



INDEPENDENT STUDIES

COLLEGE & CAREER
WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

Week of 1/17 - 1/21

Hello Independent Studies!

Welcome to Independent Studies Weekly College & Career Newsletter. Visit this newsletter weekly to stay up to date on events and opportunities. If you have any questions or concerns please visit your College & Career Specialist, Mrs. Gomez, in the library.

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Financial Aid Workshops

Gilbert HS - FAFSA & Dream Act Workshops (IN PERSON)

Dates:

- Jan. 19, 2022 - 2:30pm-3:30pm
- Feb. 8, 2022 - 2:30pm-3:30pm
- Feb. 15, 2022 - 5pm-7pm
- Feb. 25, 2022 - 2:30pm-3:30pm

Location: Gilbert High School Library

[Register here](#)

- **Gilbert High School** is hosting a series of **IN-PERSON Financial Aid Workshops**. Come by and get help with your FAFSA and Dream Act application!
- This application is REQUIRED in order to receive 2 FREE years of community college.
- *Click the image below to enlarge.*



WORKSHOP DATES:

- NOV. 18, 2021 - 2:30PM-3:30PM
- DEC. 8, 2021 - 2:30PM-3:30PM
- JAN. 11, 2022 - 2:30PM-3:30PM
- JAN. 19, 2022 - 2:30PM-3:30PM
- FEB. 8, 2022 - 2:30PM-3:30PM
- FEB. 15, 2022 - 5PM-7PM
- FEB. 25, 2022 - 2:30PM-3:30PM

GILBERT HIGH SCHOOL LIBRARY
1800 W BALL RD, ANAHEIM, CA 92804

CONTACT COMEZ_LI@AUHSD.US FOR MORE INFORMATION

[Spanish Flyer](#)

College Workshops

Fullerton College - Open Office Hours

Date: Every Monday and Tuesday

Time: 2pm - 4pm

Location: Virtual

[Join here](#)

Meeting ID: 956 7775 6723

- Interested in attending **Fullerton College**? Stop by to their **office hours** and:
 - Learn how to get **FREE** tuition
 - Learn more about their programs
 - Learn more about the Pledge/Promise Program!

EDUCATIONAL PARTNERSHIPS & OUTREACH
"Building bridges to College"

Future Hornet Open Office Hours

Current HS Seniors join us every Monday and Tuesday any time from 2pm-4pm

> *Learn how to get **Free Tuition***
 > Learn more about Fullerton College
 > Learn more about the Pledge/Promise Program!
 > Receive 1:1 assistance with the FC Online Application

JOIN HERE:
[FULLCOLL-EDU.ZOOM.US/J/95677756723](https://fullcoll-edu.zoom.us/j/95677756723)
 MEETING ID: 95677756723

outreach.fullcoll.edu

[@fullcoll_outreach](https://www.instagram.com/fullcoll_outreach)

Other Workshops

OC United Way - Class of 2022 E-Mentorship Program

Meeting Dates:

- Jan. 20, 2022
- Feb. 10, 2022
- Mar. 10, 2022
- Apr. 14, 2022
- May. 12, 2022
- May/June

Time: 3:30pm - 5pm

Location: In the Library or Virtual Meeting

- Attention students who joined the **Class of 2022 E-Mentorship Program!** You have a virtual meeting on Jan. 13th.
- We will be providing chromebooks and snacks in the **Gilbert High School Library** for students who are connecting to the workshops.
- Reminder - You cannot exceed more than 2 absences in order to receive a **FREE laptop or scholarship.**
- *Click the image below to enlarge.*

UNITED FOR STUDENT SUCCESS

CLASS OF 2022 E-MENTORSHIP PROGRAM

Student Mentorship Program



Are you a senior looking to reach your academic, career, and personal goals? Apply for the Class of 2022 e-Mentorship program and get paired with an industry professional mentor who will guide you to your goals!

PROGRAM BENEFITS

- Connect with a career professional
- Engage in college- and work-readiness workshops
- Access networking opportunities
- Hone your communication, leadership, and professional development skills
- Gain valuable insight into the next stages of your education and career journey

REQUIREMENTS

- Be a current senior in Garden Grove Unified School District (GGUSD), Anaheim Union High School District (AUHSD), or Santa Ana Unified School District (SAUSD)
- Participate in a mandatory orientation
- Be available from December 2021 to June 2022
- Devote 2 hours minimum per month at each session
- Devote 2 hours minimum per month with a mentor
- Not have more than 2 absences from all e-Mentorship sessions

Apply today! Applications are due December 15th
bit.ocuw.org/2022mentorship



Opportunities to receive a certificate of completion and laptop or scholarship at the end of the program.

FOR MORE INFORMATION, CONTACT:
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 Katrya Ly | Katryal@UnitedWayOC.org | 949.263.6157

PROGRAM TIMELINE

12/9/2021	Orientation
1/13/2022	Ice Breakers & Introductions
1/20/2022	How to Be Financially Savvy
2/10/2022	Graduate On-Time College & Career-Ready
3/10/2022	Job Tips & Techniques
4/14/2022	Being Physically & Mentally Fit
5/12/2022	Transitions (High Schools, College & Careers)
May/June 2022	Culmination Celebration

 United Way
Orange County United Way

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Field Trips

Orange Coast College Campus Tour!

Date: Feb. 17, 2022

Time: 9:30am - 12:00pm

Stop by the library or counseling office for a permission slip!

- The counseling team has coordinated a **field trip** to **Orange Coast College** to tour the campus and learn more about a variety of CTE programs that are offered.
- If you would like to attend, stop by the library or counseling office to get a permission slip.



Dual Enrollment

Fullerton College - Dual Enrollment Interest Form

[Interest Intake Form](#)

- Want to take **FREE college classes** while in high school?
- Check out the flyer below for a list of the classes being offered for the Spring 2022 semester and complete the **Interest Intake Form (Select INDEPENDENT STUDY/POLARIS for your school)**.
- By participating in Dual Enrollment, you can benefit from the following:
 - Free College Courses and textbook rentals
 - Credit for both High School and College
 - Finish College Faster- get transferable college credit for: Community Colleges, CSUs, OR UC's





Fullerton College

Educational Partnerships and Outreach

Last Modified on: 11/9/21

FREE COLLEGE CLASSES WHILE IN HIGH SCHOOL

Join the FC Dual Enrollment program this Spring 2022



Sign up here:



Scan me

Benefits of participating in Dual Enrollment:

- Get ahead! Start college now!
- Save time and money in books and tuition!
- Earn college units that transfer to most Community Colleges, UC's, Cal States and Privates

<https://tinyurl.com/auhsd-de>

COURSE	DATES	MEETINGS
MUS 116 (3 Units) Music Appreciation	01/24/22 - TBA	TBA
ETHS 150 (3 Units) Intro to Chicano/a Studies	01/24/22 - TBA	TBA
BUS 100 (3 Units) Introduction to Business	01/24/22 - 05/22/22	Wed 4:00p - 6:15p Hybrid Zoom
AJ 100 (3 Units) Introduction to Criminal Justice	01/24/22 - 05/21/22	100% Online
NUTR 210 (3 Units) Human Nutrition	01/24/22 - 05/22/22	100% Online
COUN 151 (3 Units) Career & College Success	01/24/22 - TBA	TBA

If you are interested in taking any course, please contact your counselor
Online Coursework completed through Canvas: [How to Navigate Canvas Video](#)

Gilbert and Polaris HS/ IS

Advocate: Kathryn Hinojos

Call or Text (562) 448-2288

khinojos@fullcoll.edu

Zoom one-on-one appointment:

calendly.com/khinojos/fcoutreach

SIGN UP NOW! SPACE IS LIMITED!



outreach.fullcoll.edu/auhsd-dual-enrollment

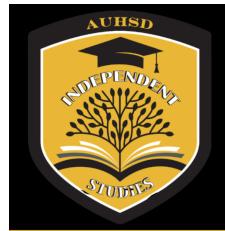


[@fullcoll_outreach](https://www.instagram.com/fullcoll_outreach)

Scholarships

Independent Studies Scholarship Newsletter

- Check out our Monthly Scholarship Newsletter. Here you can find more scholarships with deadlines in January.
- You can also find multiple search engines and tips to discover more scholarships.
- *Click the image below to access the newsletter.*



WELCOME TO THE SCHOLARSHIP NEWSLETTER!

CHECK BACK FOR MONTHLY UPDATES



Library Events

Trivia Tuesday

Date: Jan. 18, 2022
 Time: During lunch
 Location: Gilbert High School Library

Join us during lunch to play a fun game of Trivia!



College & Career Q&A

Date: Jan. 20, 2022
 Time: During lunch
 Location: Gilbert High School Library

Have any questions about college? Wondering if college is right for you? Not sure which career path to follow? Join us during lunch to get all of your questions answered!

If you can't make it and would still like to submit a question, please do so here:

<https://forms.gle/TBwmBJLSnxrVKkGB7>



Gaming Gladiators Tournament

[Sign-up here](#)

Date: Jan. 24-26
 Time: 2:30pm - 4pm

- Join the Gaming Gladiators Club after school in the Gaming Lab (Library) from 2:30pm to 4:00pm as we play Fortnite in Battle Royale mode. There will be snacks provided! Everyone is welcome!
- If you have any questions please contact Mr. Tran: tran_m@auhsd.us

Location: Gilbert High School
Library



Tutoring/Homework Help

UCLA Project Hope Sites

Date: Every Wednesdays

Time: 1pm - 3pm

Location: Virtual

[Get help here - Zoom Room](#)

- UCLA presents **Project Hope Sites**. Sites offers FREE tutoring, peer advising, ways to find jobs/internships, virtual field trips, and academic & holistic workshops from UCLA students.
- *Click the image below to enlarge.*

Project HOPE @ Gilbert High

COME TO SITE !

STARTING WEDNESDAY, OCT. 13

WHEN: EVERY WEDNESDAY @ 1-3 PM

WHERE: ZOOM
(<https://ucla.zoom.us/j/8848167475>)
MEETING ID: 884 816 7475

[@uclaprojecthope](#) [Hope at UCLA](#) [www.project-hope.site](#)

Have any questions? Email me at aland0523@g.ucla.edu

What is Project HOPE

UCLA Project HOPE

Project HOPE is a student-led organization that stands for Higher Opportunity Program for Education. We are dedicated to serving underrepresented students striving for higher education. Our program offers a number of resources which include:

- 1 Tutoring**
Stuck on homework? Need tutoring on a specific subject? We're here to help!
- 2 Peer Advising/Mentorship**
Need advice career-wise? Want help looking for a job? Talk 1-on-1 with college students to build that resume!
- 3 Workshops**
From building resumes to finding internships/jobs, our workshops include a number of topics!
- 4 Field Trips**
Explore the college lifestyle and its community and engage with college students!

[@uclaprojecthope](#) [Hope at UCLA](#) [www.project-hope.site](#)

Community/Service Hours

List of Community Service Agencies

- Check out this list of non-profit organizations that are pre-approved for community service.
- *Click the image below or scan the QR code to access the list of organizations.*



Upcoming

Youth Career Connections - Disneyland Executive Speakers Series

Meeting Dates:

- Feb. 2, 2022
- Mar. 2, 2022
- Apr. 6, 2022

Time: 4pm - 5pm

Location: In the Library - Virtual

- Attention students who joined the **Disneyland Executive Speakers Series!** You have a virtual meeting on Jan. 5th.
- We will be providing chromebooks and snacks in the **Gilbert High School Library** for students who are connecting to the workshops.
- Reminder - You need to attend 5 virtual meetings in order to go on the **FREE trip to Disneyland**.
- *Click the image below to enlarge.*

UNITED FOR STUDENT SUCCESS

YOUTH CAREER CONNECTIONS 
DISNEYLAND EXECUTIVE SPEAKER SERIES





Are you looking to build your professional portfolio and career readiness skills?

We're excited to bring the Disneyland Executive Speaker Series to Anaheim students like yourself! Take advantage of this **six-part virtual series** with different workshops designed to set you up for success. You'll hear from **Disneyland Resort executive cast members** about their career experiences in various professional fields at the Disneyland Resort Company and the latest insights they have to offer.

LEARN ABOUT

   And So Much More!

Resume and Cover Letter Building Business Etiquette Mock Interviews

SCHEDULE: 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM (PT)

- November 3, 2021 • February 2, 2022
- December 1, 2021 • March 2, 2022
- January 5, 2022 • April 6, 2022

STUDENT REQUIREMENTS

- Enrolled in the Anaheim Union High School District or live in the City of Anaheim
- Be in a CTE Pathway or VAPA
- Attend all six workshops
- Complete the photo release waiver
- Current junior or senior

START APPLICATION: bit.ocuw.org/DisneySeries Application deadline extended to November 20, 2021 at 12pm. Secure your spot today!

For additional information, please contact:
 Katya Ly | KatyaL@UnitedWayOC.org | 949.263.6157
 Orange County United Way's United for Student Success initiative aims to ensure children and youth receive the support they need to stay on track in school, graduate high school on time, and are college- and career-ready.

AUHSD College Access Support Events (CASE) Workshop

Date: Feb. 10, 2022

Location: Loara High School

[Register here](#)

- Get **ONE on ONE help** with any of the following:
 - 2 - Year College Application
 - FAFSA
 - Dream Act
- Register for a workshop, upon registration you will receive a zoom link.

AUHSD College Access Support Events (CASE) Workshop

Dates:

- Feb. 17, 2022 - 4-7pm
- Feb. 24, 2022 - 4-7pm
- Mar. 1, 2022 - 5-8pm

Location: Virtual meeting

[Register here](#)

UNLIMITED YOU
Anaheim Union High School District



College Access Support Event

Loara High School
1765 W. Cerritos Ave.
Anaheim, CA

If you need help with your FAFSA, Dream Act, or Community College Application, we are here to help!

T Thurs. Feb. 10 4PM - 7PM

REGISTRATION LINK:
[HTTPS://BIT.LY/LHSCASE22](https://bit.ly/LHSCASE22)

- Get **ONE on ONE help** with any of the following:
 - 2 - Year College Application
 - FAFSA
 - Dream Act
- Register for a workshop, upon registration you will receive a zoom link.

COLLEGE ACCESS SUPPORT EVENT

Working on your Financial Aid application or Community College application?
We are here to help!

Join our Zoom event to get help in a group, or get 1-on-1 help with the following:

- FAFSA
- Dream Act
- Community College Applications

Upcoming Dates:
2/17/2022 4-7pm via Zoom
2/24/2022 4-7pm via Zoom
3/1/2022 5-8pm via Zoom

For questions, contact your school counselor!

Start your college application NOW!



Kind Regards,
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