



ALAMEDA HIGH SCHOOL

COLLEGE AND CAREER NEWSLETTER

OCTOBER ISSUE



2026-2027

EVENTS

In-person College Visits for AHS students.

Thur 10/1	California Lutheran University	1:20pm Smart
Tues 10/6	UC Santa Barbara	1:20 pm Smart
Wed1 10/7	Citywide College Fair- Wood Middle School	6-8pm
Thur 10/8	University of British Columbia	1:20pm Smart
Tue 10/11	Butler University	1:20pm Smart
Thurs 10/15	Trinity College, Dublin	1:20pm Smart
Thur 10/15	Loyola Marymount University	1:20pm Smart
Tues 10/20	Worcester Polytecnic	1:20pm Smart
Tues 10/20	University of Southern California	1:20pm Smart
Thur 10/22	St Olaf	1:20pm Smart

Students need to login to SCOIR: Look for their "Me" tab and scroll down to "Events & Deadlines" to register for a visit

Volunteers Needed:

College Fair-October 7th 5-8pm, assist with Reps & door greeters, set up/clean up. See Ms Lori

Otis Elementary Fall Carnival, October 23rd 7-9 set up/October 24th, 11-3, event Sign up with Ms Lori E128/CCC

Donut Fun Run October 17th [volunteer here](#)

Champions League-Sundays in the Fall 2-4pm/Estuary Park more [info here](#)

College visits

JUNIORS: For those of you who wanted to take some practice tests this fall here are some options. Revolution Prep is offering two virtual practice exams this fall.

SAT Practice exam: October 24th 9-12:00pm online Free

ACT Practice exam: November 7th 9:00am-12:30pm online Free

(Please note: this is NOT the official test)

Register for one or both of these **PRACTICE** exams [HERE](#)

Standardized testing: If you want to take an ACT or SAT, please register for spring testing dates. UCs & CSUs will NOT be looking at ACT/SAT for admissions. (TBA February 2027)

Attend College visits!!! Start exploring what schools are visiting AHS. This will help you wrap you head around the different types of schools that are out there.

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Tues 10/27	Lehigh University	1:20pm Smart
Thurs 10/29	University of Minnesota-TC	1:20pm SMART
Thurs 10/29	Chapman University	1:20pm Smart
Tues 11/03	UC Davis	1:20pm Smart
Thurs 11/05	Dominican University of California	1:20pm SMART
Tues 11/10	University of San Francisco	1:20pm SMART
TH 11/12	California Institute of the Arts	1:20 pm Smart

SENIORS:

Ms. Lori's College Application Help sessions will be in-person. No sign up required.

Mark your calendars: Wednesday - 10/28, 11/4, and 11/18 2:30-5:30pm, Friday 10/23 10am (non student day)
Dates subject to change

College Applications:

What you need to get started:

1. personal email NOT your school email address.
2. Transcript
3. Social Security #

The [CSU application](#) opened August 1st, One application for all 22 campuses. This application is all data entry. This is a good application to have Ms. Lori look it over BEFORE you hit submit.

The [UC Application](#) is open. Seniors who are applying to a UC should begin their application now. Please don't wait to work on the data entry part of the application. Spend 30 minutes night completing a section or adding an activity.

The [FAFSA](#) application opens October 1st, create an account and complete as soon as you can. Do not wait until March 2, 2026 deadline.

**Cash for College Help Night @ Encinal High School
October 14th 6-8pm in the College/Career Center**

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Upcoming Local Events:

Cal State East Bay: Preview Day 2024 Overview - [Registration Link](#)
Saturday, October 24, 2026 10am-1pm

Discover Your Future at SF State! [Registration Link](#)
Saturday, October 17, 2026 | 9am-1:30pm

UC Berkeley Showcase - [Information Link](#)
Saturday, October 24, 2026 9am-3pm

Sonoma State University-Seawolf Discovery Day: [Registration Link](#)
Saturday, October 3, 9:30am-3pm

Another Scholarship Resource:

The goal at **Access Scholarships** is to connect high school, college, and graduate students with scholarship opportunities and other financial aid resources to help them navigate the (often complicated) world of higher education and paying for school. :

- [Scholarships for High School Juniors](#)
- [Scholarships for High School Seniors](#)
- [Scholarships for College Students](#) (also open to high school seniors)

Advice for Underclassmen:

- Every AHS student has a SCOIR account already. Check you ausdg.us email for a message from SCOIR. Accept the invitation!
- Come to a college presentation. I have some exciting schools coming to campus.

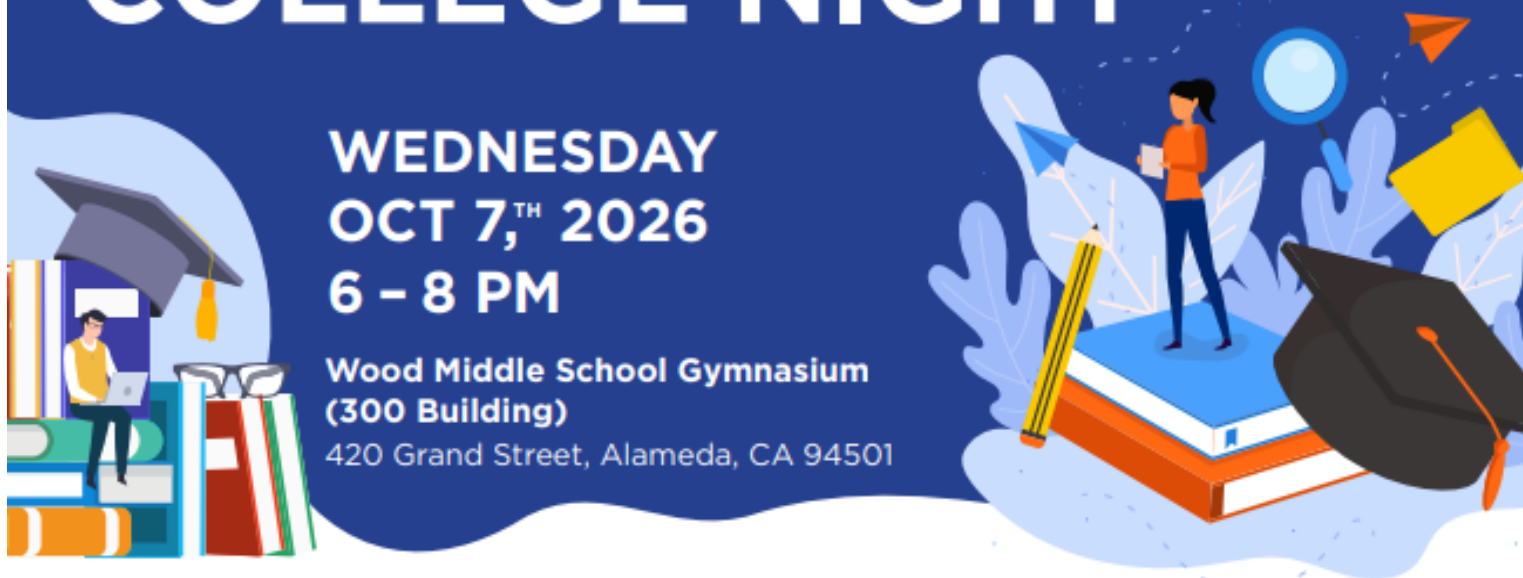
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The Alameda Unified School District &
St. Joseph Notre Dame High School present

THE 34TH CITYWIDE COLLEGE NIGHT

**WEDNESDAY
OCT 7TH 2026
6 – 8 PM**

**Wood Middle School Gymnasium
(300 Building)
420 Grand Street, Alameda, CA 94501**



Academy of Art University
Arizona State University
ArtCenter
Bard College
Berkeley City College
Boston University
Brandeis University
Butler University
Cal Poly San Luis Obispo
College of Alameda
CSU Chico
CSU East Bay
CSU Sacramento
Dominican University of California
Haverford College
Lewis & Clark
Miami University
Menlo College

Mount Holyoke College
Oregon State University
Purdue University
Reed College
Saint Mary's College of California
San Diego State University
San Francisco Bay University
Santa Clara University
Seton Hall University
SF Film School
Southern Oregon University
UC Berkeley
UC Davis
UC Irvine
UC San Diego
UC Santa Barbara
UC Santa Cruz
Universal Technical Institute

University of British Columbia
University of Nevada, Reno
University of Oregon
University of Pittsburgh
University of Puget Sound
University of San Francisco
University of Southern California
University of the Pacific
US Army
US Coast Guard
US Navy
Washington University in St. Louis
West Point Military Academy
Willamette University

