

Newcomer Academy

Newbury Park High School

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Newcomer Definition

“Newcomer is an umbrella term for foreign-born students who have recently arrived in the United States. Newcomer students may include, but are not limited to, asylees, refugees, unaccompanied youth, undocumented youth, migratory students, and other immigrant children and youth identified by the local educational agencies. Newcomer students come from many different countries and diverse cultural backgrounds. These students come to school with various levels of education experiences and speak a variety of languages, which may or may not include English.” (California Department of Education (CDE))

Why a Newcomer Academy

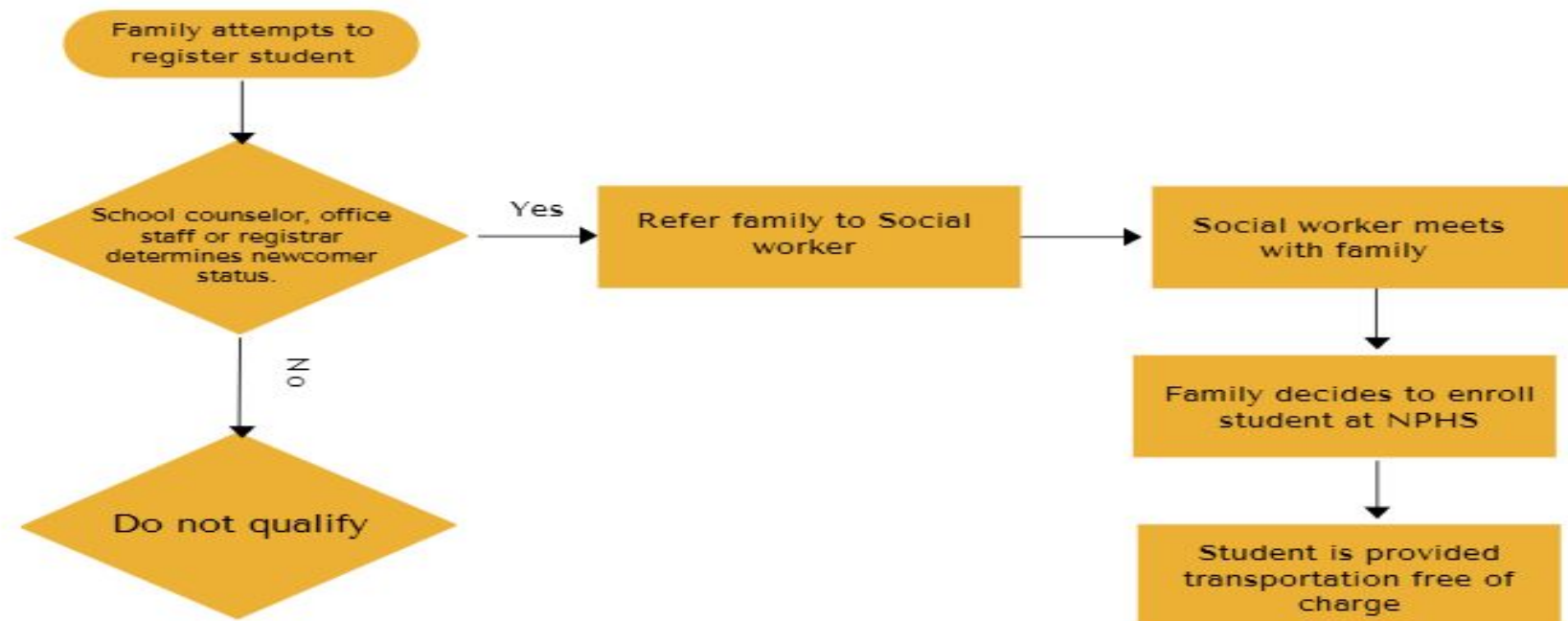
*The Academy allows for **reduced graduation credits** for those newly arrived to the U.S. as **juniors and seniors** or a **5th year of high school** through **AB2121**.*

Centralized services and supports to maximize resources for students and families

- *Specific scheduling cohorts*
- *Bilingual teachers and paraeducators*
- *Bilingual Social Worker*
- *Social/emotional support*
- *Community outreach and resources (e.g. housing, medical, dental, food, clothing)*
- *Targeted interventions*
- *Targeted presentations and trainings*
- *Integrated supports in non-ELD required course*

Newcomer Academy Enrollment at Newbury Park High School: 51

HOW STUDENTS ARE IDENTIFIED, INFORMED AND ENROLLED



NEWBURY PARK HIGH SCHOOL NEWCOMER ACADEMY

Dedicated to supporting multilingual students who are newly arrivals to the United States and are enrolled in grades 11 and 12.

The Newcomer Academy provides:

-  Full-time Bilingual Social Worker/ Counselor
-  Additional Academic & Social/Emotional Support Services
-  Tutoring Support
-  Potential credit reduction under AB2121
-  Free Transportation to/from Thousand Oaks & Westlake High School

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ESCUELA PREPARATORIA DE NEWBURY PARK ACADEMIA PARA RECIEN LLEGADOS

La academia apoya a los estudiantes multilingües que recientemente llegaron a los Estados Unidos y cursan en los grados 11 y 12.

La Academia para recién llegados ofrece:

-  Trabajadora social/consejera bilingüe de tiempo completo
-  Servicios adicionales en todas las áreas académicas y socio-emocional.
-  Tutoría
-  Posible disminución de créditos bajo la ley estatal AB2121
-  Transporte sin costo hacia/desde las preparatorias de Thousand Oaks y Westlake

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AB2121

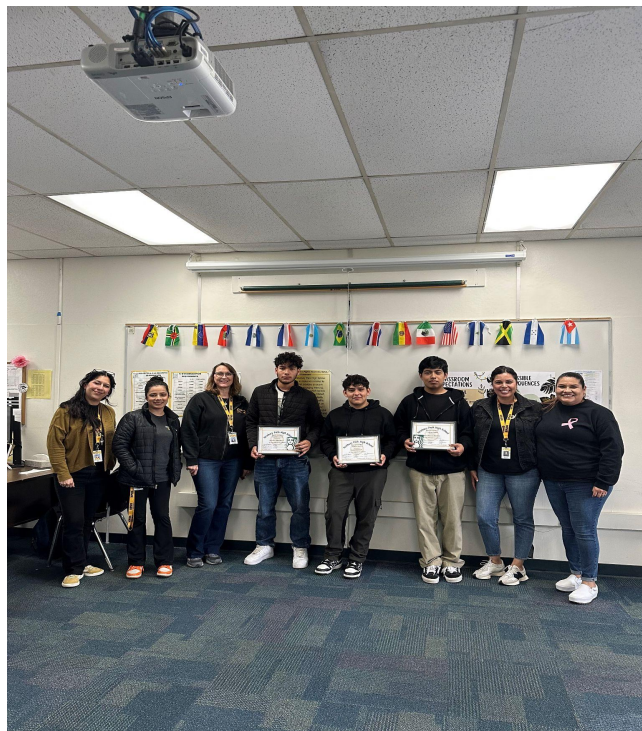
COURSE Requirements	District	AB 2121	Credits Completed	Credits Currently Enrolled		Credits Needed	Notes
				FALL	SPRING		
English	40	30					
Algebra	10	10					
Math	20	10					
Biological Science	10	10					
Physical Science	10	10					
World History	10	10					
US History	10	10					
Government and Civics	5	5					
Economics	5	5					
Visual-Performing Arts, or Foreign Language, or Career Technical Education	10	10					
Physical Education	20	20					
Health	5	--					
Electives	75	--					
Total Credits	230	130					

Requisitos del curso	Distrito	AB 2121	Créditos completados	Créditos actualmente inscritos		Créditos Necesario	Notas
				PRIMAVERA	DE OTOÑO		
Inglés	40	30					
Álgebra	10	10					
Matemáticas	20	10					
Ciencia biológica	10	10					
Ciencia física	10	10					
Historia mundial	10	10					
Historia de estados unidos	10	10					
Gobierno y civismo	5	5					
Ciencias económicas	5	5					
Artes visuales y escénicas, o idioma extranjero, o educación técnica profesional	10	10					
Educación Física	20	20					
Salud	5	--					
Optativas	75	--					
Creditos totales	230	130					

Newcomer Academy Sample Schedule

Typical Newcomer Schedule

- English Language Development (ELD)
 - Designated Standards
 - Integrated Literacy
- Specially Designed Academic Instruction in (SDAIE)
 - Social Science
 - Biology
 - Algebra Readiness
- Spanish for Native Speakers
- Physical Education
- Electives: Guitar, Art



Newcomer Academy Tutoring Center

- Monday through Thursday
- Peer Tutoring Services
- Average of 15 students per day
- Bilingual Facilitator and Social Worker are supporting students in addition to peer tutors
- Students who attend tutoring services have shown improvement in grades

TUTORING CENTER

2023-2024

- ✓ ENGLISH
- ✓ MATH
- ✓ SCIENCE
- ✓ HISTORY & MORE

MONDAY-THURSDAY
DURING LUNCH

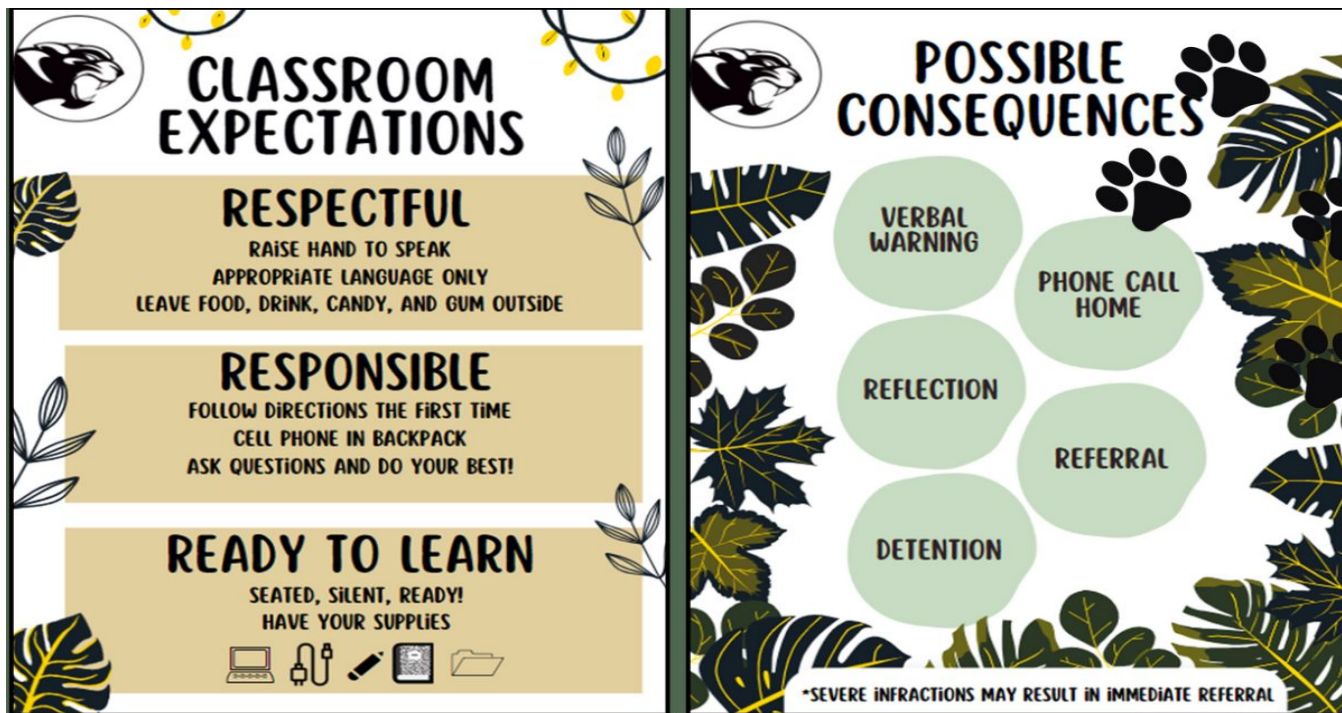


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Positive Behavioral and Interventions and Supports (PBIS)

"PBIS is an approach to support students' success. The framework believes that behavior is learned and can be changed. With clear and consistent expectations in place, students will learn appropriate behaviors in the same way they learn to read - through instruction, practice, feedback, encouragement, and support."



Social Worker/Counselor Roles & Responsibilities

- Provide social-emotional and academic support
- Offer counseling and crisis intervention
- Connect families to resources and make referrals
- Support college applications and scholarships
- Coordinate field trips and guest speakers
- Lead SEL groups and newcomer programs
- Collaborate with teachers, staff, and community partners
- Advocate for multilingual learners and underserved students

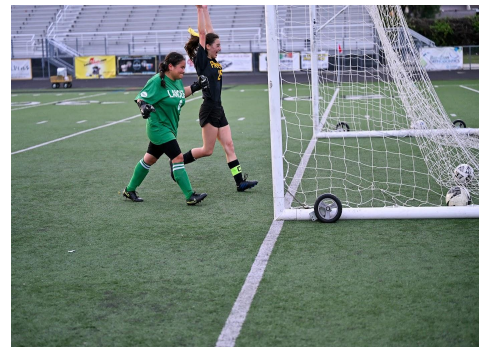
Additional Opportunities

- Guest Speakers Series
- Latino Connection Club
 - Field trips
 - Dance
 - Community service
- Field Trips
 - Port Hueneme Port
 - Moorpark College
 - Oxnard College
 - Trade Day
 - Natural History Museum
 - La Plaza de Cultura y Artes
- Sports
- Community Service with outside agencies (Safe passage, Adelante)

Student Field Trips



Las Panteras



Parent/Guardian and Family Outreach and Support



Newcomer Parent Meetings

Newcomer Families Orientation during early August

ELAC Parent Meetings
*College and Career Readiness
including Financial Aid*

Mental Health

*International Holiday
Celebration Awards*

*Cluster ELAC meeting with
Community resource fair*

End of the Year Celebration Awards

Community Resource Fair



Panther Pantry & Closet





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Questions