

4-Year Colleges

- Offer 4-year degrees and graduate programs
- Open to high school graduates who apply, meet entrance requirements, and are accepted
- Must take specific high school courses (referred to as A-G courses), maintain a certain GPA and achieve specific score on the ACT or SAT. Maintain frequent contact with your counselor to make sure you are taking the correct courses and tests, and are maintaining an acceptable GPA.

California 4-year Colleges and Universities



www.ucop.edu/pathways

The University of California website.

The California State University

CSUMentor

www.csumentor.edu

CSUMentor is an online resource designed to help students and their families learn about the CSU system, select a CSU campus to attend, plan to finance higher education, and apply for admission.



www.aiccu.edu

There are more than seventy-seven (77) WASC accredited, degree granting, non-profit independent colleges and universities serving California. They emphasize teaching and learning, and focus on the individual student.

CaliforniaColleges.edu

The official source for college and career planning in California

www.californiacolleges.edu

This site is for students seeking career and academic advisement and other information on any college in California (public and private.) This site offers academic and career advice, financial aid information, campus tours, academic preparation guides, online applications, and other important facts about every public and private higher institution in California.

Other College Websites

“A-G” Certified Course List

<https://doorways.ucop.edu/list/>

Use this search engine to find a California high school or program's UC certified course list. The lists include the courses that have been certified as fulfilling the "a-g" subject requirements for admission to the University of California as a freshman.

AnyCollege.Net

www.anycollege.net

A college search site with more than 5500 institutions of higher learning for undergraduate, medical, vocational, and graduate programs.

Campus Tours

www.campustours.com

Virtual college tours of hundreds of colleges and universities.

CIP (College is Possible)

www.collegeispossible.org

General college information and information on paying for college.

COLLEGEdata

www.collegedata.com

This site will give you advice and tools to help you choose, prepare, apply and pay for college. You can also get college admission help and search for colleges and scholarships.

college.gov

www.college.gov

U.S. Dept. of Education site intended to inspire people to pursue education beyond high school. Sections include: [why go](#) - information on the benefits of getting more education after high school; [what to do](#) - Information to help plan and organize the path to college or other postsecondary education, and [how to pay](#) - information on money available to help pay for college or other postsecondary education.

CollegeView

www.collegeview.com

Just about anything you want to know about colleges, the application process, financial aid, life on campus, and careers and majors can be found at this site.

CollegeNET

www.collegenet.com

Search for colleges and apply online to over 500 colleges and universities.

College Opportunities On-Line

www.nces.ed.gov/ipeds/cool

At this U.S. Department of Education site, you can pull up profiles of over 9,000 colleges, including cost breakdowns and financial aid offered.

EduPrep

www.EduPrep.com/college.asp

This website claims to have a complete database of colleges from around the country, along with their requirements, cost, size, location, and in many cases virtual tours that let you look over the campuses on your own.

GoCollege

www.gocollege.com

A resource for financial aid, admissions, education options, and college survival.

nextSTEP Magazine

www.nextstepmagazine.com

Find colleges that match specific criteria, like location and majors, with the College Match Wizard. E-mail current college students, recent grads and admission personnel with college-planning questions.