



# El Rancho High School

## College & Career Bulletin



“ The only way to do great work is to love what you do. If you haven't found it yet, keep looking. Don't settle. As with all matters of the heart, you'll know when you find it. ”

- Steve Jobs

### CSU Application EXTENDED DEADLINES:

- Bakersfield: March 1, 2018
- Fresno: May 31, 2018
- Maritime: January 1, 2018
- San Bernardino: August 28, 2018
- San Jose: June 1, 2018
- San Marcos: April 1, 2018

### Upcoming Events:

- Rio Hondo
- Assessment Test: Jan.17
- FAFSA Workshop: Jan. 27 in Horizons, 8am-12pm
- Career Fair: Feb 2

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### The Ultimate Guide to Choosing a Career

<https://www.thebalance.com/career-choice-or-change-4073353>

#### Step 1: Assess Yourself:

Your values, interests, soft skills, aptitudes, and your personality type, make some occupations a good fit for you and others completely wrong.

#### Step 2: Make a List of Occupations to Explore:

Once you have completed different career assessments you will have a list of possible career options that interest you.

#### Step 3: Explore the Occupations on Your List:

Find job descriptions and educational, training and licensing requirements. Learn about advancement opportunities. Use government-produced labor market information to get data about earnings and job outlook.

#### Step 4: Make Your Career Choice:

Pick the occupation that you think will bring you the most satisfaction. Realize that you are allowed do-overs if you change your mind about your choice at any point in your life. Many people change their careers at least a few times.

#### Step 5: Identify Your Goals:

Once you make a decision, identify your long- and short-term goals. Goals can include applying to college, apprenticeships, or other training programs, and doing internships.

#### Step 6: Write a Career Action Plan:

Put together a career action plan with all the steps you will have to take to reach your goals. Include any anticipated barriers that could get in the way of achieving your goals and the ways you can overcome them.

### Important Dates:

- August 15: Freshman first day
- August 16: First day of school
- November 20-24: Thanksgiving break
- December 21-January 5: Winter break
- January 8: Second Semester starts
- March 22: Future Frosh Night
- June 6: Last day of School

### Spring After school ROP classes

#### Career Internship

-Open Enrollment

#### CNA Nurse Asst.

Mon./Wed. or Tues./Thurs.

(4pm-8pm)

Plus 1 Sat./month

OR

Mon. -Thurs. (1:30pm -3:30pm)

Plus 1 Sat./month

Location: El Rancho Ed Center

### Need college or career advice?

Mrs. Cuevas, ROP College & Career Advisor

Monday, Thursday, & Friday, 2nd Floor in the Library, 7:00-3:30pm

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