CaliforniaColleges.edu and CCCApply

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California College
Guidance Initiative

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What are we going to cover this hour?

- What is the California Colleges Guidance Initiative?
- (super) Brief tour of CaliforniaColleges.edu
- Review integration between CaliforniaColleges.edu and CCCApply
    - Review current functionality for students and K-12 educators
    - Next steps – PESC XML High School Transcript to support
        - AB 705 implementation
        - Education planning
        - …other college efforts?
- Aligning effort – CCC/CSU/CCGI Central Valley Pilot
- Data security
- Questions?

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Who?

What is the California College Guidance Initiative?

- CCGI provides a data and planning infrastructure that helps increase postsecondary preparation and attainment for students in California.
- Our Objectives:
  1. All high school seniors graduate with clear postsecondary goals and a plan for how to achieve them.
  2. Students' academic transcript data follows them as they advance across educational systems to reduce information gaps that could otherwise hinder their success.
- Our Tools:
  - CaliforniaColleges.edu
  - Data Team and Data Standards
  - Implementation Support Team

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Approach

- Our Approach:
  1. Manage the State of California's college and career planning platform, CaliforniaColleges.edu and its embedded 6th-12th grade curriculum.

  2. When appropriate, utilize CaliforniaColleges.edu as hub which facilitates the reliable matching of unique student identifiers and the transmission of students' transcript records between K-12 districts and the California Community Colleges, the California State University System, the California Student Aid Commission, and the Free Application for Federal Student Aid.

  3. Increase the capacity of K-12 school districts to make college and career planning a systematic part of all 6th-12th grade students' education.

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Governance

1. The Foundation for California Community Colleges (FCCC) provides the fiscal and legal home for CCGI.

2. An inter-segmental advisory committee includes campus and community-based college guidance practitioners as well as admissions and student services professionals from the higher education system offices (CSU, CCC, UC and independent colleges and universities).

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Why We Exist: K-12

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K-12 College and Career Guidance Reality

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No College Planning

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In alignment with guided pathways

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Two Use Scenarios

All California K-12 Students	Students in data-informed partner districts
– Access to college and career planning tools a – Access to academic planner using CMP course data – General regional training and user support – Account can connect to CCCApply and CalState.edu/Apply	– Data-informed academic planning tools – CSU/UC eligibility tools to inform increased "a-g" completion rates – Pre-verified data can inform application to CSUs and CCCs – Data match pilot with California Student Aid Commission – Intensive, customized consultation and user support

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Foundation of Partnership

California College Guidance Initiative	Leadership Teams
– Local Implementation Team – Data Analysts **District** – CCGI Lead – District Data Team or Lead – School Site Leads – Counselors – Principals – APs – Teachers **Strategy** – Full immersion across counseling and instructional time	– Cross-functional group of district educators, whose purpose is to guide the CCGI implementation process – Speaks to various district perspectives and priorities and collectively make decisions about the CCGI partnership – Develop and execute district's multi-year plan – Track metrics – Conduct ongoing evaluation of district's capacity

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CaliforniaColleges.edu tour (brief)

History of CaliforniaColleges.edu

- Established in 1998 through an inter-segmental budget proposal by the California Community Colleges, California State Universities, University of California, California Department of Education and the Association of Independent California Colleges and Universities with the purpose of providing:

- 1) A common front door to higher education in California, and
- 2) An electronic transcript platform

- CCGI assumed management in July of 2013
- Rebuilt from scratch in 2017 based on user feedback

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Curriculum
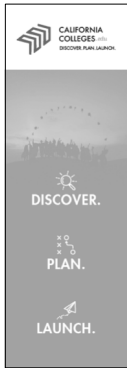
The embedded 6th-12th grade curriculum guides students through a series of developmentally appropriate college and career planning activities so they can:

- Discover their path
- Plan their future
- Launch their plan

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Curriculum

- Students sign in and find a customized home page for their grade level.
- They click on any of the blue bubbles to access the embedded curriculum and get started.

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Curriculum

The curriculum has associated lesson plans that educators can use during instructional time and counseling interventions.

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Researching Postsecondary Options: Grade 11 (11.1)
Goal: Students explore their postsecondary options and examine how college fits into their future.

Lesson Time Options
This lesson requires one 45-60 minute class period and is recommended to be completed as preparation for 11.2.

Student Materials
This lesson plan is part of the default **Activities by Grade Level**. The corresponding student My Task for this lesson is called **Researching Postsecondary Options**. For more information, refer to **Downloading and Uploading Documents to CaliforniaColleges.edu** on CCGI Knowledge from your Educator Dashboard.

In This Packet
This packet includes everything you need to complete the lesson.
— Student Worksheet
— Educator Guide
— Appendix: Learning Extension

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Career Assessments

Career assessments help students connect their personal preferences, interests, and skills to their career goals.

– Interest Profiler
 (All Students)

– Learning Styles Inventory
 (Middle School Students)

– Multiple Intelligences
 (High School Students)

– Do What You Are
 (High School Students)

Start — Questions — Result — Matching Careers

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How would you like to...
Build kitchen cabinets
Strongly Dislike | Dislike | Unsure | Like | Strongly Like

How would you like to...
Lay brick or tile
Strongly Dislike | Dislike | Unsure | Like | Strongly Like

How would you like to...
Develop a new medicine
Strongly Dislike | Dislike | Unsure | Like | Strongly Like

How would you like to...
Study ways to reduce water pollution
Strongly Dislike | Dislike | Unsure | Like | Strongly Like

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Career Search Tool

Students can use the Career Search Tool to explore careers that match their preferences.

Career Search Tool
Explore careers that match your interests. Find careers by using the keyword search or the Industry and Bright Outlook filters.

Search By Keywords | Search | Health Care and Social Assistance | Search

Select Bright Outlook Occupation | Search

Results 166 | Compare

Compare	Career	Education Level	Salary	Bright Outlook	Favorites
☐	Acute Care Nurses	Associate's Degree / Bachelor's Degree / Master's Degree	$ 66,450	Grow Rapidly / New & Emerging Openings	♥
☐	Advanced Practice Psychiatric Nurses	Master's Degree / Post-Master's Certificate / First Professional Degree	$ 66,450	Grow Rapidly / New & Emerging Openings	♡

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Major Search Tool

Students can use the Major Search Tool to explore majors or programs of study related to their interests, and then see which colleges offer those majors.
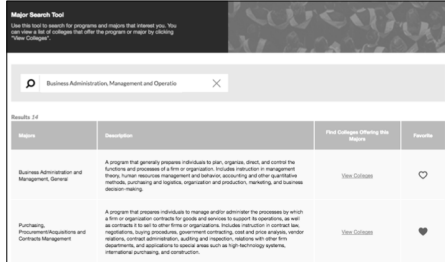
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College Search Tool

Students can use the College Search Tool to research and compare colleges and find the best fit.
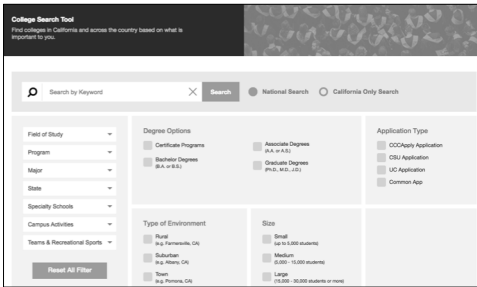
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My Plan

Students' college and career planning activity is saved in a personalized digital portfolio called My Plan.
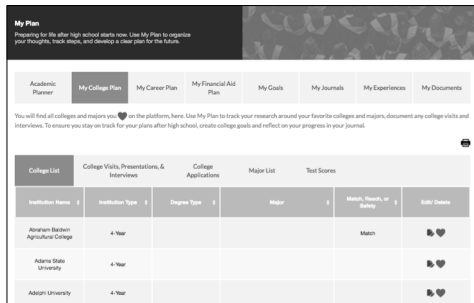
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Academic Planner

Students can use the Academic Planner to intentionally plan their high school coursework.

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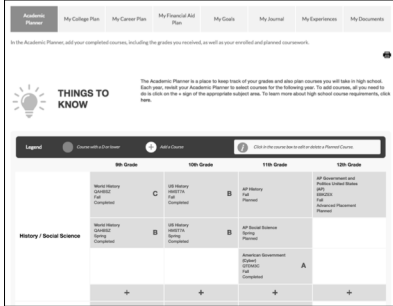
Data-informed Functionality

While most functionality on CaliforniaColleges.edu is free to students and educators, there is sub-set of functionalities that can only be used if students have transcript data in their account.

This requires data sharing and fee agreements with CCGI

Data-informed Functionalities:

– CSU and UC Eligibility Tools
– Transcript data pushes to CCCs and CSUs to inform enrollment and placement

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CSU and UC Eligibility Tools

In partner districts, the CSU and UC Eligibility Tools allow students to quickly track their progress toward meeting "a-g" requirements.

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CSU and UC Eligibility Tools

Educators in Partner Districts can run reports to monitor student progress toward CSU and UC eligibility.

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Financial Aid Planning

Students have access to valuable information and tools to help them make college affordable.

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My Tasks, Journals, Goals…

My Tasks is students' digital "to do" list for creating a college and career plan.

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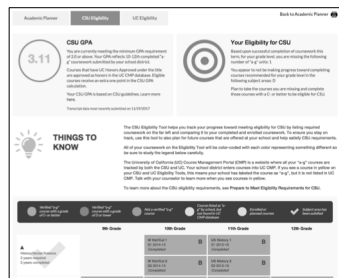
CaliforniaColleges.edu and CCCApply Integration

CCCApply Integration – Thank you

- First, only possible thanks to support from:
  - CCC Chancellor's Office
  - Foundation for California Community Colleges
  - CCCO Technology Center at Butte College
  - CCCApply Steering Committee
  - K-12 districts
  - CCC's

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California Community College

1. Students launch CCCApply from within account on CaliforniaColleges.edu
2. Current state
   - Hard match between SSID and CCCID
3. Future state
   - Academic, as well as career and educational planning data, will feed centrally to CCCApply/My Path
   - Data will flag foster youth (optional field), as well as students who are eligible for AB540 benefits

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California Community Colleges: Legal Agreements

1. Current state
   — Agreement between CCCCO and Foundation for California Community Colleges (CCGI's fiscal and legal entity) governs ability to push data to CCCs for students who launch CCCApply from within their accounts on CaliforniaColleges.edu.
   — If students do not use CaliforniaColleges.edu to launch their CCCApply applications a supplemental agreement must be in place with each college requesting data in order for them to share applicant information and request academic transcript data

2. Future state
   — Expanded legal agreement between CCCCO and FCCC will govern the ability for:
      — CCGI to send academic and career/educational planning data centrally to CCCCO for the colleges to access via CCCApply/My Path, and
      — CCCCO to share enrollment, placement, persistence and completion data back to K12 districts via CaliforniaColleges.edu.
   — Supplemental legal agreements with individual CCCs will be needed to:
      — obtain an "affiliate account" on CaliforniaColleges.edu in order to track student accounts prior to the point of application.
      — Request data for students who do not launch their CCCApply from within CaliforniaColleges.edu

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Support the transition to college

- Next, transcript data for those students who have completed such an application can later be securely transmitted to the college or directly to CCCO Tech Center

- Will be submitted as PESC XML
  - High School Transcript (version 1.5.0)
  - Academic Record (version 1.8.0)
  - CoreMain (version 1.13.0)

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Current state – Apply link option 1

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Current state – Apply link option 2

Institution Name	Application Type	Application Plan	Deadline Date	Submission Date	Edit/Delete
California State Polytechnic University-Pomona	Apply				📝❤️
Los Angeles City College	Apply				📝❤️
Orange Coast College	Apply				📝❤️
University of California-Merced					📝❤️

College List   College Visits, Presentations, & Interviews   College Applications   Major List   Test Scores

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Central Valley Pilot

Why a Region-wide Approach

— The California Community Colleges and California State University campuses across the state need "real time" data to support decision making about admissions/enrollment, placement and guidance. This includes:
  — High School Transcript Data
  — Educational Planning Data
— The two system offices are collaborating with the Central Valley Higher Education Consortium (CVHEC) and CCGI to promote a unified approach to college preparation and transition across the Central Valley.
— Proof of concept for statewide scaling

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What and Where

Waives the fees for the CCGI **Partnership Model** for all K12 districts across the nine county region:

— Fresno
— Kern
— Kings
— Madera
— Merced
— San Joaquin
— Stanislaus
— Tulare
— Tuolumne

The aim is to have coordinated efforts to promote this work among the 3 CSU and 14 CCC campuses in the region.

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When: 2018-2022

— June 2018: Campaign Launch
— 2018-2019:
    — Use of educational and career planning tools
    — Execute legal
    — Initial data uploads and cleansing
— 2019-2020:
    — Data-informed account usage
    — Use of data for placement in CCCs
    — Use of data for admissions and placement in CSUs
— 2020-21 and 2021-2022: Continued subsidy for K12 participation to allow time for full adoption

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Quotes in support of Central Valley effort

California Community College Chancellor Eloy Ortiz Oakley
"The partnership taking place in the Central Valley represents a vital inter-segmental collaboration that will bolster the college-going culture in the region and pave the way for improved educational outcomes for students. Together the chancellor's offices of the California Community Colleges and the California State University are investing in a unified approach to help students prepare for and successfully transition to college."

California Community College Executive Vice Chancellor for Educational Services, Laura Hope
"Our campuses are committed to using high school transcript data to ensure course placements that maximize each student's opportunity to succeed. As we move towards defining clearer pathways for students to achieve their post-secondary goals, a key step is helping students to understand their academic and career options. The partnership taking place in the Central Valley is perfectly aligned with these commitments. Students throughout the region will use CaliforniaColleges.edu and its embedded curriculum to engage in intentional college and career planning starting in the 6th grade. When students are ready to apply to college, not only will they have a well-informed plan in place, their complete and current transcript data will follow each student to support the college placement process."

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District Partnerships

Alameda County
Hayward

Fresno County
Firebaugh Las
  Deltas
Fresno*
Selma*

Imperial County
Brawley Union High*

Kings County
Hanford Joint Union
  High

Los Angeles County
Centinela Valley *
Compton
El Monte Union High
El Rancho
Green Dot*
Hacienda la Puente
Norwalk-La Mirada
Pasadena*
Pomona
Rowland

Orange County
Anaheim Union
Garden Grove
Santa Ana

Riverside County
Corona-Norco
Desert Sands
Hemet
Jurupa
Moreno Valley
Murrieta Valley
Perris Union High
Temecula Valley
Val Verde

Sacramento County
Sacramento City
Elk Grove

San Bernardino County
Chaffey Joint Union
  High
Chino Valley
Redlands*
Upland

San Diego County
Oceanside*
San Marcos
Vista

San Luis Obispo County
Coast
Paso Robles Joint
San Luis Coastal
Shandon Joint
Templeton

San Mateo County
Jefferson Union High

Santa Clara County
Gilroy*

Tulare County
Cutler-Orosi Joint
Woodlake

Yolo County
Woodland Joint

Counties with CCGI Partner Districts
prior to 2017-18

Counties with new or potential CCGI
Partner Districts as of 2017-18

*Potential 2018-19 expansion districts

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Data Security, Questions, Contact Info

Data Security

CCGI handles Personally Identifiable Information (PII) carefully and is compliant with the following:

- Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act
- Protection of Pupil Rights Amendment
- Fair Information Practice Principles
- Privacy Technical Assistance Center Requirements and Best Practices
- CA Senate Bill No. 1177
- CA Assembly Bill No. 1584
- Children's Online Privacy Protection Rule
- CaliforniaColleges.edu Privacy Policy for Student Users
- California College Guidance Initiative Memorandum of Understanding

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