

# Course Requests and 4 Year Plan



**SUCCCE22**

# The Game Plan

- Review what you need to know to pick your classes for 10th Grade and plan for the next three years of high school
  - A-G Requirements
  - Other Graduation Requirements

## Quarter to Semester

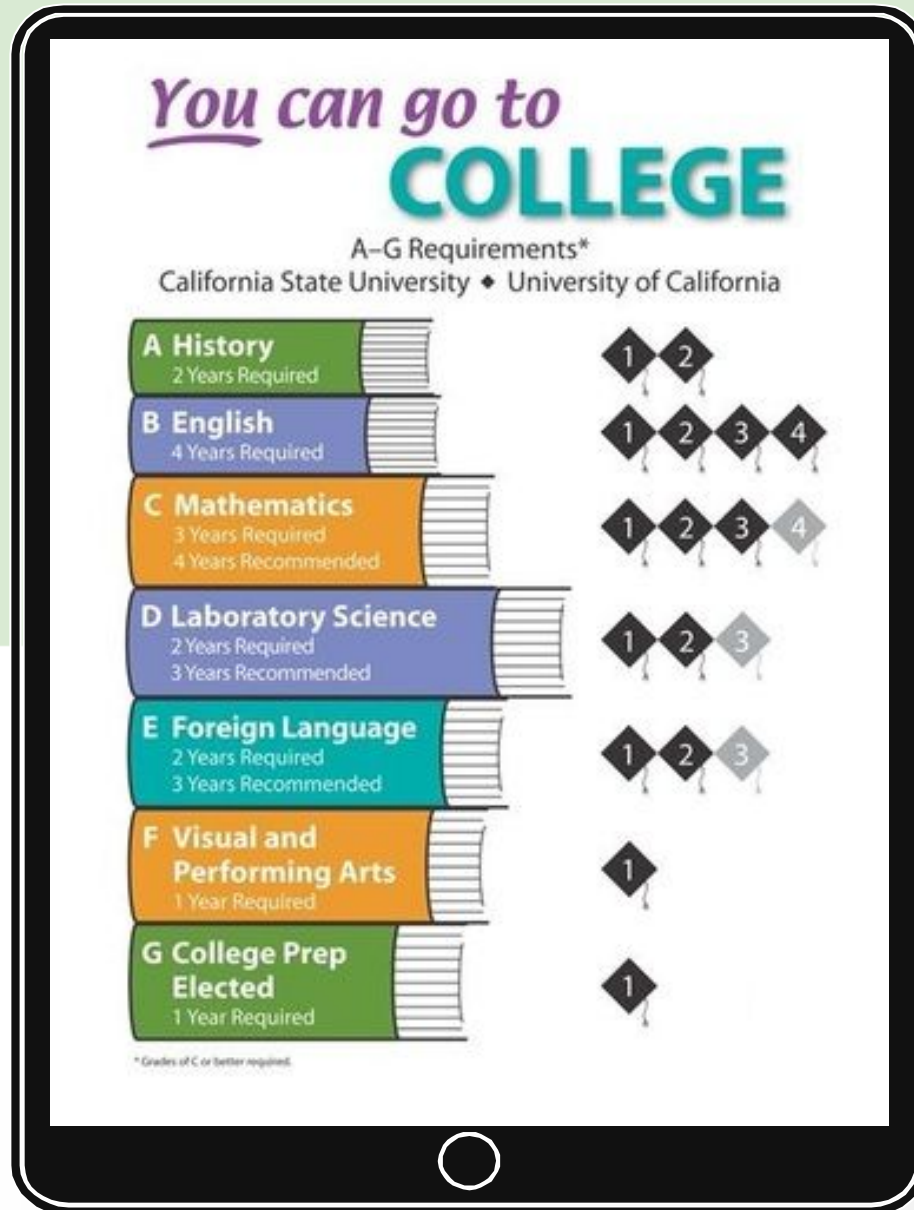
Quarter 1 = Fall Semester 1

Quarter 2= Fall Semester 2

Quarter 3= Spring Semester 1

Quarter 4= Spring Semester 2

# A-G Course Requirements



\*Graduation Requirements



# “A” Requirement

History

**2 years** required

# 10th Grade

<u>Level</u>	<u>Course Title</u>	<u>Length Type</u>	<u>Prerequisite</u>
College Prep	World History 1/2C OR World History with Business Emphasis	2 Semesters	None
Advanced Placement	AP European History	A/B Yearlong	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Required Summer Assignment</li><li>• Must earn 3+ to receive college credit</li></ul>
College-Level	<i>HIST 155: Modern History of Women in World Civilization</i> Or <i>HIST 137: History of East Asia</i>	College Course	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Minimum Lexile of 1200</li><li>• Must pass course to earn HS credit</li></ul>

# 11th Grade

<u>Level</u>	<u>Course Title</u>	<u>Length Type</u>	<u>Prerequisite/Notes</u>
College Prep	US History 1/2C	2 Semesters	None
Advanced Placement	AP United States History	A/B Yearlong	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Required Summer Assignment</li><li>• A or B in AP Euro</li><li>• “A” in World History with minimum lexile of 1300 or instructor permission</li></ul>
College-Level	<b><i>HIST 181: Black Perspective US History II</i></b>  <b><i>OR</i></b>  <b><i>HIST 119: Chicano/a Perspective US History II</i></b>	College Course	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Minimum Lexile of 1200</li><li>• Must pass course to earn HS credit</li></ul>



# “B” Requirement

English

**4 years** required



# 10th Grade

<u>Level</u>	<u>Course Title</u>	<u>Length Type</u>	<u>Prerequisite</u>
College Prep	English 3/4C	2 Semesters	None
Honors	English 3/4H	2 Semesters	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Required Summer Assignment</li><li>• Minimum Lexile of 1080</li></ul>

**\*Failing English 1C and/or 2C means you  
must retake and pass  
before you can take English 3/4C**

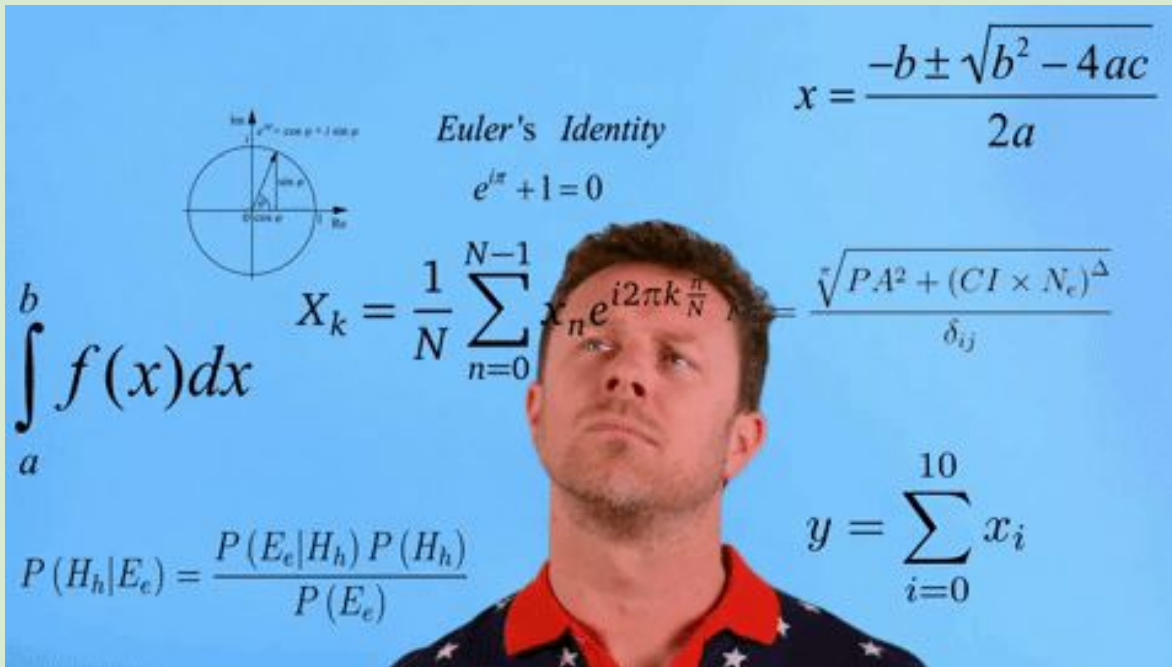
# 11th Grade

<u>Level</u>	<u>Course Title</u>	<u>Length Type</u>	<u>Prerequisite</u>
College Prep	English 5/6C	2 Semesters	None
Advanced Placement	AP English Language & Composition	A/B Yearlong	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Required Summer Assignment</li><li>• Minimum Lexile of 1200</li></ul>

**\*Failing English 3C and/or 4C means you  
must retake and pass  
before you can take English 5/6C**

# 12th Grade

<u>Level</u>	<u>Course Title</u>	<u>Length Type</u>	<u>Prerequisite/Notes</u>
<b>College Prep</b>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Film as Literature</li> <li>2. Creative Writing</li> <li>3. Hip Hop Literature</li> <li>4. English for Business</li> <li>5. Expository Reading &amp; Writing (ERWC)</li> </ol>	2 Semesters	None
<b>Advanced Placement</b>	<b>AP English Literature &amp; Composition</b>	A/B Yearlong	Required Summer Assignment
<b>College-Level</b>	<b><i>ENG 120: College Composition &amp; Reading</i></b>	College Course	Must clear prerequisite
<b>College-Level</b>	<b><i>ENG 124: Advanced Composition: Critical Reasoning and Writing</i></b>	College Course	Must clear prerequisite



# “C” Requirement

Math

**3 years** required

# College Prep Math Route

1. **Algebra I - 9th Grade**
2. **Geometry - 10th Grade**
3. **Algebra II - 11th Grade**

- All 11th graders in college prep math will take Algebra II (Unless not having passed Algebra 1C)
- Students can switch into the Honors Math track if they are recommended by Spring Semester 2 teacher

**\*Failing Algebra 1 means you must retake and pass before you can take Geometry or Algebra II**

# Honors Math Route

**1.Algebra IH**

**2.Hon. Geometry**

**3.Algebra IIH**

**4.Hon. Precalculus**

**5.AP Calculus**

**6.AP Statistics**

→ Honors students must earn a “B” or higher to continue in Honors courses

→ You can double up on math for Honors courses



# “D” Requirement

Science

**2 years** required

**\*All students must take Biology and a Physical Science with a lab (Chemistry or Physics)**

# 10th Grade

<u>Level</u>	<u>Course Title</u>	<u>Length Type</u>	<u>Prerequisite/Notes</u>
<b>College Prep</b>	<b>Biology 1/2C Or Biology 1/2 C with Engineering Perspective</b>	2 Semesters	None
<b>Honors</b>	<b>Biology 1/2H</b>	2 Semesters	Must pass assessment
<b>AP</b>	<b>AP Biology</b>	A/B Yearlong	B or higher in Biology & Algebra
<b>Honors (completed CP/Honors Biology)</b>	<b>Chem 1/2H</b>	2 Semesters	Pass Hon Algebra with A/B or Algebra IC with A - very strong math skills
	----- <b>Physics 1/2C OR Chemistry 1/2C</b>	----- 2 Semesters	----- Completed or concurrent enrollment in Geometry

*Additional science elective classes are available, but cannot be taken in place of Biology and Physical Science requirements.*



# 11th/12th Grade

<u>Level</u>	<u>Course Title</u>	<u>Length Type</u>	<u>Prerequisite/Notes</u>
College Prep	Chemistry 1/2C Physics 1/2C Oceanography 1/2C Anatomy/Physiology 1/2C	2 Semesters	None
Honors/ Advanced Placement	Chem 1/2H	2 Semesters	Pass Hon Algebra with A/B or Algebra IC with A - very strong math skills
	----- AP Physics	----- A/B Yearlong	----- Completed or concurrent enrollment in Algebra II
	----- AP Biology AP Environmental Science	----- A/B Yearlong	----- B or higher in Biology & Algebra
	AP Chemistry	2 Semesters	Completion of Algebra 2 or Honors Geometry with A or B; completion of Chemistry with "A" or Honors Chemistry with "B."

***Additional science elective classes are available but cannot be taken in place  
of Biology and Physical Science requirements.***



# “E” Requirement

Language other than English (LOTE)

**2 years of same language** required

# Languages Available

<u>Level</u>	<u>Course Title</u>	<u>Length Type</u>	<u>Prerequisite/Notes</u>
<b>College Prep</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• American Sign Language (ASL)</li> <li>• French</li> <li>• Spanish</li> <li>• Spanish for Spanish Speakers</li> </ul>	2 Semesters	None
<b>College Level</b>	<p><b><i>ASL 120: ASL I</i></b>  <b><i>FRN 120: French</i></b>  <b><i>SPAN 120: Spanish I</i></b>  <b><i>ARBC 120: Arabic 1</i></b>  <b><i>GERM 120: no course equivalent</i></b></p> <p>-----</p> <p><b><i>ASL 121/122: ASL II</i></b>  <b><i>FRN 121: French II</i></b>  <b><i>FRN 220: French III</i></b>  <b><i>SPAN 121: Spanish II</i></b>  <b><i>SPAN 220: Spanish III</i></b></p>	College Course	<p>A/B in Helix 1/2C class or passing placement score</p> <p>-----</p> <p>C or better in 120 course or A/B in Helix 3/4C class</p> <p>Spanish Placement test available on Tuesdays in your Helix First tutorial</p> <p>ASL &amp; French Placement test can be scheduled in Rm 140A with Mrs. Dolphin</p>



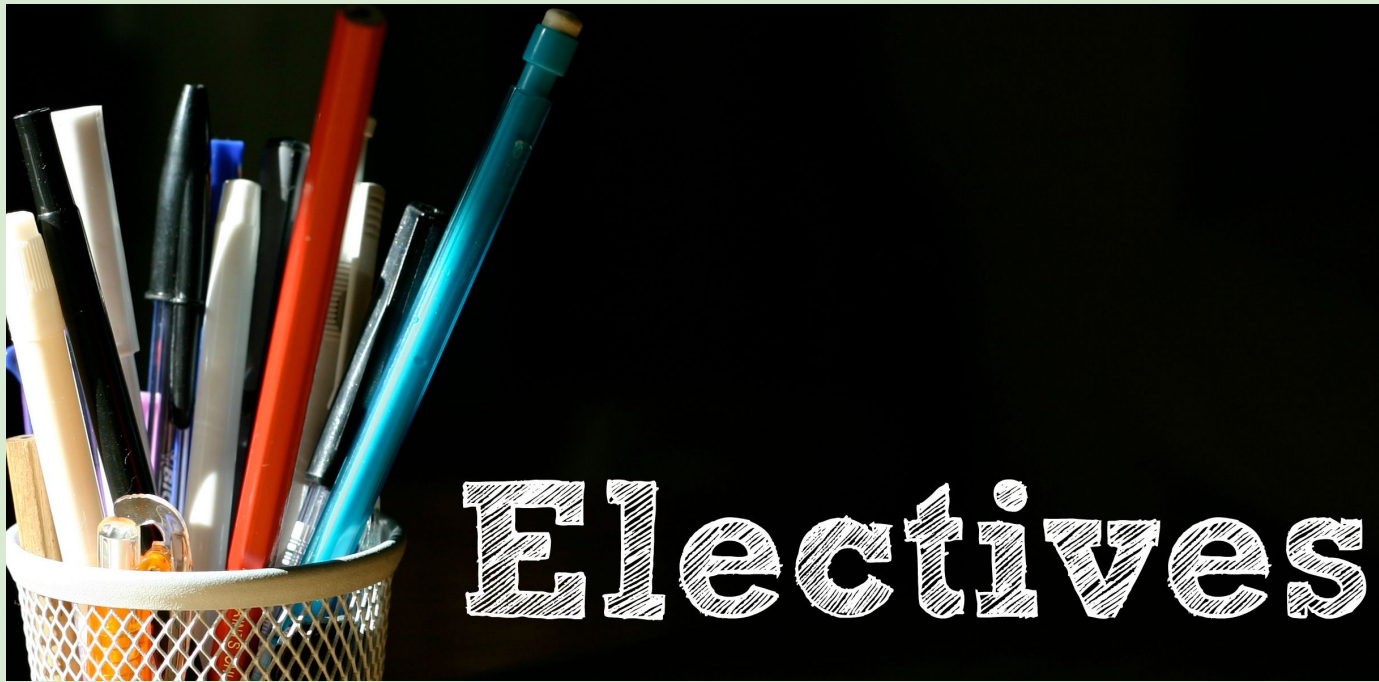
# “F” Requirement

Visual or Performing Art

**1 year** required

# Visual and Performing Art Courses

- Art 1/2
- Digital Art 1/2
- Bagpipes, Band or Orchestra
- Choir
- Dance
- Film Production
- Guitar
- Piano
- Theatre
- Fashion and Interior Design



# "G" Requirement

Approved Electives

**1 year** required

## 12th Grade Required Courses

- Economics or Economics 120/121
- Political Science or Political Science 121/124





# EDGE/Career Pathways

Career Technical Education : Courses tied to high need and high paying careers


*Field Trips, Internships, Career Exploration*

*Check out the links in the course catalog - page 32*



# EDGE/Career Pathways

- Business/Entrepreneurship Pathway
- Sports Medicine Pathway
- Engineering Pathway
- Computer Science Pathway
- Education Pathway

	Example of some Required Courses	Example of some Optional Courses
<b>Business</b>	Empowering Entrepreneurship, Elem Accounting (Bus 109)	World History (Business Perspective), EDGE Maker Lab
<b>Sports Medicine</b>	Beginning Sports Med, Advanced Sports Med	Anatomy & Physiology
<b>Engineering</b>	Robotics, Intro to Architecture & Engineering	MESA, Intro to Robotics, EDGE Maker Lab
<b>Computer Science</b>	AP Computer Science Principles, APCS	Intro to Comp Science (9th grade)
<b>Education</b>	Foundations & Cultural Perspectives	Developmental Psychology of Children, Peer Mentoring

## Approved 7th Class Courses

- Academic Support
- ASB (Application Required)
- Bagpipes
- Band
- Choir
- Colorguard
- Dance (Auditions required for advanced placement)
- Drama (Audition required for advanced placement)
- Marching PE
- Orchestra
- Journalism
- Speech or Debate
- Yearbook (Application Required - midyear only)
- EDGE Maker Lab

## Beyond A-G Requirements

<b>PE (2 years required)</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● <b>1st year:</b> Must pass both semesters of 9th grade PE</li><li>● <b>2nd year:</b><ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ 2 seasons:athletics in 10th-11th grade OR</li><li>○ 2 semesters: Weight Training, Dance or PE 10-12</li></ul></li></ul>
<b>Technology</b>	Tech Disc, CAD, GIS, Dig Art, AP Computer Science or any computer class
<b>College Experience</b>	Complete minimum of 3-unit college class or equivalent

## Other Requirements

<b>Sophomore Interview</b>	Completed in Advisory
<b>Senior Project</b>	Proposal, Project, Portfolio & Presentation
<b>College/Career Placement Assessment</b>	SAT, ACT or ASVAB
<b>Community Service</b>	40 hours
<b>Credit Completion</b>	220 credits

Let us know if you are  
interested in playing sports  
in college



# 4 Year Plan

Why do I need a 4- Year Plan?	Having a 4-year plan will help ensure you get to take all the classes you need to take while getting the classes you want to take as well. This is an opportunity to explore possible college majors and careers and see what classes you <b>SHOULD</b> take in preparation and how it might work into your high school schedule. It is important to make course selections with the <b>BIG</b> picture in mind.
Am I stuck with taking EVERYTHING I place on my 4-year plan?	Your 4-year plan is a living document. You can change it as your interests change.
Who will be able to see my 4- Year Plan?	Whoever you choose to share it with will be able to see it. You will be sharing it with your counselor. So, the Grade Level Team will be able to see it.
When will I use my 4- Year Plan?	You will refer to it every year in quarter 3 when it is time to pick your classes for the following school year you will review/edit your 4-year plan. You want to make sure it accurately reflects your academic goals. Once you have updated your plan, then filling out your course request is a breeze.

# 4 Year Plan Instructions

## How do I complete my 4-Year Plan?

1. Download template. **bit.do/2022plan**.
2. Save the file.
  - a. Name the file: “Last Name First Name ID#, 4 Year Plan”
3. Share this file with [4yearplan22@helixcharter.net](mailto:4yearplan22@helixcharter.net) by doing the following:
  - a. Click the blue “Share” button in the top right corner
  - b. Type: [4yearplan22@helixcharter.net](mailto:4yearplan22@helixcharter.net)
  - c. Click Done.
4. Complete the 4-year plan
  - a. Follow the directions at the top of the 4-year plan to fill in appropriately.
5. Check to make sure you are meeting the requirements:
  - a. No more than 6 classes a year
  - b. You are taking ALL the required classes to graduate

# Create Your Four Year Plan

**bit.do/2022plan**

Make a copy and save in your “2022 Portfolio”

	<u>9th Grade</u>	<u>10th Grade</u>	<u>11th Grade</u>	<u>12th Grade</u>
English 4 courses				
Math 3 courses				
Science 3 courses				
Social Studies 3.5 courses				
Language 2 years same language				
Visual/Performing Arts 1 course				
PE 4 quarters (seasons)				
Tech 1 course				
Other 4 courses				
<a href="#"><u>Course Catalog</u></a>	<a href="#"><u>Course Request Presentation</u></a>	<a href="#"><u>Course Request Form</u></a>	<a href="#"><u>Electives Slides</u></a>	Not all elective options included check the Course Catalog



# 4 Year Plan

## My 4- Year Plan is complete, now what?

Complete Course request to reserve seats in courses for the 2019-2020 school year. You may only submit ONE course request, so be careful and choose wisely.

1. Open 4-year plan to use as a reference.
  - a. Make sure you have reviewed your 10th Grade column with your family before completing course request form.
2. Open Course request form by going to: [bit.do/2022classes10](https://bit.do/2022classes10)
3. Fill in the Course Request Form completely and accurately.
  - a. All questions with a \* are required and you will not be able to submit until it is complete.
  - b. Be CAREFUL!
  - c. Pick WISELY!
  - d. Consider your academic strengths, time availability to dedicate to your classes, interest in the subject.
4. Sign the form to indicate it has been completed by you.
  - a. Type full name.
5. Click the box “[Send me a copy of my responses.](#)” for your records.
  - a. Save the copy in your google drive under 2022 Portfolio for future reference.
6. Click submit

The SUCCE22 Team will meet with you to review your selections to make sure you are on track for graduation in 2022 and set up to be a successful sophomore!

## What Next?

1. **Review [Course Catalog](#)** with parent/guardian (look at Electives slides too)
2. **Complete 4-Year Plan** - Be sure to include:
  - a. All grade level or prerequisite requirements
  - b. Any classes failed
3. **Complete your Course Request Form at:**  
**[bit.do/2022classes10](https://bit.do/2022classes10)**
4. **4-Year Plan & Course Request Form is due Jan 18th!**
5. **Meet with SUCCE22 Team** to review your course selections

Thank you!

# You can go to **COLLEGE**

A-G Requirements\*

California State University ♦ University of California



\* Grades of C or better required.