



Senior College and Career Readiness

EAST UNION HIGH SCHOOL
CLASS OF 2025



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What we're
covering...

Communication

Graduation and A-G Requirements

Transcripts

Post Graduation Plans

Financial Aid Overview

College Applications



COMMUNICATION

Student Email

Parent Email

East Union Website – Counseling

Parent Connect





High School Graduation & A-G Requirements



High School Graduation

A-G Requirements

Total Credits to graduation: 275

UC : admission.universityofcalifornia.edu
CSU : www.calstate.edu/apply

4 years English (40 credits)

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1 year Life Science (10 credits)

2 years Laboratory Science

1 year Physical Science (10 credits)

(UC/CSU campuses that are highly competitive recommend 3 years)

3 years Math (30 credits)

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Algebra 1 (required)

Algebra I – Geometry – Algebra II

(UC/CSU campuses that are highly competitive recommend 4 years)

1 semester Health (5 credits)

1 year World History (10 credits)

1 year U.S. History (10 credits)

2 years History/Social Science

1 year Government/Economics (10 credits)

1 year Visual Performing Arts

AND

1 year Fine Arts or World Lang. (10 credits)

2 years World Languages

(UC/CSU campuses that are highly competitive recommend 3-4 years)

4 years Physical Education (40 credits)

1 year College Prep Elective (One additional year from the following areas: lab science, English, advanced mathematics, history, advanced visual performing arts, and foreign language)

Electives to total 100



Transcripts



Senior Transcripts

- Seniors will get a copy of their transcript next week.
- Counselors will be reviewing transcripts for graduation and A-G requirements with seniors from next week through fall break.
- Seniors will be receiving an email in September to sign up for Parchment.

Sending Transcripts With parchment®



Transcripts will be sent using **Parchment**



Be aware of schools' **transcript deadlines**



Final transcripts are **your** responsibility



Final transcript must be **requested through Parchment** by **June 4th**





FAST FORWARD:
What comes after
graduation?

Post High School Options

4 year College
or University

2 year
Community
College

Trade or
Technical
School

Military

Workforce



Think Long Term...

1. Career



2. Major or Specialty



3. Education or Training



Explore

Plan

Fund



collegevine



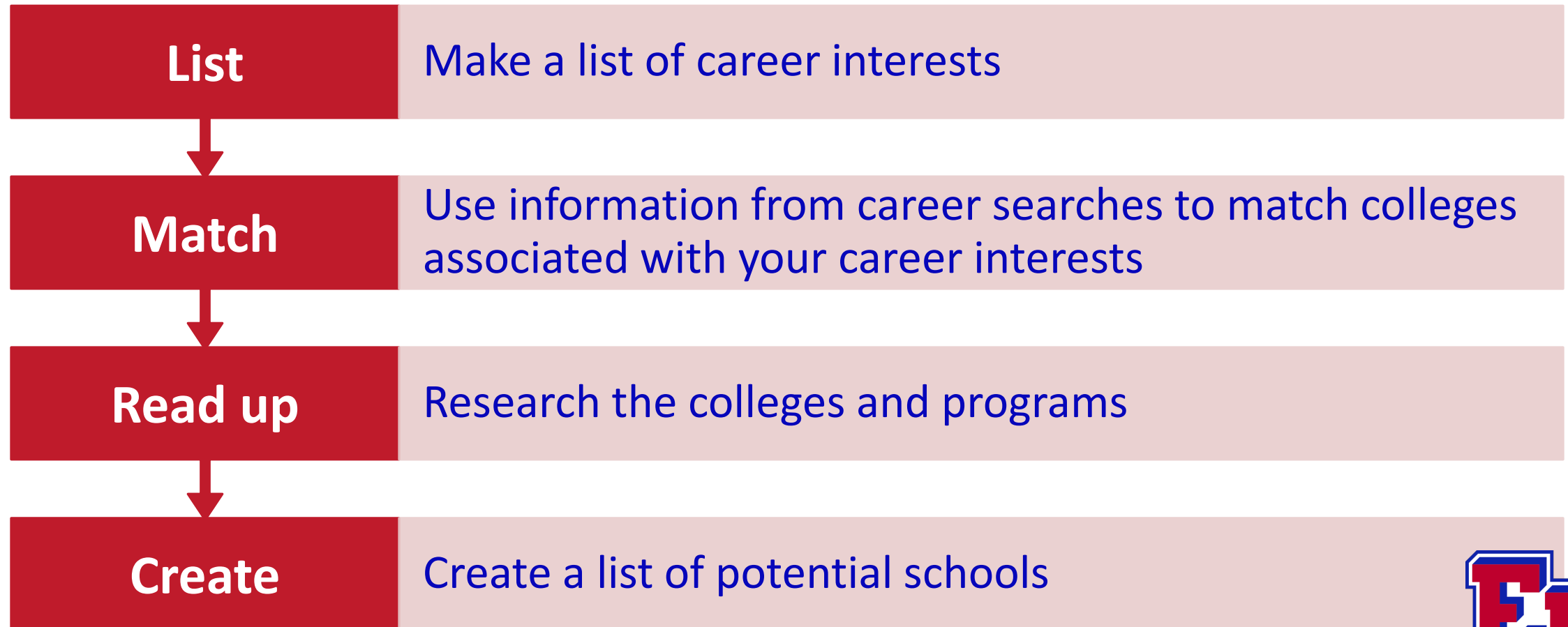
California CareerZone
powered by Headed2>



CALIFORNIA
COLLEGES.edu
DISCOVER. PLAN. LAUNCH.



College Search: Creating a Potential List



College List: Make a List of 5-8 Schools

1. Dream School



2. Good Chance



3. Sure Bet



4. Community College





Financial Aid

HAVE YOU HAD THE MONEY TALK?

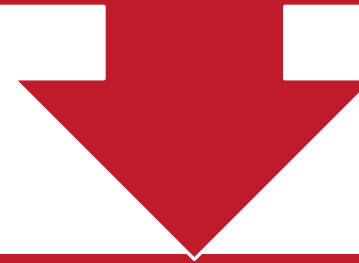


2025-2026

FAFSA
&
CADAA

*Free Application for Federal
Student Aid

*California Dream Act Application



December 1st - March 2nd

March 2nd is the general
deadline

Check individual
institutions for their
specific deadlines





Create Your FSA ID NOW!

NOT NEEDED FOR STUDENTS FILLING OUT THE CADAA



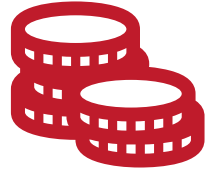


Important Points About FAFSA & CADAA

- District sends in GPA verification
- Make sure student's name is the same as the name that is reported to the school district
- Using your **2023** tax info
- All students will need to fill out the FAFSA/CADAA or an opt out form (AB 469)



Scholarships



Grants



Work Study



Loans

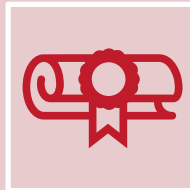
Sources of Financial Aid



Scholarships



FREE MONEY!!



Awarded for academic, athletic, community, meritorious success, etc.



Available through numerous sources.



Scholarship Websites

[East Union
Website](#)

[Scholarships.com](#)

[Fastweb](#)

[Going Merry](#)

[Scholarship Owl](#)

[Bold.org](#)

[Cappex](#)



Local Scholarship Application

Due December 6th



To provide information for scholarships and awards offered by East Union High School and community organizations.



Gives students a foundation for other scholarships.



1 letter of recommendation required.



500-word personal statement required.





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LOCAL SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

Due December 6th

Please read all instructions carefully

The purpose of this application is:

- To provide information about current seniors for scholarships offered through East Union High School and local service organizations.
- Give you, the student a foundation for other scholarships. There will be multiple scholarships that come through the counseling office that will require their own application.

Letters of recommendation are an important part of scholarship applications. This application is requiring *one* letter of recommendation, but there are many other scholarship applications which will require *two* or *three*, so you are encouraged to obtain more letters for your own records. We ask that you provide your teacher, counselor, administrator, coach, or employer with an outline of the activities you have been involved in and what your plans are for after high school when you request a letter. Also please be sure to give them at least 2 weeks' notice when you request a letter.

Directions: Please type into the below fields to enter your information. Once you have your completed application, personal statement, and letter of recommendation, please bring a paper clipped copy of all the documents to Mrs. Taiariol in the counseling office by December 6th.

PRINT APPLICATION ONE SIDED

Bring a paperclipped copy of your application, personal statement and letter of recommendation

We wish you the best!
East Union Counseling Staff



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LOCAL SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

Direction to the applicant:

This is a voluntary and confidential scholarship application form to be used by various scholarship committees. To get the best possible picture of the applicant's need and to make equitable choices of scholarship winners, the information should be carefully, completely, and clearly outlined. Only typed applications will be accepted.

Name:

Birthdate:

Address:

Current Overall Weighted GPA:

Phone Number:

POST HIGH SCHOOL PLANS

Plan: ☐ Workforce ☐ Military ☐ Technical/Vocational School ☐ Junior College ☐ 4 Year College

Intended Career or Major Field of Study: _____

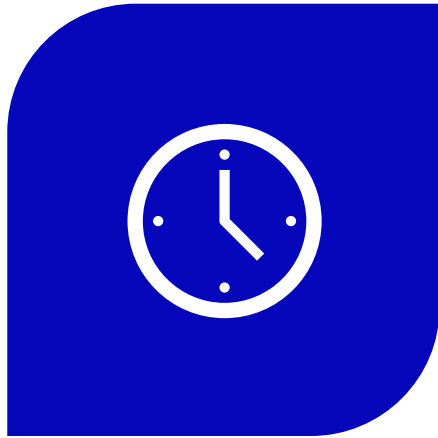
Intended Degree: ☐ Certificated Program ☐ Associate's Degree ☐ Bachelor's Degree

HONORS: List any special recognition, honors, or awards you have received in high school.

HIGH SCHOOL ACTIVITIES: Please include specifics of the activity and years of participation.

COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT: Please include specifics of the activity and years of participation. If you haven't participated in school or community activities, please explain why:

Letters of Recommendation



PROVIDE AT LEAST **2**
WEEKS NOTICE



PROVIDE OUTLINE OF ACTIVITIES
AND FUTURE PLANS

Grants and Work Study

Available through FAFSA

Grants: Money that doesn't have to be paid back!

Work Study: College employment to help pay educational expenses.



Cal Grant



**COMPLETE THE FAFSA OR CADAA
TO BE CONSIDERED FOR A CAL GRANT!**

Cal Grant A:

- 3.0 min. GPA
- Will help pay for tuition and fees at a four-year college

Cal Grant B:

- 2.0 min. GPA
- provides a living allowance in addition to tuition and fee assistance after the first year, at a two- or four-year college

Cal Grant C:

- No minimum GPA
- assists with the costs of a technical or career education





Loans

**Borrowed money that
must be paid back!**

- Government – Federal and State
- Personal Banks and Credit Unions
- Individual Colleges





College Applications

SAT & ACT



**MANY SCHOOLS ARE
TEST OPTIONAL FOR
ADMISSIONS**



**SCHOOLS WILL STILL USE
SCORES FOR PLACEMENT
AND SCHOLARSHIPS**

SAT

- October 5th
- November 2nd
- December 7th



SAT

SAT @ East Union

October 21st

Sign up in the

Admin Office

\$30



ACT

- October 26th
- December 14th



Community Colleges

- Application time is late fall through the spring
- Colleges (cccapply.org)
- Must be 18 or have a high school diploma to enroll
- Some community colleges have residence halls!!
- TAG: Transfer Agreement Guarantee



East Union
Delta College
Application Workshop
Thursday January 23rd





The California State University

- Submission period is **October 1st-December 2nd**
- [Cal State Apply | CSU](#)
- \$70 per campus
- Fee waiver eligibility is built into application
- Must satisfy A-G requirements
- Minimum GPA to apply: 2.0



- Submission period: **October 1st – December 2nd**
- Applications are open to work on now!
- [Admissions | University of California](#)
- \$70 per campus
- Fee waiver eligibility is built into application
- Must satisfy A-G requirements
- **Minimum GPA to apply: 3.0**
- Answer 4 out of 8 [personal insight questions](#)



UNIVERSITY
OF
CALIFORNIA

East Union UC Application Workshop

Monday October 28th



Private Colleges and Universities & Out of State Schools

- Application deadlines and fees vary by school
- Many schools use The Common Application
- A-G Coursework required
- Personal statement or essay questions
- Letters of recommendation
- Western Undergraduate Exchange



Important!

**Use school portals for
communication!**

**Check each school for scholarships
*at time of application.***

Read financial aid letters carefully

Every semester matters!





Sports in College?

Register with...

NAIA Eligibility Center

or

NCAA Eligibility Center



ACTION ITEMS

- ☐ Create FSA ID
- ☐ Sign up for SAT or ACT
- ☐ Take career inventory
- ☐ Create list of schools
- ☐ Work on EU Local Scholarship Application – Due December 6th
- ☐ Do your best in ALL your classes
- ☐ Come to school every day on time!





Questions?



**Thank you for attending
Good luck Seniors!**
