

Leveling the Playing Field: College Pathways Begin in the 9th Grade

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Today's Discussion

Incoming Chancellor Christian has set a challenge for California Community Colleges. Can we offer a college dual enrollment course to every 9th grader in the state? And can we ensure that every high school student completes 12 units or more of college credit before they graduate? Today we will explore this innovative vision and learn why it's an equity imperative.

Agenda

- Overview of 9th Grade to Baccalaureate
- Exemplar: KCCD-Bakersfield College and McFarland High
- Activity: Exploring the Field
- Concluding Comments



Overview of 9th Grade to Baccalaureate



Governor Newsom's CCC Roadmap

- Increase the percentage of TK-12 students who graduate with 12 or more college units earned through dual enrollment by 15%
- Establish pathways in those fields from high school through university, including development of Associate Degree for Transfer and transfer pathways along with dual enrollment opportunities that ensure transfer of community college credits toward degree programs.
- Close equity gaps in access to dual enrollment programs



The 9th Grade + 12 in HS Strategy

9th grade - 12 in 4

Every incoming ninth grader enrolls in a college course and developed a college ed plan which includes at least 12 college credits (eg: student development course)

Notes for consideration:

- 1. The class could be at the regular high school time with a highschool teacher. It becomes part of the default schedule (equity strategy) for the high school.*
- 2. Online options*
- 3. Equity metric - positively impact the proportionality index*

12 in HS - 12 in 4 or 12 in 3 or 12 in 2 or 12 in 1.

- 10th grade student - 12 in 3
- 11th grade student - 12 in 2
- 12th grade student - 12 in 1

Our asks

1. Could you implement the ninth grade - 12 in HS strategy or part of it starting in Fall 2023 with the incoming ninth grade class?
2. Could you expand dual enrollment opportunities to reach more students in 10th through 12th grade - 12 in 3, 12 in 2, 12 in 1?

Exemplar: KCCCD-Bakersfield College and McFarland High



Sample CTE Pathways

		Dual Enrollment – HS Instructor	At High School – College Instructor	Collaborative – BC Instructor & HS Support
	9 th Grade	10 th Grade	11 th Grade	12 th Grade
Ag Business	STDV B3	AGSB B3	AGBS B6	AGRI B1
Business	STDV B3	COMP B5	BSAD B64 + BSAD B68	BSAD B20 + BSAD B5
Education	STDV B3		EDUC B3 + EDUC B9	EDUC B5 + EDUC B6
Ind. Drawing	STDV B3	INDR B12	INDR B20A	INDR B20B
Photography	STDV B3	ART B16	ART B17	ART B46
Public Health	STDV B3	PBHS B20 + PBHS B21	PBHS B22 + PBHS B23	PBHS 24 + PBHS B48WE
			COMM B9	
Welding	STDV B3	WELD B1A + WELD B1B	WELD B53A + WELD B53B	WELD B54A + WELD B54B

Sample Degree/General Education Pathway

	Dual Enrollment – HS Instructor	At High School – College Instructor	Collaborative – BC Instructor & HS Support
	9 th Grade	10 th Grade	11 th Grade
English	English 9	English 10	English 11
Math	Algebra 1	Geometry	Algebra 2
Science	Earth Science	Biology	Chemistry
History	MUSC B27	HIST B1 + HIST B2	HIST B17A + HIST B17B
Language	Spanish 1	Spanish 2	SPAN B1 + SPAN B2
Electives	STDV B3	PSYC B1A	ANTH B1
PE	Health/PE	PE	
	Summer: COMM B1	Summer: HIST B30	Summer: POLS B1

Questions?

Questions about:

- Overview of 9th Grade to Baccalaureate
- Exemplar: KCCD-Bakersfield College and McFarland High

Please use the chat to ask your questions.

Thank you!

Activity: Exploring the Field



Activity Slide

What tools/training might be helpful as you design for 12 units?

Double click on a post-it & start typing

Any tool(s) that you'd like to share?
On a white post-it, add your college, name, and email. Thank you!

What do sites need to consider in designing for 12 units?

How to choose pathways? Designing supports Strategies for scale given limited capacity

Any promising practices you'd like to share?
On a white post-it, add your college, name, and email so that we may reach out.

How might we consider or partner with...

community based organizations (CBO's) business and industry

Any promising practices you'd like to share?
On a white post-it, add your college, name, and email so that we may reach out.

[Miro link](#) has been added to the chat, no log in needed.

Concluding Comments



Stay Tuned ...

AB 368 (Holden)

- CCAP participants can enroll in up to 15 units per semester regardless of course location
- CCAP participants granted priority enrollment

AB 359 (Holden)

- Technical Assistance for CCAP implementation

DuE Awards

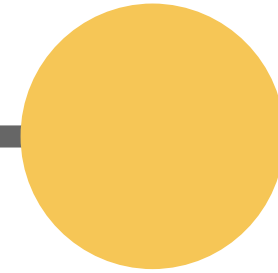
- We look forward to the Dual Enrollment Awards being announced soon!

Stay Tuned Cont...

- **College and Career Access Pathways (CCAP) Grant**- \$100 Million
 - \$100K per high school for creating new or expanding existing CCAP partnerships
- **Middle College and Early College Grant**- \$100 Million
 - \$250K per high school district for creating new or expanding existing Early College or Middle College High Schools
- **California Golden State Pathways Program Grant**- \$500 Million
 - Implementation Grants: Implementation grants are to support a grant recipient's ability to offer participating pupils high-quality college and career pathways opportunities consistent with the requirements of this chapter.

Thank you!

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