

# TRIO Educational Talent Search



## Discover Your Pathway

In 2023, 187 Talent Search graduates pursued their post-high school goals at 35 colleges and universities across the United States! Explore these maps to find out more about the Class of 2023's college choices.

¡En 2023, 187 graduados de Talent Search persiguieron sus objetivos después de la secundaria en 35 colegios y universidades de los Estados Unidos! Explore estos mapas para obtener más información sobre las selecciones universitarias de la Clase de 2023.

### Mission:

To increase the number of youth from disadvantaged backgrounds who complete high school, enroll in postsecondary education, graduate, and find meaningful employment that pays a living wage. TRIO ETS is funded by the United States Department of Education to serve 1471 TRIO eligible 6 - 12th-grade students in Del Norte, Humboldt, and the Mendocino Coast.

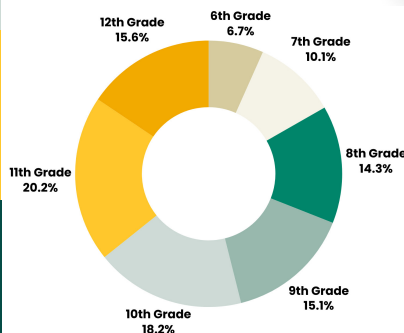
Aumentar el número de jóvenes de entornos desfavorecidos que completan la escuela secundaria, se inscriben en la educación postsecundaria, se gradúan y encuentran un empleo significativo que les pague un salario digno. TRIO ETS está financiado por el Departamento de Educación de los Estados Unidos para atender a 1471 estudiantes de 6º a 12º grado elegibles para TRIO en Del Norte, Humboldt y la costa de Mendocino.



Others Across the County: 12



### Program Participants 2022 - 2023



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# Director's Note

Dear Students, Families, Schools, and Communities,

As we bid farewell to the winter chill and embrace the warmth of spring, I extend my heartfelt excitement to celebrate our 2024 graduates! The transition from winter to spring marks not only a change in weather but also a shift in focus towards those important comparative college going budgets and final decisions, as well as our upcoming events. Reflecting on the success of our recent "Bright Futures" event at Redwoods Community College and "STEAM Feast" at Cal Poly Humboldt fills me with immense hope. Your enthusiasm for college exploration was truly inspiring and sets the stage for what promises to be an unforgettable summer. I'm thrilled to announce the opening of registration for our upcoming Summer Algebra Institute—a captivating STEAM career and math exploration camp that is based on cultural knowledge and building a growth mindset. And a group of fifty sophomores and juniors will be invited by their advisor to join the 2024 summer college tour. Get ready to embark on a journey of discovery and growth as we transition into the vibrant energy of summer! Remember, students should connect with their advisors for more information about summer opportunities. TRIO works!

Estimados estudiantes, familias, escuelas y comunidades,

Mientras nos despedimos del frío invernal y abrazamos la calidez de la primavera, ¡extiendo mi más sincero entusiasmo por celebrar a nuestros graduados de 2024! La transición del invierno a la primavera marca no sólo un cambio en el clima sino también un cambio de enfoque hacia esos importantes presupuestos comparativos para la universidad y las decisiones finales, así como nuestros próximos eventos. Reflexionar sobre el éxito de nuestros eventos recientes "Bright Futures" en Redwoods Community College y "STEAMfest" en Cal Poly Humboldt me llena de inmensa esperanza. Su entusiasmo por la exploración universitaria fue verdaderamente inspirador y sienta las bases para lo que promete ser un verano inolvidable. Estoy encantada de anunciar la apertura de inscripciones para nuestro próximo "Instituto de Verano de Álgebra", un cautivador campamento de exploración de carreras y matemáticas STEAM que se basa en el conocimiento cultural y el desarrollo de una mentalidad de crecimiento. Y un grupo de cincuenta estudiantes de segundo y tercer año estarán invitados por su asesor a unirse a la gira universitaria de verano de 2024. ¡Prepárese para embarcarse en un viaje de descubrimiento y crecimiento a medida que hacemos la transición hacia la energía vibrante del verano! Recuerde, los estudiantes deben comunicarse con sus asesores para obtener más información sobre las oportunidades de verano. TRIO funciona!



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## Staff Updates

We have staffing updates and I want to welcome all of our newly hired staff members! Congratulations to Angelina who now works for the Office of Diversity, Equity and Inclusion, Agustín who now works for the Divers Male Scholars program, and Abby who now works for Career Advising at Cal Poly Humboldt.

## Actualizaciones del personal

Tenemos actualizaciones sobre el personal y quiero darles la bienvenida a todos los miembros de nuestro personal recién contratados! Felicidades a Angelina, que ahora trabaja para la Oficina de Diversidad, Equidad e Inclusión. Felicidades también para Agustín, que ahora trabaja para el programa Diverse Male Scholars, y a Abby, que ahora trabaja para Career Advising en Cal Poly Humboldt.

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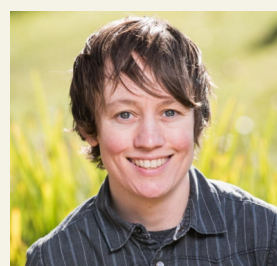
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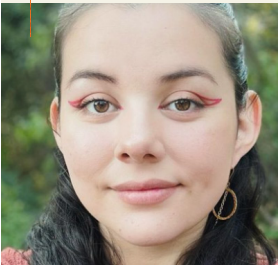
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# College Options



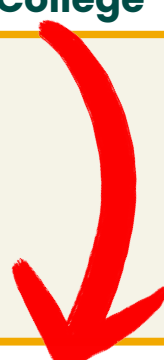
## CCC California Community College

### 2-Year Admissions Requirements:

- apply for K-12 concurrent enrollment or, graduate from high school
- apply for admission starting in January of senior year
- 2-year to 4-year transfer pathway

### Requisitos de admisión de 2 años:

- solicitar la inscripción simultánea de K-12 o, graduado de la escuela secundaria
- solicitar la admisión a partir de enero del último año de la escuela secundaria
- vía de transferencia de 2 a 4 años



### Consider Your Options:

Earning **transfer credits** in community college involves successfully completing courses recognized by the university and meeting their transfer credit criteria. Upon acceptance, students can continue their education at the university.

### Considere sus opciones:

Obtener **créditos de transferencia** en un colegio comunitario implica completar con éxito cursos reconocidos por la universidad y cumplir con los criterios de transferencia de créditos. Tras la aceptación, los estudiantes pueden continuar su educación en la universidad.

## CSU California State University

### 4-Year Admission Requirements:

- no essays are required
- qualify for a fee waiver and apply to four CSU campuses for free.
- completed your **A-G** classes and you are guaranteed a spot at Cal Poly Humboldt if you are from Humboldt, Del Norte, Trinity, or Mendocino County

### Requisitos de admisión de 4 años:

- no se requieren ensayos
- califique para una exención de tarifas y aplique a cuatro campus de CSU de forma gratuita
- completó sus clases de **A-G** y se le garantiza un lugar en la Universidad Estatal de Humboldt si es de Humboldt, Del Norte, Trinity o el Condado de Mendocino

## UC University of California

### 4-Year Admission Requirements:

- admission is based on a combination of various factors, including grades, exam scores, responses to Personal Insight Questions, & extracurricular accomplishments, and your goals and personal story
- qualify for a fee waiver and apply to four UC campuses free

### Requisitos de admisión de 4 años:

- la admisión se basa en una combinación de varios factores, incluidas las calificaciones, los puntajes de los exámenes, las respuestas a las preguntas de información personal y los logros extracurriculares, y sus objetivos e historia personal
- califique para una exención de tarifas y solicite a cuatro campus de uc gratis



### Consider Your Options:

Many TRIO youths receive scholarships to attend **private colleges and universities** nationwide. These prestigious campuses are great options, and we want TRIO-eligible youth to apply!

### Considere sus opciones:

Muchos jóvenes de TRIO reciben becas para asistir a **colegios y universidades privadas** en todo el país. ¡Estos campus prestigiosos son excelentes opciones y queremos que los jóvenes elegibles para TRIO presenten su solicitud!

**CSU** The California State University

# SUMMER ALGEBRA INSTITUTE

at Cal Poly Humboldt



**FREE in-person STEAM day camp for rising 8th -10th graders**

**Tuesdays, Wednesdays, & Thursdays between July 16 - August 1  
8:30 AM - 4:00 PM**



Meet STEAM professionals and discover diverse career paths!



Engage in hands-on activities centered on current events, environmental engineering, robotics, college knowledge, and more!



Improve your math skills from basic to advanced and potentially earn 5 elective credits toward graduation!



Engage in lively discussions about cultural knowledge and contributions to the field of mathematics!



# APPLY TODAY!

Contact TRIO Talent Search, at 707-826-4791

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**CSU** The California  
State University

# INSTITUTO DE VERANO DE ALGEBRA

en Cal Poly Humboldt



**Campamento emergente STEAM GRATUITO en persona para  
estudiantes de 8.º a 10.º grado**

**Martes, miércoles y jueves entre el 16 de julio y el 1 de agosto  
8:30 a. m. - 4:00 p. m.**



¡Conozca a los profesionales de STEAM y descubra diversas trayectorias profesionales!



¡Participe en actividades prácticas centradas en eventos actuales, ingeniería ambiental, robótica, conocimientos universitarios y más!



¡Mejore sus habilidades de matemáticas desde el nivel básico hasta avanzado y potencialmente obtenga 5 créditos electivos para graduarse!



¡Participe en debates animados sobre el conocimiento cultural y las contribuciones a la disciplina de las matemáticas!



## ¡APLIQUE HOY!

Comuníquese con TRIO Talent Search, al 707-826-4791

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Cal Poly  
**Humboldt.**



# Recent Events

## Bright Futures 2024

We are thrilled to share the success of our recent event, Bright Futures at College of the Redwoods. We welcomed over 160 students and a total of 180 guests. This turnout underscores our collective commitment to empowering our youth and showcasing the boundless opportunities awaiting them.

Throughout the event, it was evident that our youth felt not only welcomed but also inspired. They engaged with trade school and college access resources and explored the myriad pathways to higher education. Witnessing their excitement and determination was truly heartening, reaffirming our belief that every individual, regardless of background or circumstance, deserves the chance to pursue a bright future!

We are immensely grateful for the overwhelming positive feedback we've received. Here are just a few highlights of the remarkable comments shared with us:

*"It's never too late to go to college!"*

*"There is a ton of support and people in place to help these students. The campus (College of the Redwoods) is nice and has had a lot of upgrades."*

*"I can go to college even if I can't afford it (with the help of College of the Redwoods)."*

## Futuros brillantes 2024

Estamos encantados de compartir el éxito de nuestro reciente evento, Bright Futures en College of the Redwoods. La dimos la bienvenida a más de 160 estudiantes y un total de 180 invitados. Esta participación subraya nuestro compromiso colectivo de empoderar a nuestra juventud y mostrar las oportunidades ilimitadas que les esperan.

A lo largo del evento, fue evidente que nuestros jóvenes no solo se sintieron bienvenidos sino también inspirados. Se involucraron con recursos de acceso a escuelas vocacionales y universidades y exploraron los innumerables caminos hacia la educación superior. Ser testigo de su entusiasmo y determinación fue realmente alentador y reafirmó nuestra creencia de que cada individuo, independientemente de sus antecedentes o circunstancias, merece la oportunidad de buscar un futuro brillante.

Estamos inmensamente agradecidos por los abrumadores comentarios positivos que hemos recibido. Estos son sólo algunos aspectos destacados de los comentarios notables compartidos con nosotros:

*"¡Nunca es demasiado tarde para ir a la universidad!"*

*"Hay mucho apoyo y gente disponible para ayudar a estos estudiantes. El campus (College of the Redwoods) es agradable y ha tenido muchas mejoras."*

*"Puedo ir a la universidad incluso si no puedo pagarla (con la ayuda de College of the Redwoods)."*

**BRIGHT FUTURES!**  
9TH - 12TH GRADE  
**THURSDAY MARCH 14, 2024**  
Hosted at **College of the Redwoods Eureka, CA!**  
FREE Lunch - Interactive campus tour - Tabling fair - FREE swag - Fun games - Create lasting memories and get inspired while learning about student resource centers, degree & certificate programs and career readiness!  
For more information contact TRIO Talent Search at (707)-826-4791.

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# Fall STEAMfest 2023

SCIENCE • TECHNOLOGY • ENGINEERING + ARTS • MATHEMATICS

We held our first ever STEAMfest in November! During the fall break TRIO Talent Search students in 7th and 8th grade field tripped to Cal Poly Humboldt for a fun filled day of STEAM activities with a main focus on science and technology exploration. Over the two days, over 70 students from Del Norte and Humboldt counties were able to engage in hands on activities, play games, learn how to biomic coral, explore the fish lab and museum, make paper robots, and explore the technology available in the library, such as the VR headset.

Some of the most memorable feedback and moments were the opportunity for our students to meet others in their grade across our program and from 8 schools!

A big thank you to our community partners for making this event happen! Redwood Coast K16 Educational Collaborative, & transportation by Del Norte Unified School District, and Klamath-Trinity Joint Unified School District.



*Thank you to our amazing students who attended this event during their break!*



Thank you to our partners on campus, including the folks at the Cal Poly Humboldt Library for giving an inspiring tour to for our students, Dr. Rouhollah Aghasaleh from the School of Education for leading a hands-on workshop with students to earn about sustainable science, and Dr. Allison Bronson from the Zoology Department for teaching our students about Ichthyology and showing them the Fish Museum! We could not have had an amazing hands-on event without you!



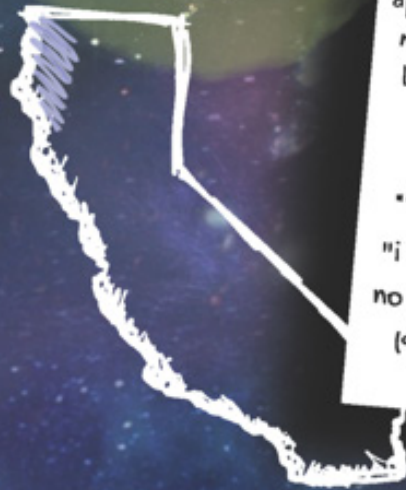
# RECAP! Summer Algebra Institute 2023 July 10th- August 4th

Culturally Relevant  
Science Technology Engineering Art Mathematics (STEAM) Symposium  
4-Week Virtual/Hybrid Summer Program

125  
Incoming 7th-12th  
Grade  
Participants

## Counties:

- Del Norte
- Humboldt
- Mendocino



## 5 Cohorts:

- Spanish Cohort
- Young Scholars Cohort
- High School Cohort
- Del Norte Unified School District Summer School
- Round Valley Unified School District Summer School

"I liked that we were not only doing math, but also were doing some art things too. I also liked that we were talking more about mindfulness more, which some of us really need to know more about"  
(11th Grade SAI 2023 Participant).

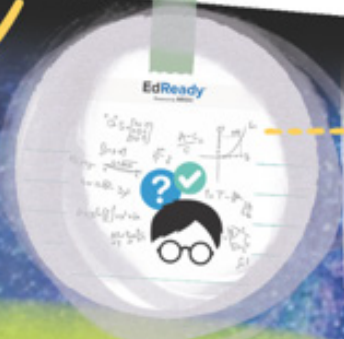
"SAI is an amazing summer algebra institute I love doing it every year I really get a lot from this program, and I really appreciate this program. getting the help, I need from the TAS really is helpful and I liked doing math and art. Getting to meet new friends"  
(7th Grade SAI 2023 Participant).

"I liked the inclusion of everyone and no one was scared of asking for help"  
(9th Grade SAI 2023 Participant).

## Program Goals Reached

- **EdReady Results**  
Students in all math levels saw an increase in individual pathways!
- **STEAM Projects**  
Students completed projects related to art, engineering, and robotics!
- **College Knowledge**  
Students were invited to an orientation at CPT to tour the campus and hear from guest speakers!
- Students built upon **Community and Culture** in their cohorts and in the STEM fields!

24 Schools  
Represented







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**Free Online College & Career Resource  
for Students, Families, and Staff**



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is a **FREE** online self-guided course  
to prepare for life after high school.

- Take the course anywhere, at any time,  
and at your own pace
- Timelines, checklists, and specific  
advice for college & career preparation  
in grades 9 through 12

### Topics Include:

- College Preparation
- Financial Aid
- Study Skills
- Career Exploration



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