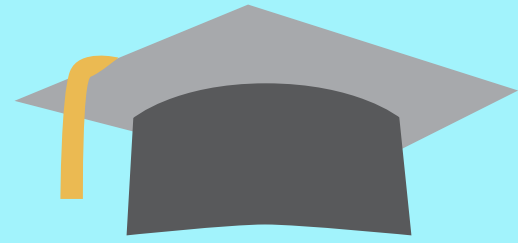


BRIDGING THE GAP

Priority Practices to Ensure Successful Student Transitions from High School to Postsecondary

The transition from high school to college is critical, and complicated — especially for student populations less represented in higher education. With the right practices, we can better bridge these gaps. This framework is designed to help practitioners, policymakers and others take action so that more students can make a more seamless transition — and succeed in gaining the postsecondary credentials that are vital to their quality of life and the future of California.



- HS** Linked Learning pathways aligned with Common Core and programs of study
- HS** Acceleration strategies into postsecondary
- HS** College-going culture

- HS** Postsecondary and financial aid application support
- HS** Transition curricula

- PS** Multiple measures for postsecondary placement
- PS** Transition support programs



- PS** Programs of study aligned with Linked Learning and career pathways
- PS** Acceleration strategies for on-time completion
- PS** College-completion culture

TO ACHIEVE SHARED GOALS FOR STUDENTS

- Engage in rigorous, aligned curriculum
- Develop college knowledge and readiness competencies
- Graduate college and career ready

- Apply directly to postsecondary
- Apply for financial aid
- Select and enroll in postsecondary

- Enter into aligned program of study
- Enroll in 12+ credits per term
- Complete program of study prerequisites

