



SAFE Program
Student and Family Empowerment

ACADEMIC INTERVENTION PROGRAM

Preparing College, Career and
Life Ready Graduates

Elk Grove Unified School District



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SAFE Program Information

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

COURSE REQUIREMENTS

CREDIT REQUIREMENTS

To graduate, a student must earn a minimum of 220 credits in grades 9-12. (Each semester class earns 5 credits; two semesters equals one year).

9th Grade

0 - 45 credits

10th Grade

50 - 105 credits

11th Grade

110 - 165 credits

12th Grade

165 credits and above

Subject (A-G)	Credits	Semester	A - G
English	40	8	(B) 4 years
Mathematics			(C) 3 years required
Intergrated Math I	10	2	
Intergrated Math II	10	2	(D) 2 years required
Chemistry / Physics	10	2	
Biology	10	2	N/A
Physical Education	20	4	
Geography*	5	1	(A) 2 years
Ethnic Studies	5	1	
World History	10	2	
United States History	10	2	
United States Government	5	1	(G) 1 year
Economics	5	1	
Electives	60	13	(F) 1 year
Fine Arts	10	2	
World Language*	10	2	(E) 2 years
TOTAL	220		

All students who plan to attend a University of California (UC) or California State University (CSU) after high school are required to complete the A-G Requirements with a grade of a "C" or better.

Even if you don't think you want to attend a four-year college right out of high school, taking these courses will leave more options open if you choose to do this later. A-G is more than college prep, it's life prep. Talk to your counselor to make sure you are in A-G courses.

CAREER PATHWAYS & FINANCIAL RESOURCES

CAREER & TECHNICAL EDUCATION



Employment Resources: Adult school, Vocational Training and Job opportunities.

Housing: Community Programs and Human Services.

Financial: General Assistance, CalFresh, Medi-Cal and public assistance.

FINANCIAL RESOURCES

FAFSA www.studentaid.gov

Cal Grants www.calgrants.org

CalKids www.calkids.org

Elk Grove Regional Scholarship www.elkgroversf.org

CA Dream Act www.dream.csac.ca.gov

Web Grants www.mygrantinfo.csac.ca.gov

CSS Profile www.cssprofile.collegeboard.org





FINANCIAL AID FOR COLLEGE

TYPES OF AID

Grants: Aid based on financial need and does not need to be repaid. Grants are available from the federal government, states, and individual colleges as well.

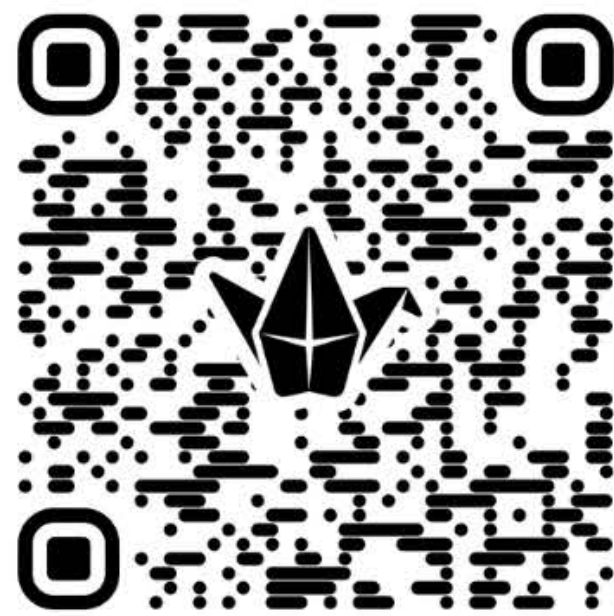
Scholarships: Free money for colleges that is usually based on merit or achievements (some are based on financial need or other requirements).

Loans: Borrowed funds that must be repaid with interest. Loans are available for both students and parents.

FAFSA Application Timeline: October - March

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