Many students go through high school not knowing if they can handle college. Mission Early College offers students a chance to make sure they are prepared for the next chapter!

Are you...

- a current ninth or tenth grader with an academic GPA of at least 2.4?
- the first in your family to attend college?
- curious about whether or not you can handle college level work?
- looking for a way to pay for some or all of your college education?
- eager to get a jump start on life after high school?
- ready to handle a more mature learning environment?

If you answered YES to any of these questions...

Mission Early College High School could be the perfect opportunity for you!

What does the Early College student's schedule look like?

Sample Semester 1

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Total High School Credits 60

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An opportunity that will change your life!

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What is Early College?

Early College is an innovative dual enrollment program that blends high school and college, and provides students an exceptional opportunity to earn a high school diploma and up to two years of college credit in three years or less.

Students take three high school classes taught by SCUSD instructors on the Mission College campus, and up to 15 units of college classes each semester with all tuition fees waived by Mission College. Students pay only a nominal Mission College health fee of $20 each semester.

Who Is Eligible?

Students who are currently in the ninth or tenth grade may apply to MECHS. Applicants must attend high school in the Santa Clara Unified School District, reside within the attendance boundaries of SCUSD, or be on a current, approved inter-district transfer.

How Do I Enroll?

Students may apply on-line at our website at https://mechs-scusd-ca.schoolloop.com, and complete and submit the MECHS on-line student application.

Applicants should be aware that admission into Mission Early College High School is selective and is not guaranteed.