

# 10<sup>th</sup> Grade Meeting

Counselor Presentation

2022

# Counselors



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# Meeting logistics

- Type your questions in the Q&A and we'll address them as soon as we can. We will not be monitoring the chat!
- Please stay on mute to optimize sound for all.
- We are recording this live session!

# Graduation Requirements

**230 credits** needed for graduation

- Each semester class is **5** credits.
- Year-long classes are **10** credits total.
- Students complete about **30** credits a semester (6 classes).
- Students need to complete **60** credits a year to stay on track for graduation.

[How to read your graduation status report](#)

[How to read your transcript](#)

# Graduation Requirements

Subject	# of years required
<b>History</b> (Social Science) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- 10th grade: World History/AP Euro</li> <li>- 11th grade: US History/AP US History</li> <li>- 12th grade: Government/Econ or AP Govt/AP Econ</li> </ul>	3 years*
<b>English</b>	4 years
<b>Math</b> (minimum of geometry)	2 years*
<b>Science</b> Physical Science (i.e.: Earth & Space, Chem, Physics) Biological Science (i.e.: Bio, Anatomy, Mic/Mar Bio)	1 year 1 year

# Graduation Requirements

Subject	# of years required
<b>Physical Education (PE)</b>	2 years*
<b>Practical Art</b> (i.e. classes like aircrafts, wood shop, photo, digital media, etc.)	1 year* (3rd year of language waives this requirement)
<b>Fine Art</b> (i.e. classes like art, drama, photo, etc.)	1 year
<b>Health and Careers</b>	1 year*
<b>Electives</b>	Remainder of credits needed to complete 230 credits

# Graduation Requirements

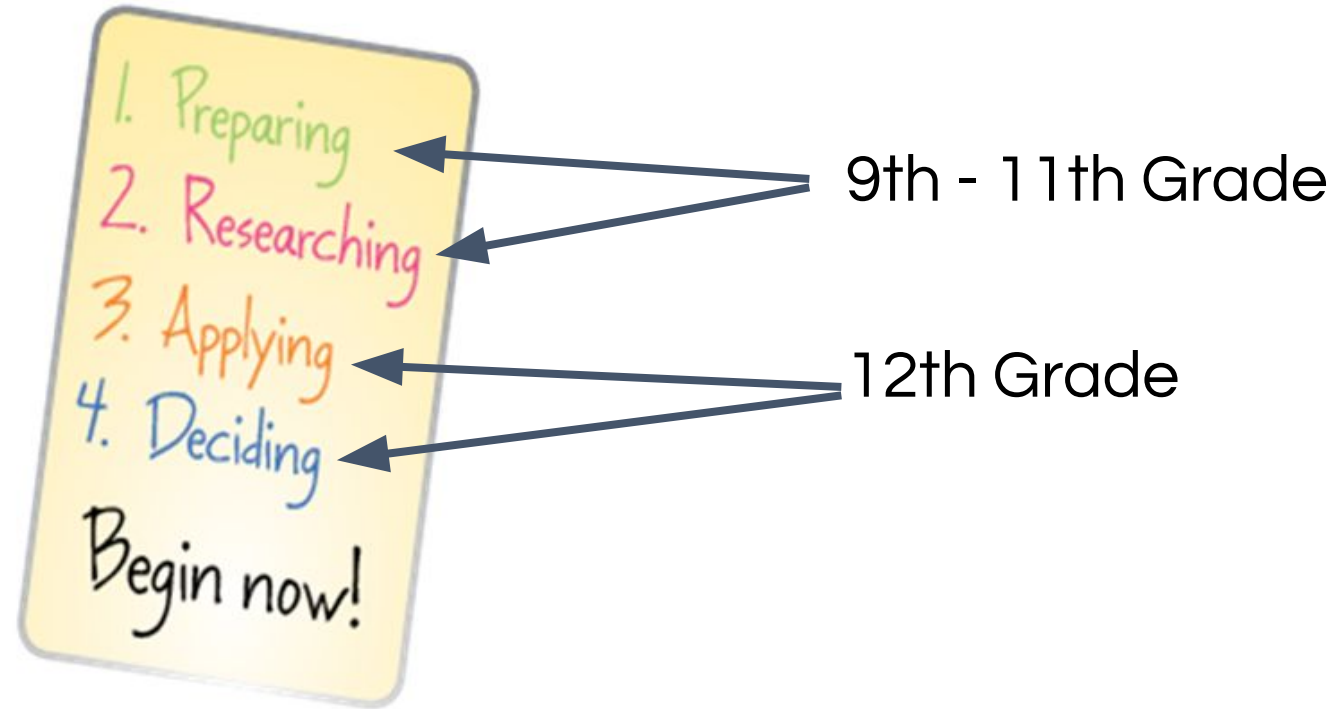
**10 Service learning hours** (total throughout the 4 years)

**100+ hours of service will earn you special recognition at graduation**

[Current list of approved service learning locations](#)



# College Admissions Process



**Preparing** = Focus on grades, taking rigorous courses, researching test requirements, and other factors for college admission

**Researching** = Find majors and colleges for the student

# College Peer Mentors



<https://bit.ly/CPMwebsite>

# What are my options post-high school?

Community  
College

4-year College

Trade School

Apprenticeships

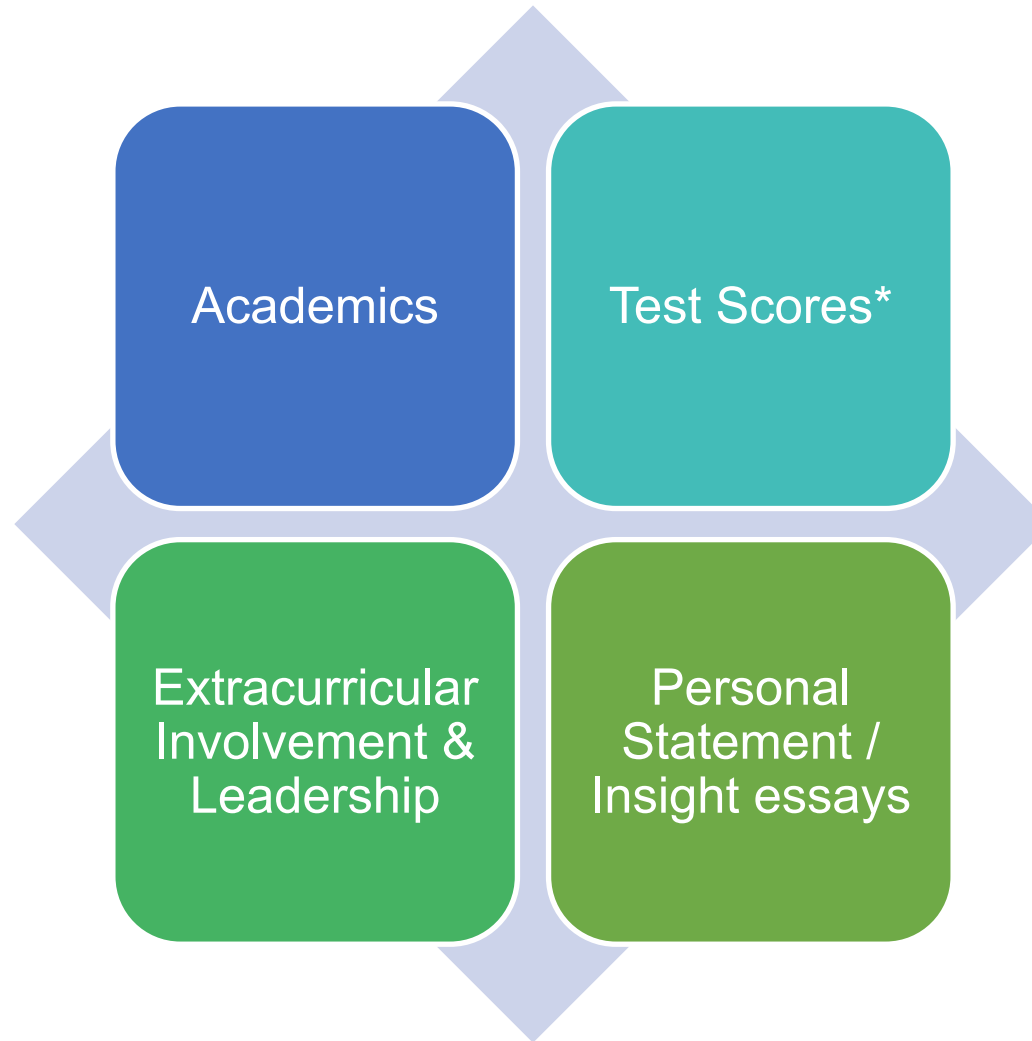
Work

Military

# Comparison of Different Colleges

	Community Colleges	Cal States (CSU)	UC or Private Schools
<b>Requirements</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>High School Diploma OR 18 years of age</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>2.0 - 2.5 GPA</b></li> <li>Completion of all A-G requirements with a grade of C or higher</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>3.0 GPA</b></li> <li>Completion of all A-G requirements with a grade of C or higher</li> <li><b>Personal statement/personal insight questions</b></li> <li><b>Recommendations (Private Only)</b></li> </ul>
<b>Deadline</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Rolling admission/Spring</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Oct. 1 - Nov. 30</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Aug 1 - Nov. 30 for UCs</li> <li>Private deadlines vary</li> </ul>
<b>Optional</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Honors program/Transfer Guarantee</li> </ul>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>SAT or ACT (?!)</li> </ul>
<b>Does NOT Require</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>SAT or ACT</li> <li>Recommendations</li> <li>Essays</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>SAT or ACT (**CSUs will be test blind for 2022)</li> <li>Recommendations</li> <li>Essays</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>SAT or ACT (**UCs will be test blind))</li> </ul>

# So what are colleges looking for?



# Academics

- Focus on your GPA (2.0 min for CSU and 3.0 min for UC)
- A-G completion required
- No Ds or Fs even in weighted classes
- Consider the rigor of your coursework
- Make realistic choices when creating your college list
  - Think about reach schools, match schools, and “safe” schools

# A-G Requirements

These are the *minimum requirements* you need to complete for admission to a University of CA (UC) or California State University (CSU).

All classes must be completed with a grade of C or better.

C = College

# A-G Requirements

Many of the A-G requirements are the same as our graduation requirements. Let's go over which areas are different.

A grade of D will earn you credit for a class at JBHS.  
D = diploma



# A-G Requirements

Subject	# of years required
<b>Math</b> (minimum of Algebra 2)	3 years
<b>Physical Education</b> (PE)	Not required
<b>Practical Art</b> (i.e. classes like aircrafts, wood shop, photo, digital media, etc.)	Not required
<b>Health and Careers</b>	Not required
<b>Language other than English</b>	2 years of the same language required

# To test or not to test...

If your GPA is a 2.0 or higher, consider applying to a Cal State University (CSU): <http://bit.ly/CSUtesting2021>

If your GPA is a 3.0 or higher, consider applying to a University of CA (UC): <http://bit.ly/UCtesting2021-24>

Check for private and out of state schools!

[USC is test optional for 2024](#)

[Stanford is test optional for 2022...](#)

# Fee Waivers

If you are eligible for free or reduced priced lunches, you may be eligible for **FEE WAIVERS** for the following:

- SAT, ACT, and AP Tests
- 4 Cal State applications
- 4 UC applications
- Private College applications
- Grade improvement classes (Scholarship)

**Please bring a copy of your district issued letter to your JBHS counselor.**

**\*To apply or check for eligibility:**

**<https://www.busdfoodservices.com/index.php?sid=1101131625567654&page=lunchapps>**

# Extracurricular Activities

- Explore passions and career interests
- Develop real-life skills
- Strengthen your college application
- Lead to higher academic performance

[TeensVolunteer.org](https://www.TeensVolunteer.org)

[College Deans Respond to COVID 19](#)

# Personal Statement or Essay

- Insight into your personality
- Evidence of writing skills
- Explanation of extenuating circumstances
- Your reasons for applying to this college

[UC Personal Insight Questions](#)

<https://www.commonapp.org/apply/first-time-students> (scroll down to step 6 - Plan Essays)

# So what do I need to be doing now?

- ❑ Focus on your grades! If you are having trouble in a class, make sure you talk to the teacher. UCs and CSUs will review 9th grade grades, but they only use 10th and 11th grade grades for admission GPA!
- ❑ Consider taking the PSAT in October 2022 (if it's offered) to get personalized feedback and plan to get ready for the SAT.
- ❑ Start researching colleges and possible majors.
- ❑ Get involved in extracurricular activities. Consider leadership roles.
- ❑ You can start applying for scholarships now!

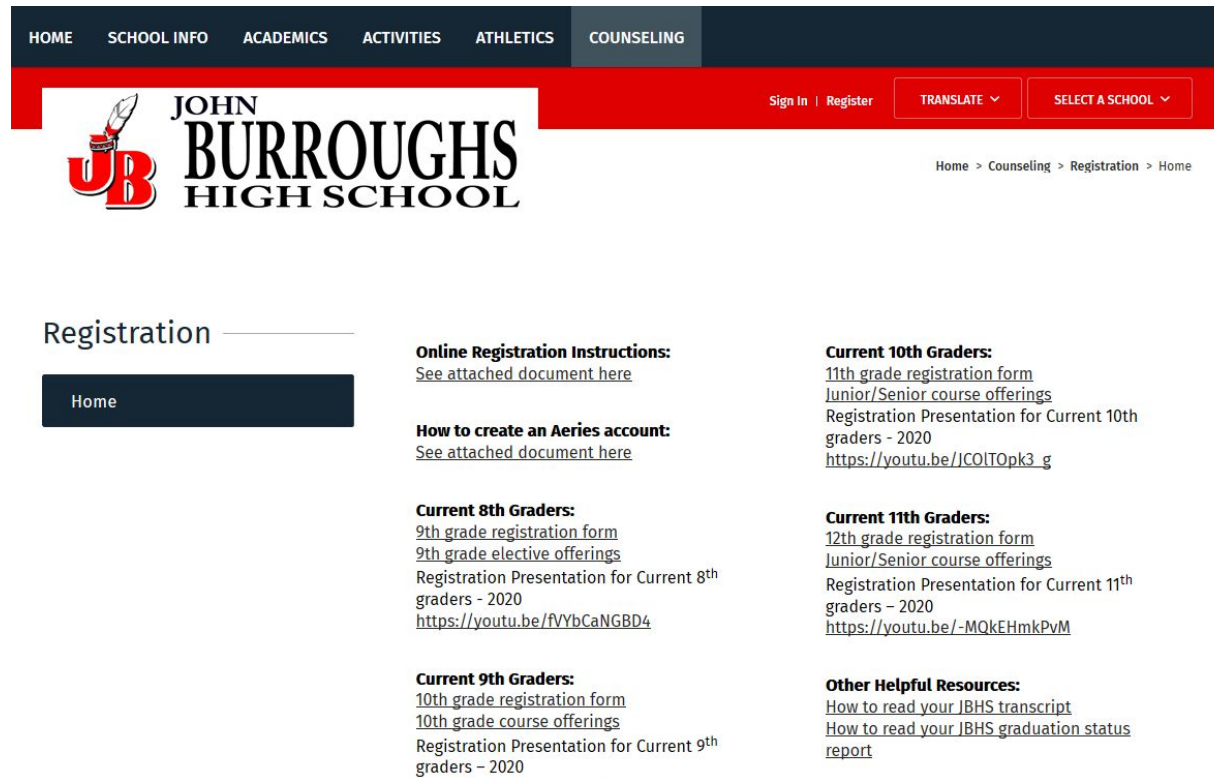
# So what do I need to be doing now?

- ❑ Continue to encourage your child to advocate for themselves as it will be a valuable skill in college and in the workplace.
- ❑ Complete 10+ Service Learning Hours, if not yet completed.
- ❑ Start to plan for your summer.
  - College visits
  - Advanced or remedial classes
  - Leadership opportunities
- ❑ Follow JBHS 10-11th grade timeline!!  
<http://bit.ly/JBHS-Presentations>

# Online Registration for All Students

For video, course offerings, and other important info:

<https://www.burbankusd.org/domain/1170>



The screenshot shows the website's navigation menu with options: HOME, SCHOOL INFO, ACADEMICS, ACTIVITIES, ATHLETICS, and COUNSELING. The COUNSELING tab is active. Below the menu is the school logo and a red bar containing 'Sign In | Register', 'TRANSLATE', and 'SELECT A SCHOOL'. A breadcrumb trail reads 'Home > Counseling > Registration > Home'. The main content area is titled 'Registration' and includes a 'Home' button. It lists resources for various grade levels:

- Online Registration Instructions:** See attached document here
- How to create an Aeries account:** See attached document here
- Current 8th Graders:** 9th grade registration form, 9th grade elective offerings, Registration Presentation for Current 8th graders - 2020 (<https://youtu.be/fVYbCaNGBD4>)
- Current 9th Graders:** 10th grade registration form, 10th grade course offerings, Registration Presentation for Current 9th graders - 2020
- Current 10th Graders:** 11th grade registration form, Junior/Senior course offerings, Registration Presentation for Current 10th graders - 2020 ([https://youtu.be/IC0ITOpk3\\_g](https://youtu.be/IC0ITOpk3_g))
- Current 11th Graders:** 12th grade registration form, Junior/Senior course offerings, Registration Presentation for Current 11th graders - 2020 (<https://youtu.be/-MQkEHmkPvM>)
- Other Helpful Resources:** How to read your JBHS transcript, How to read your JBHS graduation status report

Four year plan available: <https://www.burbankusd.org/domain/429>



# Q & A

Ask us any general questions you may have!

[Additional helpful resources](#)