North County Campus History
Courses have been taught in the North County since the mid 1960’s at various high school sites. In Fall 1998, the College opened the North County Campus located on 105-acres in Paso Robles, CA. The campus, initially established almost exclusively with private gift support, has grown from 1,200 students taking courses in modular buildings to over 3,000 students with four permanent buildings.

One College, Three Locations in San Luis Obispo County
All degree applicable courses taken at any Cuesta College location (San Luis Obispo, North County Campus in Paso Robles, South County Center at Arroyo Grande High School, or through Distance Education) apply towards a Cuesta College degree. Students can take courses at any site that will allow them to earn credits to transfer into the CSU / UC higher education systems.
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Please note parking permits are required for the North County Campus

STARTING POINT:

Campus Center
The Campus Center is a 43,000 square foot, two-story structure that houses a variety of student services such as academic counseling, admissions and records, and financial aid, in addition to a large dining area, bookstore, Student Health Center, two classrooms, Campus Safety, Cashiering, and the Student Life & Leadership / Cultural Center.

First Floor

- **Assessment Center** | Room N1002 | (805) 546-3951
  The Assessment Center provides a computer lab with 45 stations for services including testing, training, registration and instruction.

- **Student Life & Leadership / Cultural Center – ASCC Photo ID** | Room N1005 | (805) 546-3289
  Student Life & Leadership collaborates with various campus programs and organizations to develop, plan, and implement College activities and resources for students including housing assistance, food pantry, and a Social Club. Students can also pick up their ASCC Student ID Card and find out about discounts available to Cuesta students!

- **Veterans’ Resource Center** | Room N1008 | (805) 546-3142
  Veterans can expect to receive professional, courteous, and compassionate support as they pursue their educational and vocational goals at Cuesta. Appointments are available on Wednesdays between 9:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m. at the North County Campus Center.

- **Student Health & Mental Health Counseling** | Room N1013 (Outside Entrance) | (805) 591-6201
  Students can visit with a Nurse Practitioner for first aid treatment, illness assessment and referrals, health check-ups, and free over-the-counter medications. Students can also visit with a Psychologist for personal counseling and crisis prevention / intervention.

- **Bookstore** | Room N1017 | (805) 591-6206
  The bookstore sells textbooks, supplies, clothing, snacks, drinks, and much, much more!

- **Arts Classroom** | Room N1018 | (805) 546-3201
  The Fine Arts classroom provides a space for students to focus on the skills and knowledge for the studio practice and study of art.
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- **Cougar Dining Hall | Room N1022**
The state-of-the-art dining hall provides students a central place to gather and enjoy a quick bite to eat, courtesy of our Fresh & Natural vendor.

- **Campus Police | Room N1021 | (805) 591-6205**
The Cuesta College Police Department provides a variety of services to the North County Campus beyond campus safety, with officers on campus before, during, and after business hours. You can also visit our Campus Police for Lost & Found, or to pick up Parking Permits.

- **Cashier’s Office | Room N1020 | (805) 591-6217**
The Cashier’s Office assists students with questions regarding their student accounts. All transactions must be in cash or check. Paying with a debit or credit card can be done securely online with a students’ MyCuesta portal under the Student tab.

**Campus Center | Second Floor**

- **Dean's Office & Administration | Room N1129 | (805) 591-6220**
Dr. Maria T. Escobedo is the Dean of the North County Campus and Student Success and Support Programs. Visit the Dean and her administrative assistant to learn more about the history and vision for the Campus.

- **Enrollment Services / Admissions & Records | Room N1101 (Top of the Stairs) | (805) 591-6225**
Come to Enrollment Services for anything regarding Cuesta College, including Admissions, Registration, Academic Counseling, and Financial Aid.

- **Academic Counselors | Rooms N1120 – N1122 | (805) 591-6225**
Counselors provide personal, academic, and career counseling services. Students are strongly encouraged to see a counselor to ensure that they take the correct classes needed to achieve their academic goals. Make a virtual appointment online or by calling (805) 591-6225 to schedule time with an Academic Counselor.

- **Financial Aid | Room N1117 – N1118 | (805) 591-6225**
The Financial Aid Office administers student loans, federal grants, work opportunities, and scholarships. No appointment is required - walk-in appointments are available year-round!

- **Monarch Dream Center | Room N1123**
The Monarch Dream Center facilitates access to Cuesta’s services as well as local and state resources to ensure the personal and academic success of the undocumented students and their families. We are committed to providing a welcoming space where students and their families can feel safe, valued and supported.
University Center | Room N1124
Representatives from Columbia College’s four-year institution provides admissions counseling during the academic year. Check back for more information on other colleges and universities visiting Cuesta to provide admissions counseling services to our students.

Multi-Purpose Classrooms | Room N1113 & N1115
Two multi-purposes classrooms are located in the Campus Center to provide students with a state-of-the-art learning experience on any subject.

Continuing Education & English as a Second Language | Room N1109 | (805) 591-6273
The Continuing Education department prepares students for transitioning to post-secondary education through their GED program and promotes lifelong learning through the Emeritus Program with courses that affirm and foster one’s sense of individual accomplishment, value, and dignity. The ESL program offers evening classes focusing on reading, writing, grammar, and conversation from beginning to advanced levels.

Bienvenidos, El programa de Inglés como Segunda Lengua (ESL) ofrece clases enfocadas en lectura, escritura, gramática y conversación desde un nivel principiante hasta un nivel avanzado.

CaFE | Rooms N1103 – N1107 | (805) 591-6214
The CaFE department is comprised of four services: CalWORKs, Foster Youth, Extended Opportunity Programs and Services (EOPS), and Cooperative Agencies Resources for Education (CARE). The CaFE Center on the North County Campus provides comprehensive support, services, and resources to students who qualify for one or more of these programs.

Open Computer Lab | Room N1130
The open computer lab is available for students to work on coursework, academic research, application assistance, and applying for financial aid.
Science courses and faculty offices are the focus in this building

- **Nursing and Allied Health Division**
  Career Technical Education programs and courses offered on our North County Campus include Emergency Medical Services including Technician, Medical Assisting, Paramedic, and Phlebotomy. The Psychiatric Technician Program is taught offsite at Atascadero State Hospital.

- **Certified Nursing Assistant (CNA) Program**
  The CNA course is a nine-week course offered on the North County Campus during the first half of the spring and fall semesters. Upon passing the CNA certification test, students are prepared for employment in hospitals, skilled nursing facilities, or private duty nursing at the Nursing Assistant level.

- **Licensed Vocational Nursing (LVN) Program**
  The LVN program offered on the North County Campus prepares students for entry-level vocational nursing positions in a variety of healthcare settings. Upon completion of the program, graduates are eligible to take the National Vocational Nursing Licensure examination (NCLEX-PN).

- **Student Lounge**
  Find a comfortable spot to study and relax in between classes, as well as utilize the coin-operated copy machine available to students.

**NEXT STOP:**

**N2800 Building | Math Annex Classrooms**
Cuesta offers a wide variety of math courses, from arithmetic fundamentals to differential equations. This Annex also houses emergency medical services courses.
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NEXT STOP:

BUILDING N3100 / N3200 | SCHWARTZ LEARNING CENTER (LRC)*
*All tour stops are on the first floor

- **Library** | Room N3113 | (805) 591-6211
  Computers and printers are available to students, and group and individual study rooms are available upon request.

- **Disabled Student Programs and Services (DSPS)** | Room N3121 | (805) 591-6215
  DSPS provides testing, general assistance, and accommodations to students with a variety of learning disabilities that can interfere with a students’ ability to read, comprehend, or perform academically.

- **Student Success Center / Academic Tutoring** | Rooms N3129-N3130 | (805) 591-6242
  Tutoring is available for all subjects to all students. Please stop by to see how the Student Success Center can help you achieve your academic goals!

NEXT STOP:

N4000 BUILDING | SHULTZ EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION CENTER

- **Children’s Center** | (805) 591-6292
  Opened in Spring 2021, the mission of the Children’s Center is to serve as a hands-on educational laboratory for the students enrolled in the College’s Early Childhood Education program, and to provide an early learning program for young children ages 18-months to 5 years of age.

NEXT STOP:

N5001 BUILDING | KINESIOLOGY ACTIVITY CLASSROOM

The Kinesiology, Health Sciences, and Athletics Department offers a broad curriculum to serve a diverse student population in meeting their educational goals in the areas of fitness, wellness, movement science, sports medicine, recreation, and health. Students can explore majors and certificates in Kinesiology, Recreation Administration, Fitness Training, Sports Medicine, Health Science, and Public Health.
LAST STOP:

N5300 BUILDING | CAGLIERO PLANT SCIENCE FACILITY

The Agriculture Program at Cuesta College includes courses in Agriculture Business, Plant Science, Agriculture Mechanics, and Viticulture (beginning in Spring 2019). Students can earn their Associates Degree and gain hands-on exposure through a working laboratory on the North County Campus that features greenhouses, raised planter beds, large shade structures, and a vineyard (started Spring 2019).

Thank you for taking a tour of the Cuesta College North County Campus!