

College and Career Seminar



College and Career Seminar is your path to personal success and self-sufficiency. CCS is the first class in every pathway.

What is Career & College Seminar?

Career & College Seminar is a freshmen transition course with some important outcomes for students. C&C uses the [Get Focused, Stay Focused Curriculum](#) to prepare students for life beyond high school. Students with goals and steps to reach those goals for life after high school, make personalized and better choices during their high school and college career.

Why is this opportunity important for my child?

The [Get Focused, Stay Focused Curriculum](#) provided an impactful Freshmen Transition Model that has been shown to:

- Focus students on school programs which matches their interests
- Improve engagement in high school classes and programs
- Improve school grade while in high school
- Improve eligibility for colleges, technical training programs, and career entry
- Earn college credits at no cost, while in high school

How will this class benefit my child after high school?

- Students understand their lifestyle needs such as personal finance, family planning, and career interests.
- Students are prepared to choose a career which builds on their interests and strengths.
- Students are linked to college and career programs that match their interests and strengths.
- Students have earned college credit which can save time and money while attending
- Students are more likely to complete a college degree or technical program program.

What does C&C Offer that my students cannot get elsewhere?

- C&C is taught by a teacher dedicated to freshmen needs.
- This course builds the important relationship connections among all students and school.
- Every student develops a [10-Year Career & College Plan](#).
- Students receive Dual Enrollment Credit.

What is Dual Enrollment?

Students who are dual enrolled receive college credit and high school credit for attending classes on a high school campus. Classes eligible for dual enrollment start with Career and College Seminar (CCS). For example, a freshmen enrolled in CCS are simultaneously enrolled in Moorpark College during the course. As a high school student, the student will receive 5 units of high school credit and 3 units of college credit at the successful completion of the course.

What are the benefits of Dual Enrollment?

Dual enrollment students, including those who are underrepresented, often do as well or better than their nondual enrollment peers in the following areas:

- High school graduation rates
- High school Grade Point Average
- High school retention and on time graduation
- Proficiency on state assessments
- College grades and credit accrual
- Community college enrollment, retention and persistence rates

My 10 Year Plan



My 10 Year Plan is a website that enhances the textbook experience. The system gently guides, prompts, and where necessary, prods the learner through an ageless, in-depth decision-making process of developing a quantitative and meaningful 10-year career, education, and life plan and portfolio. Plus, because it is online, it can be shared with advisors, counselors, instructors, mentors, family, and friends, so they can continue to support the learner's dreams, goals and plans.

5 Essential Connections

Entrée to Employment Tours & Field Trips Guest Speakers College Fairs Job Shadowing