

NEWSLETTER

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UPCOMING EVENTS

Around the Bay Area

11/14 6:30pm Parent and Student Night College Panel @ Prospect High School

Hear from a panel of admission representatives from: community college, CSU, UC, private school, out of state school. Q&A Session.

11/15 4:30pm -6:00pm Essay Writing Workshop

at Campbell Community Center

Bring your Personal Insight Responses and Essays and get help editing them.

At Westmont

During Study Hall in Library

11/6	Fashion Institute of Design and Merchandising (FIDM)
11/7	UC Application Workshop
11/13	UC Santa Cruz
11/15	San Jose State University
11/28	Savannah College of Art and Design (SCAD)
12/10	San Jose City College

**NOTE: Any seniors needing help completing college applications can come to the library after school a work on them. Mrs. Klaus is available to help.

IMPORTANT DEADLINES

11/20 LAST DAY for Late Registration for December 1st SAT (with late fee)

11/19 LAST DAY for Late Registration for December 8th ACT (with late fee)

If you are updating your College List in Naviance with a college that needs your transcript, you must now contact your Counselor to add colleges. UCs and CSUs do NOT require transcripts for application.

11/30 LAST DAY to submit UC and CSU Applications Do NOT wait until this day to submit your applications. The websites are known to crash on

this date. We recommend you submit prior to Thanksgiving Break or November 17th.

Apply to CSUs: http://calstate.edu/apply

Apply to UCs: https://admissions.universityofcalifornia.edu

12/7 LAST DAY to submit community service hours for CSF first semester. See volunteer opportunities below.

VOLUNTEER & JOB OPPORTUNITIES

Campbell Library is looking for a part-time worker to sort and shelve library materials. Must be at least 16 years old. 9-15 hours per week. Must apply in person at 77 Harrison Ave., Campbell. Application available at Accounts desk and must pass a written exam given on Nov. 6th @ 3pm.

Walmart Neighborhood Market at Westgate is hiring - apply online.

Bambino Sitters is a free babysitting app which connects families with local sitters. It's a great opportunity for students to earn extra money in their free time sitting for local families in the area (they set their own rates, work when they want, qualify for bonuses, etc). Bambinositters.com Download the free app from the App Store or Google Play.

Volunteer Opportunities

San Jose **Christmas in the Park** is looking for **Volunteers** to help with preparation now. Participate in Warehouse Workdays, Tree Decorating, etc. Get some community service hours and have fun too! Check out all the <u>opportunities</u>.

City of Campbell Volunteer Program. Fill out an <u>application</u> and check out the opportunities.

SCHOLARSHIPS

Seniors should all complete the General Scholarship Application to be considered for local scholarships given at Westmont from Community donors. Link to <u>General Scholarship Application</u>

11/7 - Good Tidings Foundation Community Service Scholarship: \$10,000 For Seniors who recognize the benefits of serving the community. Requires essay describing unique community service activities and a letter of recommendation. Link to online application.

11/15 - *ELKS Most Valuable Student Scholarship:* \$1000-\$12,000. Applicants evaluated on Leadership, Academic Achievement, Community Involvement and Financial Need. Must be US Citizen. Fill out application online at: https://www.elks.org/scholars/scholarships/MVS.cfm

11/30 - \$5000 Education Matters Scholarship: Applicants must be 13 years of age or older, a legal U.S. Resident, submit online application with essay.

COLLEGE SPOTLIGHT



Rutgers University

Fun fact about Rutgers - The first college football game was played on a field at Rutgers in 1869 and it was the College of New Jersey (present day Princeton) vs. Rutgers University. In what might be considered a beginning to college football <u>rivalries</u>, immediately after Rutgers won this game, Princeton's players were literally run out of town by the winning Rutgers students.

Rutgers University is a large, public university located in New Brunswick, New Jersey. There is always someplace new to explore on one of Rutgers-New Brunswick's five campuses: Busch, Livingston, College Avenue, Douglass, George H. Cook. The university provides over 40,000 students annually with powerhouse academic programs. Rutgers has 20 different schools and colleges, over 100 undergraduate majors, and over 200 graduate degree programs. The

university has a great athletics program with approximately 650 student varsity athletes who compete in the Big Ten conference.

They have undergraduate schools of Arts & Sciences, Business, Engineering, Environmental & Biological Sciences, Performing & Visual Arts, Nursing, and Pharmacy (6 year PharmD).

• Undergraduate Enrollment: 35,484

• Student to Faculty Ratio: 13:1

• Majors: 100+

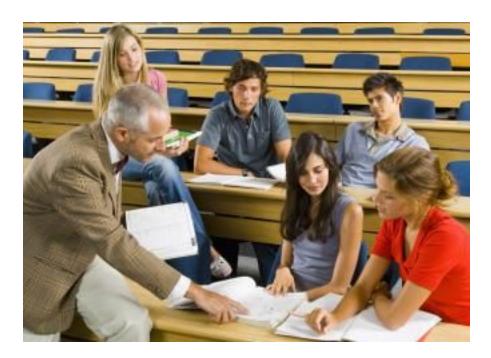
• GPA average for incoming Freshmen: 3.5

• SAT average for incoming Freshmen: 1390

• ACT average for incoming Freshmen: 30

• Out of State Tuition: \$28,194 Avg. Financial Aid Pkg: \$15,454

CAREER SPOTLIGHT



Postsecondary Teachers (Professors, Instructors)

Postsecondary teachers instruct students in a wide variety of academic and technical subjects beyond the high school level. They may also conduct research and publish scholarly papers and books.

Work Environment

Most postsecondary teachers work in public and private colleges and universities, professional schools, and junior or community colleges. Outside of class time, their schedules are generally flexible, and they may spend that time in administrative duties, advising students, and conducting research.

How to Become a Postsecondary Teacher

Educational requirements vary by subject and the type of educational institution. Typically, postsecondary teachers must have a Ph.D. However, a master's degree may be enough for some postsecondary teachers at community colleges, and others may need work experience in their field of expertise. Postsecondary teachers who work for 4-year colleges and universities typically need a doctoral degree in their field. Some schools may hire those with a master's degree or those who are doctoral degree candidates for some specialties, such as fine arts, or for some part-time positions.

Doctoral programs generally take multiple years to complete, and students must already possess a bachelor's or master's degree before enrolling in a doctoral program. Doctoral students spend time writing a doctoral dissertation, which is a paper presenting original research in the student's field of study. Candidates usually specialize in a subfield, such as organic chemistry or European history.

Community colleges or career and technical schools also may hire those with a master's degree. However, some fields have more applicants than available positions. In these situations, institutions can be more selective, and they frequently choose applicants who have a Ph.D. over those with a master's degree.

Job Outlook

Overall employment of postsecondary teachers is projected to grow 15 percent from 2016 to 2026, much faster than the average for all occupations. Enrollment at postsecondary institutions is expected to continue to rise. The majority of employment growth is likely to be in part-time positions.

2017 Median Pay	\$76,000 per year
Typical Entry-Level Education	PhD. in field of interest
Number of Jobs, 2016	1,314,400
Job Outlook, 2016-26	15% (Much faster than average)
Employment Change, 2016-26	197,800

Keep at it and you will eventually get it done....

