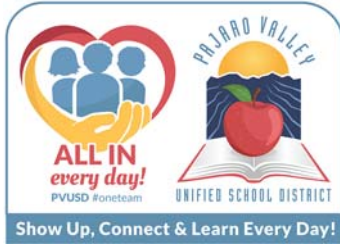


**PAJARO VALLEY UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT
MISSION STATEMENT**

The Mission of the Pajaro Valley Unified School District is to educate and to support learners in reaching their highest potential. We prepare students to pursue successful futures and to make positive **contributions to the community and global society.**



Press Release

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

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PVUSD's Ed Services Invites Community to Building a Brighter Future: College & Career Readiness for ALL
Saturday, October 26, 2019
Cabrillo College –Watsonville Center
318 Union St. Watsonville, CA 95076
8:00 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

Watsonville, CA. October 21, 2019 - The Pajaro Valley Unified School District's Educational Services Division, in collaboration with Cabrillo College, invites you to this college and career readiness conference designed to provide parents/guardians with valuable information that supports their children with their future goals. This opportunity is geared towards families of elementary and secondary school aged students. Dr. Michelle Rodriguez, Superintendent of Schools, encourages attendance noting, "This conference is a powerful way to engage our community in this important process and to provide tools that prepare our students to achieve their college or career goals."

Participants will select which strand of workshop sessions they will attend and go to each session in that strand. Workshop sessions will be offered in both English and Spanish. Middle and high school students are encouraged to attend with their parent/guardian!

Elementary Strand	Secondary Strand
1. Saving for College, it's never too early!	1. How to get money for college: financial aid, scholarships & more
2. How to be ready for AP & A-G Classes	2. Tips on how to manage the emotional transition to college (for parents & students)
3. Let's Start Talking about Careers!	3. Choosing a career - what does PVUSD have to offer?

Parking is available in the Cabrillo College parking lots, the United Presbyterian Church lot and Union St. (time limits for parking spaces in front of the Watsonville Center will not be enforced during this time).

Breakfast will be provided from 8 – 9 AM only. Childcare for ages 3-11 will be offered and children will engage in age-level appropriate activities.

PVUSD and Cabrillo College look forward to welcoming you, our families, on October 26.

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