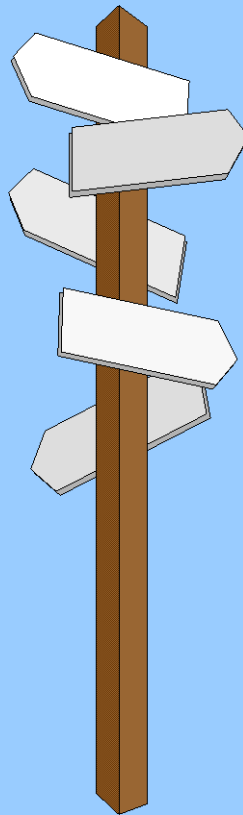


Welcome to 10th Grade Class of 2014



Agenda

- Graduation Requirements
- Grades / Academic Performance
- Post High School Options
- College Entrance Tests
- Career Exploration Project
- Additional Opportunities & Events

Graduation Requirements

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240 Credits are Required to Graduate

Course Requirements

Years

English	4
Social Studies	3
Math	3
Science	2
Health	.5
Computer Technology	.5
Fine Arts/Foreign Language	1
Physical Education	2
Electives (80 credits)	

HIGH SCHOOL EXIT EXAM

English-Language Arts March 13, 2012

Mathematics March 14, 2012

MAKE-UPS IN MAY

TECHNOLOGY PROFICIENCY

1) ICT - Information & Communication
Technology Course

or

2) Challenge Test (Summer 2012)

Grades & Academic Performance

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ABI

Parent Access (Need E-Mail Address & Password)

- **Student Info**
 - **Demographics**
 - **Emergency**
 - **Class Schedule**
 - **Test scores**
- **Attendance**
- **Grades**
 - **Class Assignments**
 - **Homework**
 - **Grades**
 - **Graduation Status**
 - **Transcripts**

GRADE REPORTS

Grading Period Ends

- October 7th (quarter)
- November 4th (progress)
- December 16th (semester)
- February 10th (progress)
- March 16th (quarter)
- April 20th (progress)
- May 25th (semester)

Progress report cards are given to students in their 3rd period class to take home.

Communication Options

- 1) Encourage son/daughter to talk to teacher 1st
 - Importance of Self-advocacy
(At nutrition break, before and after school)
- 2) Email (Teacher email list is available on the ORHS website)

TUTORING OPTIONS

- **Math tutor list is available in the Counseling Office**
- **Student Spanish and French tutor lists are available in the Counseling Office**
- **A list of private tutors is available in the Counseling Office**

Meet with the Counselor

Students can make appointments to speak with their counselor

- 4 year planning
- Academic and/or personal concerns

It is recommended to meet once a year if taking "a-g" coursework

Counselor Assignments

Last Names

Counselor Assignment

A - C

Glen Swedelson

Ext. 3051

D - I

Jill Howard

Ext. 3053

J - Mey

Kim Melbinger

Ext. 3310

Mi - Sc

Darsy Arburn

Ext. 3052

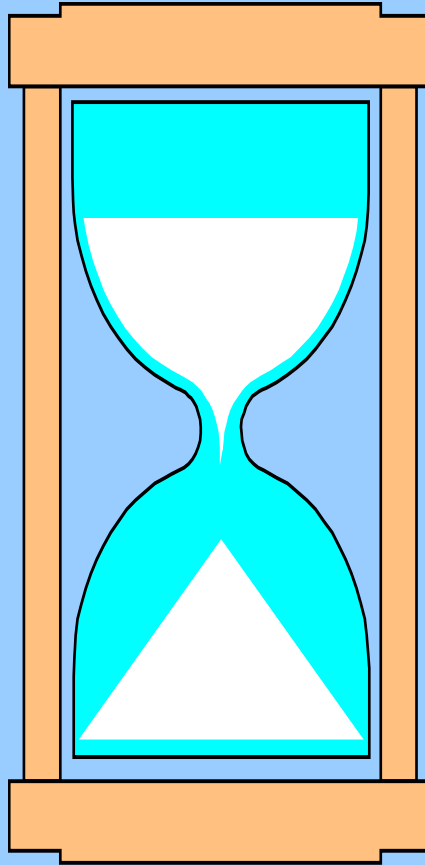
Sd - Z

Mandy Fielder

Ext. 3055

Email or Call (916) 933-6980 X 3050

Post High School Options



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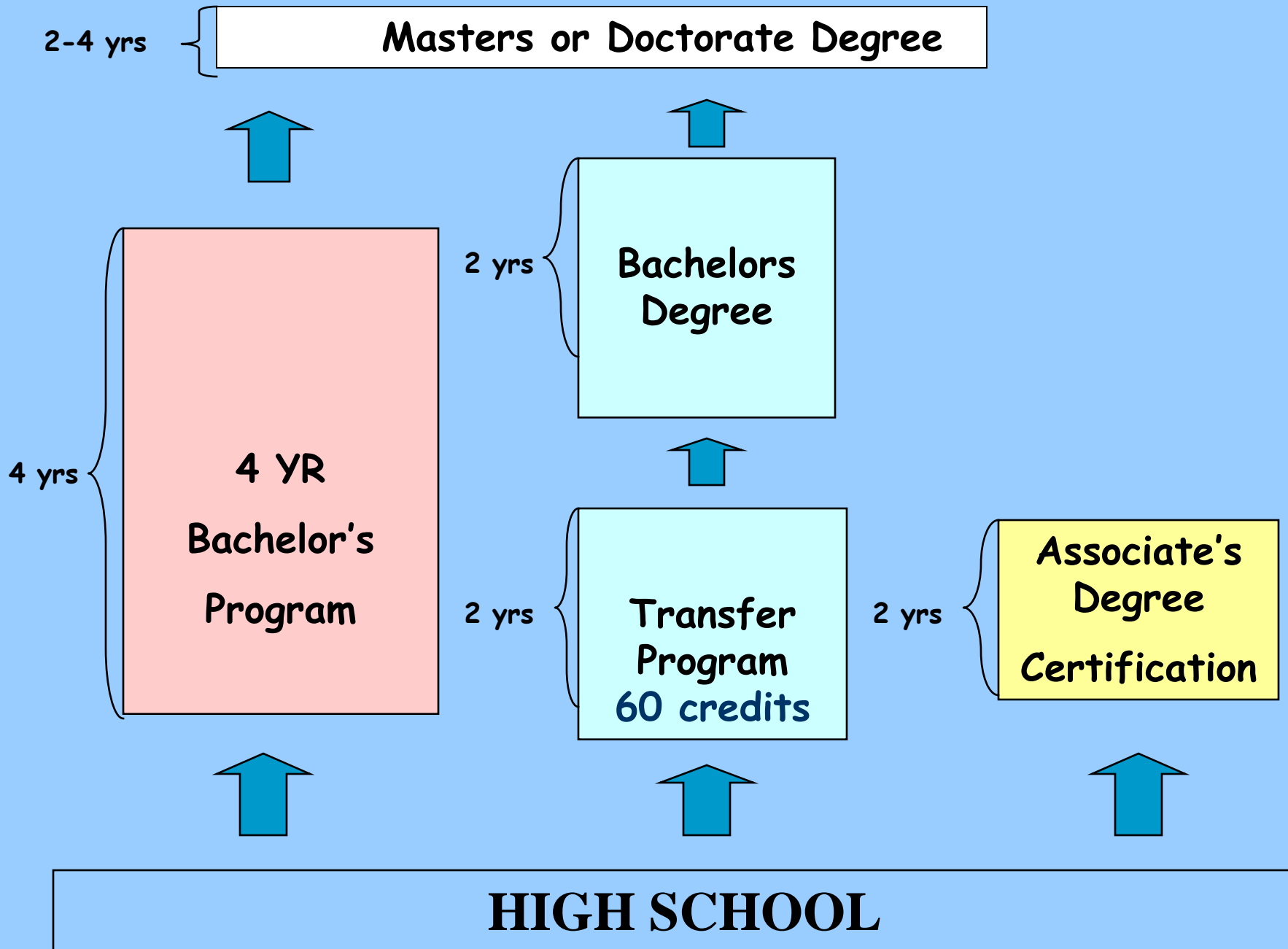
Identify Your Options

- 4-Year College
- Community College
- Career Colleges
- Apprenticeships
- Military

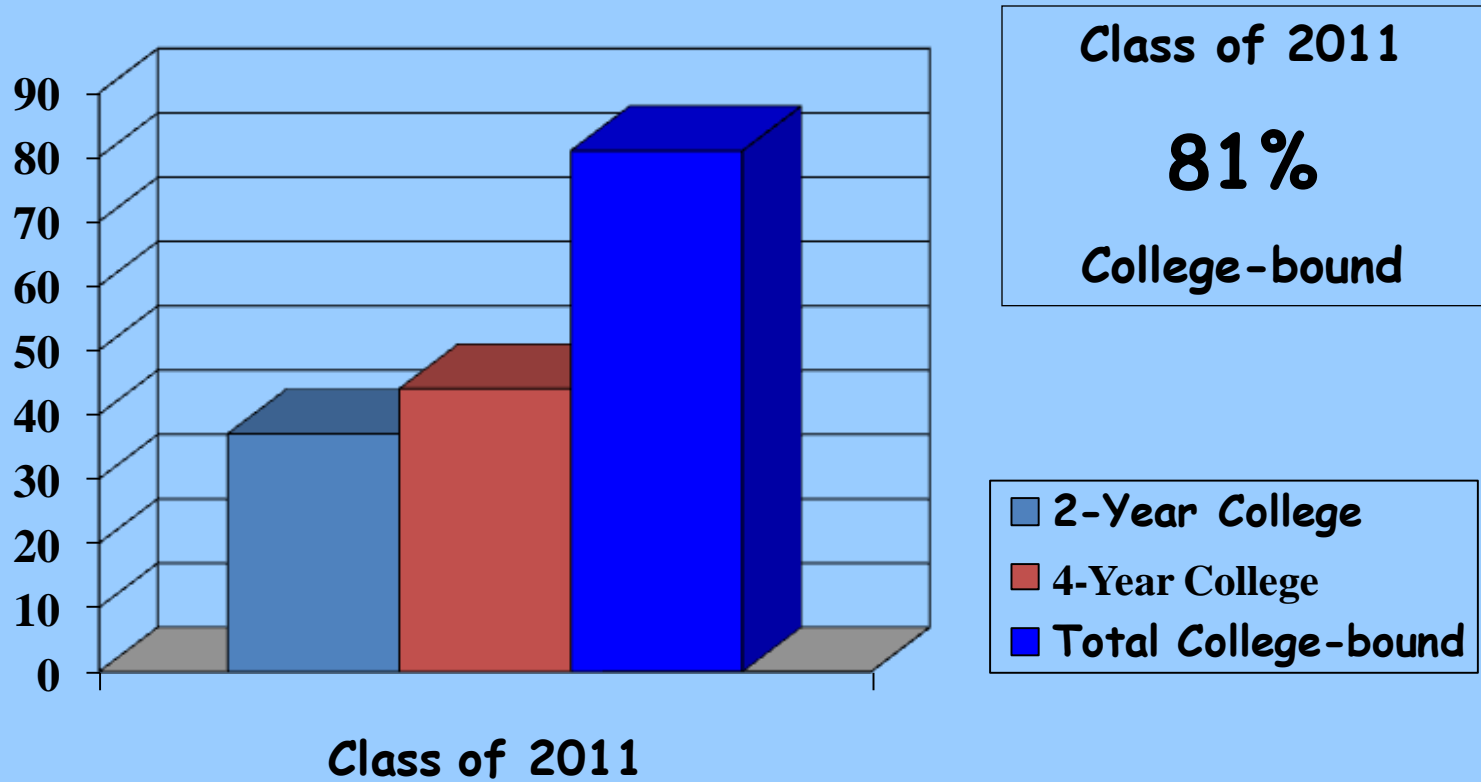
Education Pays!

HIGH SCHOOL	\$626 / WEEK
SOME COLLEGE	\$712 / WEEK
ASSOCIATE DEGREE	\$767 / WEEK
BACHELOR'S DEGREE	\$1038 / WEEK
MASTER'S DEGREE	\$1,272 / WEEK
PROFESSIONAL DEGREE	\$1,610 / WEEK
DOCTORAL DEGREE	\$1,550 / WEEK

*Source: Bureau of Labor Statistics 2010

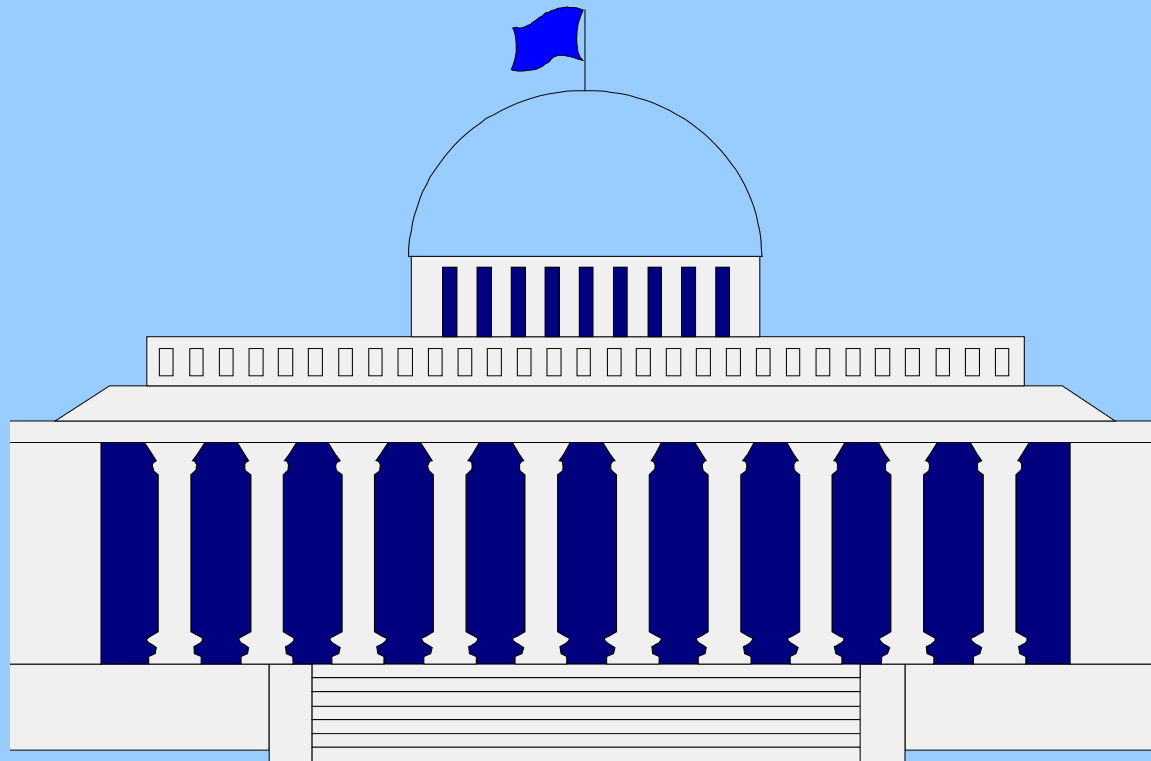


Oak Ridge Data for Class of 2011



44% to 4-Year Colleges & 37 % to 2-Year Colleges

4-Year Colleges



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4-Year Public College Requirements

UC & California State University Admission Requirements (Minimum) ("a-g" coursework)

- History/Social Science 2 Year
- English 4 Years
- Mathematics 3 Years (UC recommends 4 yrs)
- Lab Science 2 Years (UC recommends 3 yrs)
- Foreign Language 2 Years (UC recommends 3-4 yrs)
- Visual & Performing Arts 1 Year
- College Prep Electives 1 Year

Completed with "C" or better

UC / CSU Grade Point Average

- CSUs & UCs use 10th and 11th grade year grades in academic coursework, receiving C's or better
- GPA for selection may be different

California State University

(Except Cal Poly, San Luis Obispo)

Grades & Test Scores

CSU Eligibility Index

**GPA SAT Reasoning Test Score
(Critical Reading & Math Only)**

3.0 No Minimum Score

2.8 660

2.6 820

2.4 980

2.2 1140

2.0 1300

University of California

Davis

Berkeley

Santa Cruz

Santa Barbara

Irvine

Riverside

San Diego

Los Angeles

Merced



UCs and Other Competitive Colleges base their Admission Decisions on...

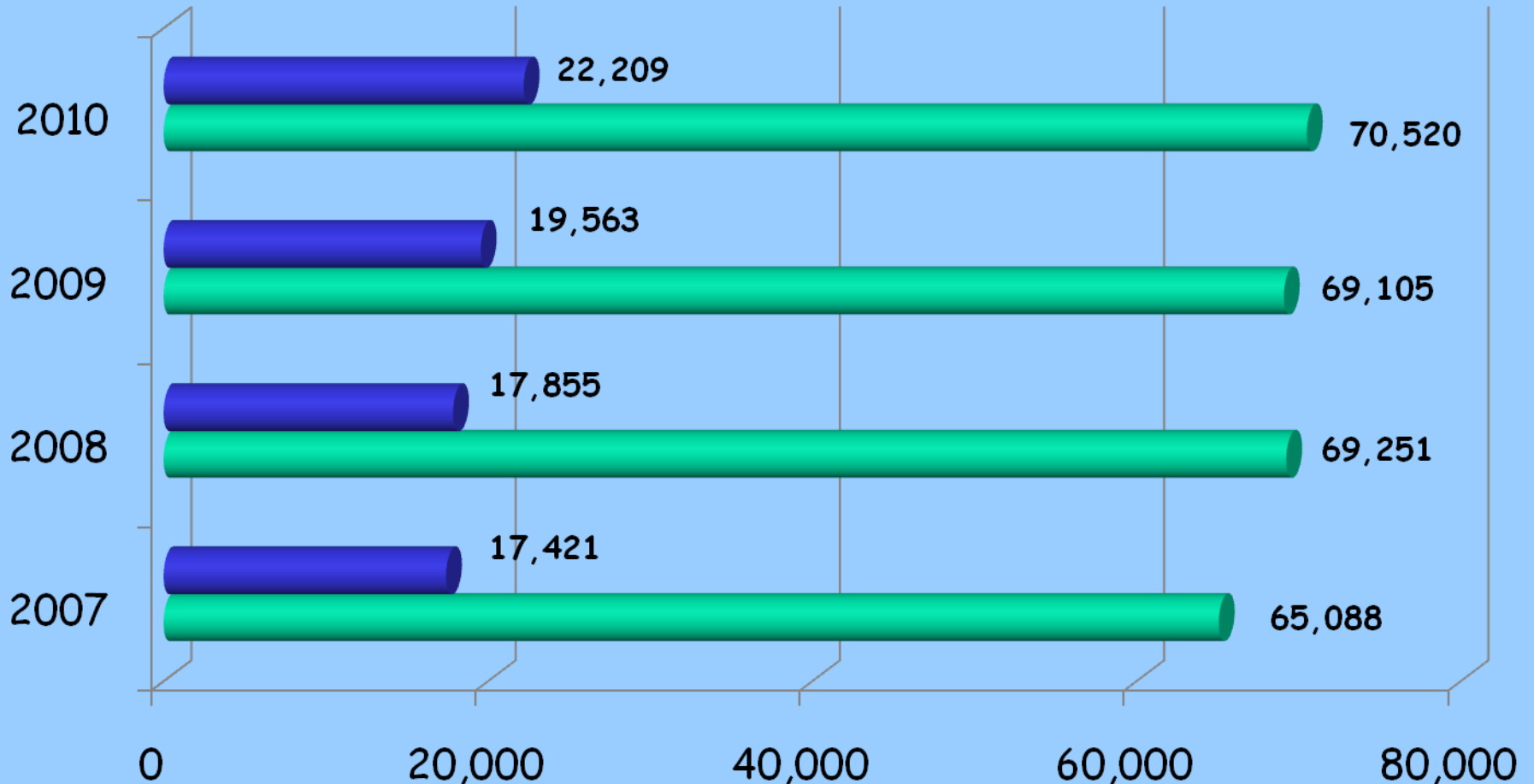
- Academic Rigor
- Grades (10th, 11th, & 12th)
- Test Scores: SAT & ACT W/Writing
- Personal Statement/Essay
- Special Skills/Talents
- Extracurricular Activities
- Volunteer Work/Community Service
- Honors and Awards
- Employment

UC PERSONAL STATEMENT PROMPTS

1. Describe the world you come from - for example, your family, community or school - and tell us how your world has shaped your dreams and aspirations.
2. Tell us about a personal quality, talent, accomplishment, contribution or experience that is important to you. What about this quality or accomplishment makes you proud and how does it relate to the person you are?

UC Admissions

■ Transfer Acceptance ■ Freshman Acceptance



Private Colleges

Consider Private Colleges

They may not be as costly as you think...

Many Private Colleges have

large endowments

to help students finance their education

Requirements for Private Colleges Vary

Check with Individual Colleges

@ www.collegeboard.com

Partial List of Private Colleges Oak Ridge Students Have Attended

- Stanford University
- University of Southern CA
- University of the Pacific
- University of San Francisco
- St. Marys College
- Menlo College
- Pt. Loma Nazarene
- Pepperdine University
- Azusa Pacific University
- Westmont College
- University of Santa Clara
- University of San Diego
- Duke
- MIT
- Harvard
- Penn
- Columbia
- Amherst
- Sarah Lawrence
- Babson
- Northwestern
- University of Chicago
- Harvey Mudd
- Vassar
- NYU
- Brigham Young University

Community College

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112 California Community Colleges

Community College Options

- Transfer
 - Guaranteed Transfer Program
- AA or AS Degree (2 Years)
- Certificate Degree Program

Career Colleges & The Military

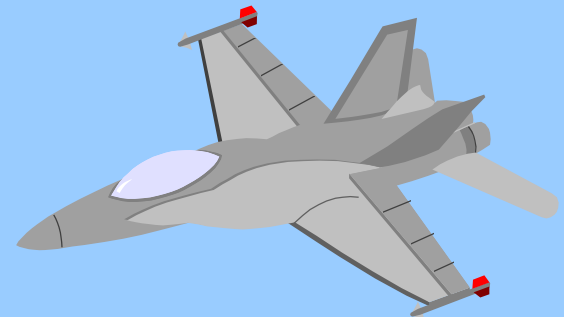
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Career Colleges

- California Culinary Academy
- Le Cordon Bleu
- FIDM
- Wyotech
- Carrington College
- Academy of Art
- Heald College
- ITT Tech

Military Options

- **Enlist**
- **ROTC**
- **Military Academies**



College Entrance Tests



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PSAT

- **Wed., October 12th @ ORHS**
- **8:30 ~ 12:00 PM**
- **\$19.00 online by October 7th**
- **Study Booklets available in the Career Center**
- **Test room assignments will be posted on the Career Center window on Mon., Oct. 10th**
- **Bring ID, pencils, calculator, and (optional) water/snack**

PSAT = Practice SAT

- Measures critical reading, math and writing skills
- First step to enter the National Merit Scholarship Program (Juniors Only)
- Provide valuable feedback - Detailed Report Provided
- Predicts success in the SAT Reasoning Test
- MyRoad Access
(personalized study plan, find colleges, majors and careers)

Given at ORHS each year in October

Take in 10th & 11th grade

Did you Know?

- Students who took the PSAT in both their Sophomore and Junior years scored a combined 233 points higher than students who did not take the PSAT.
- Students who only took the PSAT their Junior year scored on average of 127 points higher than non-PSAT test takers.

SAT & ACT Testing

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College Entrance Tests

Required by 4 Year Colleges

SAT Reasoning Test

- Math
- Critical Reading
- Writing

Mail or Online Registration

OR

ACT

- Math
- English
- Science
- Reading
- Writing (opt)

Mail or Online Registration

SAT Reasoning Test

- **Critical Reading**
- **Writing (Essay)**
- **Math (Including Algebra 2)**

Who Needs to Take SAT Subject Tests?

Check with individual colleges/majors to determine if a SAT Subject Test is Recommended

<http://www.universityofcalifornia.edu/admissions/freshman/requirements/examination-requirement/SAT-subject-tests/index.html>

Which Colleges Need ACT with Writing?

<https://actapps.act.org/writPrefRM/>

SAT Question of the Day (Email to student)

<http://apps.collegeboard.com/qotd/question.do>

College Board EMail Reminders

www.collegeboard.com/html/newsletters/newsletters.html

Do you have Financial Need?

SAT and/or ACT "Fee Waiver" for Students with Financial Need

Make an appointment with your counselor



Career Exploration Project

in

Sophomore English Class

10th Grade Career Exploration



- 1) Bridges Online Career Assessment
- 2) Lookup career "matches"

Identify type of education needed

Explore colleges

www.bridges.com

User Name: 0008573

Password: ridge

Additional Opportunities & Events

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Regional College Fair

COLLEGE AND VOCATIONAL PROGRAMS

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 11th

6:30 - 8:30 PM

@ Union Mine High School

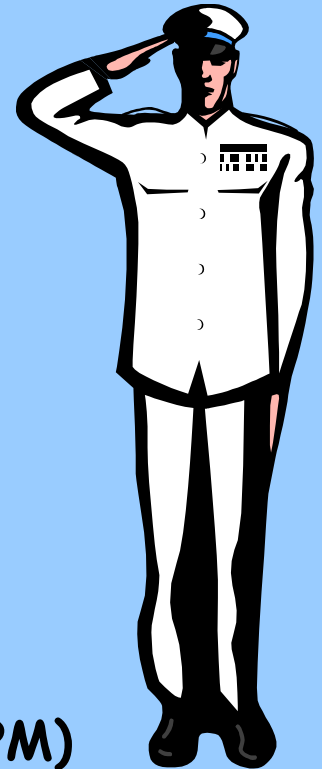
DISTRICT-WIDE EVENT

List of Participants (subject to change)

- **UC**: Berkeley, Los Angeles, Davis, Merced, Riverside, Santa Cruz`
- **CSU**: Sacramento, CSUS Pre-hospital program, Humboldt, Chico, Sonoma, Cal Maritime, Stanislaus
- **CA Privates Colleges**: Stanford, St. Mary's, University of the Pacific, Azusa Pacific, Westmont College, Dominican University, William Jessup University, Point Loma Nazarene University, Menlo College, Cogswell Polytechnical College, University of San Francisco (tentative), New School of Architecture and Design
- **Out-of-State**: Brown University, Arizona State University, Oregon State University, University of Nevada, Reno, University of Utah, Boise State, Hawaii Pacific University, Johnson & Wales University, University of Montana, Colorado Mesa State College, Montana Tech, University of Idaho, University of Hawaii, University of Alabama, Stonehill College of Boston, Oregon Institute of Technology, Grand Canyon University, Massachussetts College of Pharmacy & Health Sciences
- **Military Academies, ROTC, and other US Military representatives**
- **Academy of Art, Art Institute, FIDM, Heald College, Institute of Technology , Community Colleges, Career & Technical Colleges, ACT Testing, Kaplan Test Prep & Admissions**

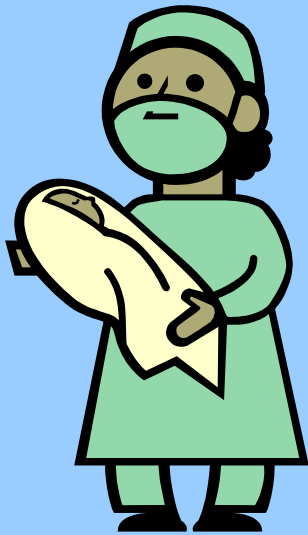
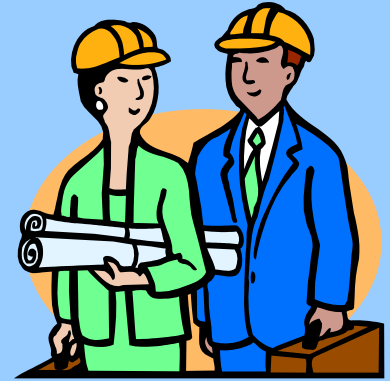
Breakout Sessions in the theatre:

- **US Military Academies (5:30 ~ 6:30 PM)**
- **Finding Local Scholarships (7:00 - 7:30 PM)**
- **UC & CSU Admissions Panel (7:45 - 8:30 PM)**



You're Invited...

Annual Oak Ridge Career Fair

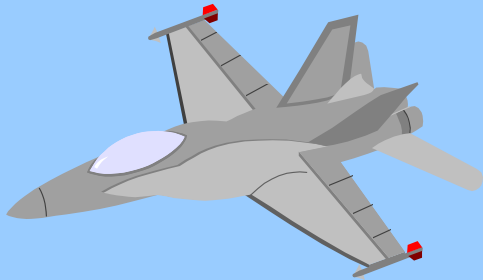


Thurs., March 22nd
6:30 ~ 8:30 PM
ORHS Cafeteria



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Military Events @ ORHS



Naval ROTC Information Session

Thurs., October 20th

During lunch

In the Career Center

**Military Information Day in the Quad
Tuesday, March 20th during lunch**

Next ASVAB given at ORHS:

April 16, 2012

Sophomore Opportunities

HOBYS - Leadership Conference

- One Sophomore to represent ORHS
- Application process in fall 2011
- 3 day Conference in June 2012

National Honor Society (for 10th & 11th)

- Induction Spring 2012
- Advisor, Mr. Larsen

Regional Occupation Program

- Animal Health
- Architectural CAD (ORHS)
- Automotive Body
- Careers with Children
- Computer Applications
- Cosmetology
- Culinary
- Dental Assisting
- Dental Radiography
- Electronics
- Fire Control Technician
- Fire Control Technician
- Graphic Arts
- Hospital Occupations
- Law Enforcement
- Manicuring
- Marketing (ORHS)
- Medical Assistant
- Metal Fabrication/Welding
- Photography
- Video Production

Junior & Senior Year

Career Center Resources

- College Admission Representatives/Students
- Spring Career Fair
- Career Information
- Work Permits
- Community Service "Volunteer" Options
- Academic Enrichment Opportunities
- College Catalogs/DVDs
- College Applications, SAT Study Books
- Scholarships & Financial Aid

www.orhscareercenter.com

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