

A-G Requirements

Minimum requirements to be eligible to apply to UCs/CSUs (with letter grades C or better)

A Social Science & History

2 years REQ

B English

4 years REQ

C Mathematics

3 years req, 4 years rec

D Laboratory Science

2 years req, 3 Years rec

E Foreign Language

2 years req, 3 years rec

*all years must be in the same language

F Visual & Performing Arts

1 year req

G College Preparatory Elective

1 year req

* An additional year of any A-F courses can also meet this requirement

REQ = Required

Rec = Recommended

Course catalog:

<https://www.tustin.k12.ca.us/departments/course-catalogs>



Foothill HS Counseling

Foothill Counseling's goal is to provide a comprehensive counseling program that addresses students' academic, college and career, social, and emotional needs.

We provide encouragement and support to maximize student potential and academic achievement, which includes identifying relevant and rigorous college preparatory coursework, career and college pathways, and a completion of high school graduation and UC/CSU "A-G" college requirements.

The fundamental purpose of our department is to inspire students to cultivate a passion for learning, explore and develop diverse talents, and reach well beyond the ordinary.

College & Career Readiness



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Career Technical Education

CTE is a program of study in which students take a sequence of specialized courses from grades 10 through 12. These courses combine academic knowledge with technical and occupational skills that will prepare students for their postsecondary college and career endeavors. By allowing students to add hands-on learning to an already strong core academic program, they will graduate from high school prepared to lead at the next level.

Career Technical Education: CTE Pathways

Foothill High School Pathway Courses

Computer Science

Computer Science.Princip
AP Computer Science Princ
AP Computer Science A

Culinary Arts

*Culinary Arts 1
Culinary Arts 2
Culinary Art 3

Graphic Design

*Graphic Design 1
Graphic Design 2
Graphic Design 3

Manufacturing

*Intro to Engineering Design
Comp Integrated Manufacturing
Manufacturing Design &
Development

Media Arts

*Dramatic Prod/Intro. Film Maki
Digital FilmMaking
Video Prod/Broadcastin
Independent Film Making

Course Pathway:

* = Introduction Course
 Yellow = **Concentrator** (1 year Required)
 Grey = **Completer** (1 year Required)

More information about Pathways

Visit College and Career Center at Foothill High School or the counseling website: <http://foothillhscounseling.org>

Visual Imagery

- *Photography & Design
 - Visual Imagery
 - Advanced Visual Imagery

Engineering

*Intro to Engineering Design
Principles of Engineering
Engineering Design & Development

FAQs

Do I still need to complete A-G requirements if I attend a community college?

Although A-G is not a requirement for community college, A-G courses will prepare you for expectations at either a 4-year college or a community college. Preparing for college and career readiness will give the tools to succeed for postsecondary education and a career.

What might be another way to acquire skills that can lead to a career?

CTE Pathways are designed to serve students with hands-on courses for today's careers. FHS offers nine different career technical education pathways.

What is the difference in cost and earning a degree between community college versus four-year university?

Community colleges offer 2-year degrees (Associates degrees), which are needed in order to transfer into a 4-year university. Universities offer 4-year degrees and higher (Bachelor's, Master's, and Doctor's degrees). Tuition at a university tends to be more expensive. Different types of financial aid are available for both community college and university students. These 4 types of aid are scholarships, grants, work study, and loans. Eligibility for each aid varies based on financial needs, academic merit, student demographic, and student engagement.