



WELCOME TO **PROMISE DAY**

A day for all local high school seniors!

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 18, 2019

9:30 AM – 1:00 PM

San Luis Obispo Campus

THE CUESTA PROMISE



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9:00–9:30AM	Students Arrive
9:00–9:35AM	Free Throw Competition
9:35–9:55AM	Speakers
10:00–10:15AM	Promise Steps
10:30–11:00AM	Session 1
11:15–11:45AM	Session 2
12:00–1:00PM	Lunch, Resource Fair & Giveaways
1:00PM	Event Commences

PRESENTATIONS

PRESENTED AT SESSION ONE (10:30–11:00AM) & SESSION TWO (11:15–11:45AM)

STUDENT SUCCESS CENTERS

SUCCESS TIPS FOR FIRST YEAR STUDENTS

Jamie Bettencourt, Academic Success Coach & Alysha Nye, Academic Success Coach
Room 2205

This interactive workshop, led by Cuesta's Academic Success Coaches, will include live-polling and discussions with students focusing on the shift from high school to college. Particular emphasis is put on the existing supports available on campus for students. Coaches will introduce the concept of FERPA and talk about specific tips and strategies for first-year students.

ENGINEERS WITHOUT BORDERS

ENGINEERING THE FUTURE

Jeff Jones, The Engineers Without Borders club
Room 4117

The engineering department and the Engineering Without Borders club invites you to have a discussion about how engineers are solving today's problems, from designing safe water solutions to building a clinic to providing energy access.

PHYSICAL SCIENCES

EXPLORE THE UNIVERSE—THE DIVISION OF PHYSICAL SCIENCES

Bret Clark, Lara Baxley, Greg Baxley, Jim Eickemeyer
Room 2609

Considering pursuing a career in science? Want to do some science today? Have you ever seen anyone carve a pumpkin with an explosion? Visit the Division of Physical Sciences—which includes geology, oceanography, astronomy, chemistry, and physics! Our faculty will give you information about earning a degree with us, careers to pursue, and answer any and all questions you have about our classes and programs. The REAL excitement begins once you get in on the science with the hands-on activities, like our spectacular Blue Bottle Experiment (manipulate a chemical reaction with a flick of your wrist!). Or check out our faculty-led demonstrations! End your visit with an explosive pumpkin carving demonstration (a chemist's favorite way to get the job done)! There is so much to see and do when you visit the Division of Physical Sciences!

FINE ARTS

TOUR OF THE ART DEPARTMENT

Doug Highland, Magnolia Stork, Brittany Mojo, Canguo Liu, Margaret Korisheli
Art Gallery (7170)

An opportunity to visit all of the studio areas of the art department, meet faculty and see projects in the making. We will visit the painting and drawing studios, printmaking studio, sculpture studio including a foundry, ceramics studio, digital photography lab and black and white photo darkroom and a digital art/graphic design lab where there will be a 3D printing demo.

ENGINEERING & TECHNOLOGY, EET, NUCLEAR MAINTENANCE TECHNOLOGY

DIABLO CANYON CUESTA COLLEGE EDUCATIONAL PARTNERSHIP

Alan Ross
Room 4118

The Diablo Canyon Power Plant and Cuesta College have formed an Educational Partnership in order to supply Diablo Canyon with highly skilled Electrical, Mechanical, and Instrumentation & Control Technicians for the remainder of DCCP's operational life, and the following 20 year, 4 Billion dollar decommissioning project. This program includes: 60 day paid (\$31.00/hr) Summer Internships, Hands-on Labs at DCCP's Maintenance Training Facility lead by their training staff, National Academy for Nuclear Training (NANT) Certification.

BUSINESS/ACCOUNTING/ECONOMICS

CAREERS IN BUSINESS/ACCOUNTING/ECONOMICS

Susan Kline & Former Cuesta Students
Room 2608

Hear from former Cuesta students who are now employed in business about what their jobs are like and ask questions about their college and/or job experience.

CRIMINAL JUSTICE

HIDDEN IN PLAIN SIGHT: CRIMINAL INVESTIGATIONS

Frank Vanecek, Stacy Millich
Room 2606

Come and see how law enforcement uncovers hidden clues at a crime scene with Frank Vanecek, a former law enforcement officer and Stacy Millich, an attorney. Also enjoy a sneak peek at the fascinating world of criminal justice and the criminal justice courses offered at Cuesta.

COUNSELING

ASSOCIATE DEGREES FOR TRANSFER AND UC TRANSFER ADMISSION GUARANTEES

Thea Labrenz
Room 3308

The session will cover the options available for community college students to qualify for a "guaranteed" admission to the California State University (CSU) and the University of California (UC). The programs described in this session will include the "A Degree with a Guarantee" program at the CSU, and the "TAG" (Transfer Admission Guarantee) program at the UC. This session is for students who plan to attend a community college after graduation from high school, in order to prepare for transfer as an upper division student into the CSU or UC system.

FINANCIAL AID

FINANCIAL AID 101

Griffin Mitchell, Julie Salgadoh

Room 6103

When it comes to financial aid for college there's something for everyone, regardless of your income, age, grades, or immigration status. Learn more about all the different ways you can finance your college education. Some topics include the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA), The California Dream Act Application, grants, scholarships, work-study and more! Don't miss this chance to learn about how you can get the financial resources you need to support your college education!

STUDENT HEALTH CENTER

GET A POSITIVE LIFE STYLE WHILE HAVING FUN

Nicole Johnson, Andrea Echeverri

Health Center (3150)

At the Student Health Center, we believe in the importance of promoting health and well-being as part of our students' lifestyle. We support students and help them learn valuable skills they need to make healthy and smart choices throughout their lifetime. During our session we'll provide some easy tips to get a healthy life style while having fun: Games, active conversation, health challenge!

DRAMA/PERFORMING ARTS/TECHNICAL THEATER

SCENERY CONSTRUCTION METHODOLOGY—HANDS ON LAB

Richard Jackson

Science Shop (7319)

In this 30 minute seminar, We will cover the basics of wood joinery used in the fabrication of stage scenery and props. This session is hands on! We will be working with cordless drills and impact drivers to create the most common stage scenery joints.

MUSIC

SINGING, CHOIR, JAZZ AND POP VOCALS

John Knutson, Cassandra Tarantino

Room 7104

Both Explore your voice. Everyone loves to sing, and now is your chance to unlock that love from your car or shower. If you have stage/performing experience, we have two internationally renowned touring and recording vocal groups. We have a class or ensemble for every level at Cuesta College. Come see what we have, and learn what your voice can do. At this session, you will sing, do body percussion, and/or vocal percussion. And be silly. BEWARE: In the end you will want to join one of our vocal classes.

CULINARY ARTS AND HOSPITALITY DEPARTMENT

CULINARY ARTS & HOSPITALITY: CREATING MEMORIES THROUGH FOOD, TRAVEL, AND EVENTS!

Sean Nolan, Kendi Root, Elisabeth DeSwart

Room 2202

Does the idea of putting together the perfect event experience or delicious, nutritious meal get your juices flowing? Does the thought of meeting and assisting people from all over the world and working in an industry that transits the globe excite you? If so... prepare for your Culinary or Hospitality journey with Cuesta College!

Our Culinary Arts and Hospitality programs provide a solid foundation to prepare students to work in the culinary and hospitality industry. Both degrees and certificates in Hospitality and Culinary Arts will be highlighted at this session, from non-credit certificates to credit certificates and the Associate Degree of Transfer, which guarantees the student enrollment as a Junior in a CSU. Come learn more about the many career options for Culinary and Hospitality majors such as chef, event planner, caterer, hotel manager, and more!

LIBRARY/DE

SOS @ THE CUESTA LIBRARY: "SECRETS OF SUCCESS"

Carina Love, Denise Fourie, Sharon Haupt, Laurie Buchholz, Anthony Neumann

Library (3200)

Uncover the secrets to being a successful student @ the Cuesta Library. We offer: help with computers & online learning; quiet study & collaborative space; textbooks for classes; access to online resources; assignment & research help; a place to destress with art, events, snacks. Explore the library, the heart of the campus.

EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION/ABS

CONSIDERING A CAREER WORKING WITH YOUNG CHILDREN? THIS SESSION IS FOR YOU!

Michele Gordon Johnson, Katie Mervin

Room 4028

Our Early Childhood Education Degrees provide a solid foundation for students in Child Development and prepare students (through hands-on experience) to work with children from infancy into middle childhood in a variety of environments. Learn more about the many career options for Early Childhood Education majors! Whether you are interested in teaching preschool, teaching elementary school, working with a foster care agency, working with children with special needs, or pursuing a career as a Play Therapist, Parent Educator, or a Speech Pathologist—this session is right for you.

ENGLISH

BEING AN ENGLISH MAJOR IS LIT!

Sally Demarest, Matthew Fleming, Steve Leone, Amelia Marini, Sarah Miller

Room 6106

Come on by, grab a couch, and find out why being an English major will get you to places (and careers) beyond your wildest imagination. You will get the chance to chat with some English professors about your interests, English major success stories, and what kinds of futures an English major can offer you. We will also share the kinds of classes you can take at Cuesta—all while munching on delicious snacks.

HUMAN DEVELOPMENT/HUMAN SERVICES

PATHWAYS TO PROFESSIONS IN ADDICTION TREATMENT, SOCIAL WORK, AND SOCIAL JUSTICE

Denae Boggs, Bailey Drechsler

Room 6301

Do you have a passion for making a difference in people's lives?! Come learn about multiple pathways and professions within the Human Development/Human Services Department.

Pathways presented will include: The Human Development/Human Services (HDHS) AA is an interdisciplinary degree in Applied Behavioral Sciences. This degree concentrates in psycho-social development across the life span with emphases in identity development, the family system, and human services. The HDHS AA prepares students to transfer or pursue a paraprofessional career in human services, such as parenting coach/educator, support counseling, and crisis management.

Addiction Treatment Studies Program includes an AA and certificate designed to prepare students for future careers in the growing field of drug and alcohol counseling.

Social Work and Human Services ADT emphasizes the application of behavioral sciences within a variety of cultural contexts. As a profession, Social Work and Human Services focuses on methods for helping people from many different social groups to improve the quality of their lives.

Social Justice Studies ADT is an interdisciplinary program with a focus on equity and social change, preparing students for seamless transfer into Ethnic Studies, Gender Studies, Social Justice Studies, and related majors in the CSU system.

KINESIOLOGY, HEALTH SCIENCES, ATHLETICS, RECREATION

EXPLORING HEALTH, FITNESS, AND MOVEMENT—A WELLNESS CAREER

Allison Head, Jenel Guadagno, Angela Neary

Room 1105

Students will have an opportunity to participate in hands-on fitness and recreational games and experiences while learning about what it takes to have a career in the health, movement, and fitness fields.

LATINX/CHICANX STUDENT CLUBS INVOLVEMENT

WHY JOIN A CHICANX/LATINX CLUB? FIND OUT!!

Janet Florez club advisor and a panel of 3 students from each of the three clubs.

3100 Quad Area

Learn how student activism, leadership, and culturally relevant engagement with students from similar backgrounds can help you be a successful student. MEChA, Undocumented Dreamers, and Latino Leadership club members will share the rewards of being in a Latinx/Chicanx club. Come see how to join one or more of these clubs, go on amazing camping and field trips, and make new life long friends.

OUTREACH AND ENROLLMENT SERVICES

GETTING STARTED AT CUESTA COLLEGE

Enrollment Success Specialist

Room 3309

Want to start your Cuesta Journey today? This workshop will walk you through the steps needed to apply at Cuesta College.

ENGINEERING TECHNOLOGY BROADCASTING

DEMONSTRATION OF COLLEGE RADIO STATION AND 3 CAMERA TV STUDIO

John Arno, Denasee Atwood

Room 6101

Students will participate in a hands-on demonstration of Cuesta's radio station and TV studio. They will be able to DJ, operate cameras, act as talent, operate graphics, switchers, microphones, etc.

NURSING AND ALLIED HEALTH

NURSING AND ALLIED HEALTH PROGRAMS

Monica Millard, Ann Miller, Danny Lynch

Location: 2509

The purpose of this session is to introduce students to the programs offered within the Nursing and Allied Health division. The session will provide students with a flyer highlighting all of the 8 programs along with information regarding the requirements for each of them. The session will also highlight the CSU-Monterey Bay Collaborative Pathway which offers students the opportunity to earn a Bachelor's degree while completing the nursing program.

PRESENTED AT SESSION ONE (10:30-11:00am) ONLY

SOCIAL SCIENCES

COME SOCIALIZE WITH THE SOCIAL SCIENCES

Lise Mifsud (Anthropology), Lisa DeFraga (History), Chris Gilbert (Philosophy)

Room 6304

Come and socialize with the social sciences! We will briefly introduce you to our courses in: Anthropology, Geography, History, Philosophy, Psychology, Political Science and Sociology. Learn about these classes to help you complete your schedule!

MUSIC, PERFORMING ARTS, JAZZ STUDIES

JAZZ DEPARTMENT

Ron McCarley

Room 7160

Come see how you can be a part of the award winning Cuesta Jazz Program! This overview will explain how the program works, how to get involved and show our facilities. But even more important that this is meeting the instructors and hearing them play music for you.

PRESENTED AT SESSION TWO (11:15-11:45am) ONLY

MUSIC/AUDIO TECHNOLOGY

RECORDING AND AUDIO TECHNOLOGY

George Stone, Dave Becker

Room 7160

Explore the possibilities of an exciting future career in the entertainment industry. Audio Technology provides the necessary skills to help you learn the art of recording, editing, mixing and producing music, while using the finest and most current professional equipment available. Completing the 16.0 Unit program will earn you a Certificate of Specialization in Audio Technology. Come see our demo today!

PHYSICAL SCIENCES

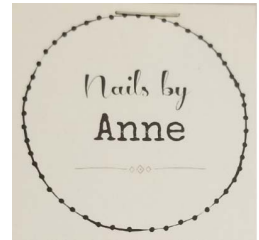
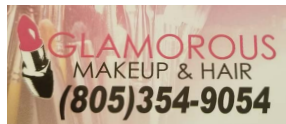
GEOGRAPHIC INFORMATION SYSTEMS (GIS) CERTIFICATE PROGRAM AT CUESTA COLLEGE

Feride Schroeder

Do you ever wonder how your Google Maps or Apple Maps on your smartphone work? These apps use geospatial technology to collect, store, analyze and display data. Simply put, GIS allows you to visualize your data on a map. Geospatial technology is an information technology field that uses a variety of tools to make maps to support decision-making for scientists, business analysts, and engineers. The certificate will provide students with a solid foundation in Geographic Information Systems. The program was developed in collaboration with local industry experts to develop courses and work experience opportunities that will prepare students for entry level GIS technician positions or continue their education for higher degrees.



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