

RINCON HIGH SCHOOL



SOPHOMORE STEP UP
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RHS College & Career Readiness Center News



Join the Counseling
Department TEAMS page
for Student Updates and
information

Follow the College & Career
Readiness Center on Instagram Too!
This is where you can connect with
your Americorps Peer Coaches about
the FAFSA \$!

Scan the QR Code below to find the
RHSCollegeCareer Instagram page



Team code

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RHS Students 23-24



*We have some GREAT Events, Information, Activities, Field Trips & Tours,
College/Career Rep Visits & Fairs planned this year!*

***Join your new grade level REMIND group to
stay in the know all year long!***



Seniors

RHS Class of '24 A – M: [@RHS24AtoM](#)

RHS Class of '24 N – Z: [@RHS24NtoZ](#)



Juniors

RHS Class of '25 A – M: [@RHS25AtoM](#)

RHS Class of '25 N – Z: [@RHS25NtoZ](#)

Text your group code to 81010



Sophomores

RHS Class of '26 A – M: [@RHS26AtoM](#)

RHS Class of '26 N – Z: [@RHS26NtoZ](#)



Freshmen

RHS Class of '27 A – M: [@RHS27AtoM](#)

RHS Class of '27 N – Z: [@RHS27NtoZ](#)

Or for direct click links to join these REMIND Groups, See your RHS Students [MSTeams](#) page.

**Welcome to your
Sophomore Year!**



Congratulations!

Ranger Class of 2026!

...Now What?!?

Rincon High School College & Career Readiness Center

What's Your E?





Rincon High School College & Career Readiness Center

Your CCR Team

***RHS College & Career Readiness Counselor
Mrs. Vasquez***

Americorps FAFSA Peer Coaches

Arleth Acosta, Faith Garcia, Diego Fuentes & Lilia Sandoval

Arizona Board of Regents Peer Coaches

Cornelius Antibas, Nhu Lam, Luis Padilla & Chris Varela

Earn To Learn – Next Steps Near Peer Advisor

Phoebe S. (UHS'21) , UA Class of 2026

Are you on Track to Graduate?

HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS



English or English as a Second Language

4 credits



Mathematics

4 credits

- Algebra 1
- Geometry
- Algebra 2 - requirement may also be met by similar courses
- 4th year of math
- Personal curriculum also allowed



Science

3 credits in preparation for proficiency at the high school level on statewide assessments



History and Social Science

3 credits

- one credit of American history, including Arizona history
- one credit of world history/geography
- one-half credit of government
- one-half credit of economics



Fine Arts or CTE

1 credit



Locally Prescribed Courses or Electives

7 credits



Civics

Students must take and pass a civics test with a score of at least 60/100



Are you headed to a State University?

The Sweet 16
Core Course Requirements for College in Arizona



4 years of Math



4 years of English



3 years of Lab Science



2 years of Social Science



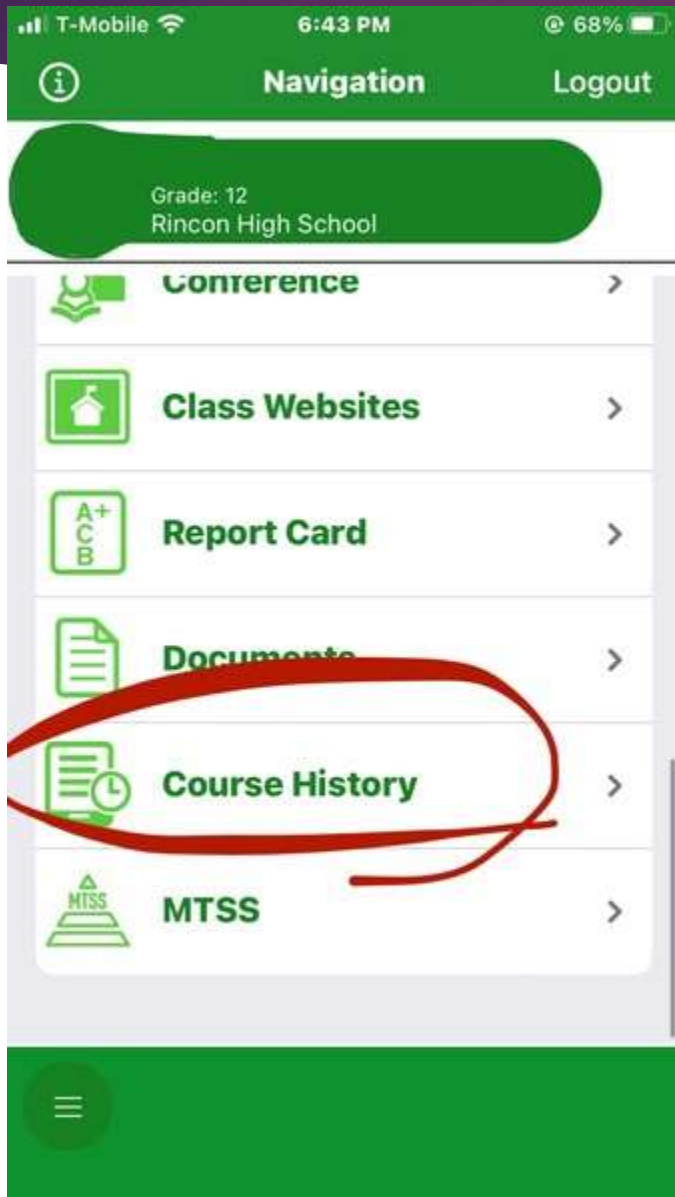
2 years of Second Language



1 year of Fine Arts

Are you on Track to Graduate?

Check Your Transcripts on your Course History



MajorClarity

Access MajorClarity with your *district-assigned* login method:

- Clever
- Google 1-Click
- Email + Password
- ClassLink

*Check the box beside your login method.

student user guide

WELCOME TO MAJORCLARITY



Follow the prompts to take the Personality Assessment. Click the **Assessments** tab to reset.



Click the icon which best reflects your opinion of each statement.



Realistic ⓘ 22%	Social ⓘ 20%	Investigative ⓘ 18%
Artistic ⓘ 16%	Enterprising ⓘ 13%	Conventional ⓘ 11%

Click the icon beside each personality type title to learn more.



Watch the *Holland Personality Types* video series @ <https://tinyurl.com/y4k6yf7x>



Follow the prompts to add additional contact information to your account. Click **Continue**.



You're all set to explore the majors and careers on MajorClarity and discover your passions. Click **Explore Careers**.

Login to your MajorClarity account using your district's preferred login method.



Click the *Assessments* tab to take the Learning Styles Assessment.

Learning Styles Assessment
Find out more about your learning style by answering yes or no.

0/25 complete

Is this statement usually true for you?

When I make things for my studies, I remember what I have learned better.

No Yes

Once you have completed the assessment, review your results.



Click the icon beside each learning style category to learn more information.

Auditory-Linguistic

Learn best from hearing words spoken aloud.

Visual-Linguistic

Learn best from reading words on a page or display.

Auditory-Numerical

Learn best from hearing numbers information verbally.

Visual-Numerical

Learn best from seeing numbers on a page or display.

Kinesthetic-Combination

Learn best from hands-on activities & having direct involvement.

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ASSESSMENTS in MajorClarity



Learning Styles Assessment

Complete the 25-question Learning Styles Assessment to find out more about your preferred style of learning.

For each question, decide if the statement is *usually true for you*.

Click No or Yes to submit your response.

Auditory Linguistic ⓘ 36%	Visual Linguistic ⓘ 18%	Auditory Numerical ⓘ 18%
Visual Numerical ⓘ 18%	Kinesthetic Combination ⓘ 9%	

Reset assessment

Learning Styles Assessment Results

Directions: Take the assessment on MajorClarity then record your results.

Auditory Linguistic

____ %

- Auditory linguistic people learn best from **hearing words spoken**.
- They will be more capable of understanding and remembering words or facts they could only have learned by hearing.

Visual Linguistic

____ %

- Visual language people learn best from **reading words**
- They tend to remember and use information better if they have read it themselves.

Auditory Numerical

____ %

- Auditory numerical people learn best from **hearing numbers and oral explanations**.
- They can probably work problems in their head.
- You may hear them saying numbers to themselves as they try to understand a problem.

Visual Numerical

____ %

- Visual numerical people learn best from **seeing numbers in order to work with them**.
- They are more likely to remember and understand number facts if they have seen them.
- They don't seem to need as much oral explanation.

Kinesthetic Combination

____ %

- Kinesthetic people learn best by **experience**
- They often seek to handle, touch, and work with what they are learning.

COMPLEMENTARY OCCUPATIONS

KINESTHETIC COMBINATION

Athletic Trainers, Exercise Physiologists, Occupational Therapy Assistants, Choreographers, Set & Exhibit Designers, Fire Investigators, Forest Firefighters, Travel Guides, Tour Guides & Escorts, Couriers & Messengers, Lodging Managers, Umpires, Referees, and Other Sports Officials, Recreational Therapists, Dental Assistants, Dental Laboratory Technicians, Acupuncturists, Veterinary Assistant & Laboratory Animal Caretakers, Medical Secretaries, Chefs & Head Cooks, Heating and Air Conditioning Mechanics and Installers, Police Detectives, Animal Control Workers, Gaming Surveillance Officers and Gaming Investigators, Physical Therapist Assistants, Forest & Conservation Workers, Craft Artists, Bakers, Baristas

VISUAL NUMERICAL

Informatics Nurse Specialists, Architect, Graphic Designer, Video Game Designers, Web Developers, Medical Lab Technicians, Mechanical Engineers, Computer and Information Systems Managers, Photographers, Proofreaders & Copy Markers, Multimedia Artists & Animators, Geographers, Civil Drafters, Landscape Architects, Tile & Marble Setters, Search Marketing Strategists, Stonemasons, Interior Designers, Mining and Geological Engineers, Including Mining Safety Engineers, Bookkeeping, Accounting, & Auditing Clerks, Property, Real Estate, and Community Association Managers, First-Line Supervisors of Aquacultural Workers, Geological Sample Test Technicians, Operating Engineers and Other Construction Equipment Operators

AUDITORY NUMERICAL

General & Operations Managers, Management Analysts, Doctors, Biomedical Engineers, Hunters & Trappers, Hearing Aid Specialists, Police Patrol Officers, Counseling Psychologists, Railroad Conductors and Yardmasters, Sound Engineering Technicians, Fraud Examiners, Agents and Business Managers of Artists, Performers, and Athletes, Paralegals & Legal Assistants, Child, Family, & School Social Workers, Advanced Practice Psychiatric Nurses, Commercial Pilots, New Account Clerks, Social Science Research Assistants, Investigators and Analysts, Clinical Psychologists, Musical Instrument Repairers & Tuners, Advertising & Promotions Managers

VISUAL LINGUISTICS

Poets, Lyricists and Creative Writers, Copyeditors, Art, Drama, and Music Teachers (Postsecondary), Arbitrators, Mediators, and Conciliators, Social Science Research Assistants, Intelligence Analysts, Interpreters & Translators, Meeting, Convention & Event Planners, Fashion Designers, Tutors, Hairdressers, Hairstylists, and Cosmetologists, Business Continuity Planners, Judges, Preschool Teachers, Social & Community Service Managers, Administrative Law Judges, Adjudicators, and Hearing Officers, Communications Teachers (Postsecondary), Distance Learning Coordinators, Court Reporters, Area, Ethnic, and Cultural Studies Teachers (Postsecondary), Marriage & Family Therapists

AUDITORY LINGUISTIC

Speech-Language Pathologists, Lawyers, Demonstrators & Product Promoters, School Psychologists, Psychiatrists, Broadcast News Analysts, Radio Operators, Reporters & Correspondents, Journalists, Real Estate Brokers, Appraisers (Real Estate), Sales Managers, Radiation Therapists, Political Scientists, Regulatory Affairs Managers, Internists (General), Journalists, Ship & Boat Captains, Talent Directors, Insurance Sales Agents, Musical Composers & Arrangers, Talent Directors, Foreign Language Teachers, Audio-Visual and Multimedia Collections Specialists, Audiologists, Customer Service Representatives, Music Therapists, Musicians (Instrumental), Audio and Video Equipment Technicians

Some other interesting links to learn your aptitudes...

- ▶ [Free personality test, type descriptions, relationship and career advice | 16Personalities](#)
- ▶ [Free Career Test for Students Online: High School, College, Teens, Adults \(yourfreecareertest.com\)](#)

What are your plans so far?

RHS CCR Student Interest Form



Tell us where you're at and we'll help get you where you want to go!



Sophomore year of high school is a time to begin seriously thinking about post secondary plans.

Tenth grade is when students can start researching colleges, visiting campuses, and thinking about career goals.

Sophomores should check in with counselors to stay on track academically and to avoid the sophomore slump, when some students can lose motivation.

They should plan to take the PSAT and any AP classes. The sophomore year should be spent enjoying extracurriculars and exploring school clubs while keeping grades high.

Sophomore Year TimeLine

AUGUST- SEPTEMBER

- Begin thinking about your future goals.
- Meet with a counselor to discuss college/ career plans.
- Discuss the cost of college with your parents.
- Take AP or CTE classes.
- Get involved with extracurricular activities.



OCTOBER-DECEMBER

- Register and take PSAT.
- Understand what are good PSAT scores for your career goals.
- Make good grades and track your high school GPA progress.

JANUARY-MAY

- Meet with the counselor to plan your junior year class schedule.
- Begin your college search by making a list of colleges or trade schools you want to research.
- Request information from schools.
- Keep college research, information, and due dates organized.



Get
Ready
Now...





- ▶ [Programs - JTED - Joint Technical Education District \(pimajted.org\)](http://pimajted.org)
- ▶ [Enrollment - JTED - Joint Technical Education District \(pimajted.org\)](http://pimajted.org)

Watch for announcements on TEAMS, Remind & Emails.

- ▶ Remember to Apply as SOON as the application opens in

JANUARY 2024

Top 3 factors that 'open doors'

← Grades

← Test Scores

← Strength of Curriculum

- Next three factors that can help make the final decision:

Other Factors that make a difference

- ← Essay/Personal Statement
- ← Letters of recommendation
- ← Extracurricular activities/leadership

Pointers for Students

- Take charge of your future planning process!
 - Stay organized: forms, deadlines, requirements. **Major Clarity can HELP!**
 - Communicate with your parents, counselor, and teachers.
- Don't panic!
 - Your Counseling & CCR Team is here to help you.

Student Athletes: NCAA Eligibility



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Password or PIN
Forgot password GO



Welcome to the NCAA Eligibility Center.
Your student-athlete experience begins here.
At this site, you'll find the tools and information you need to begin your college experience.
Explore this site to learn more about the NCAA, its athletics divisions, its sports and other information.
Click on the phone or use the login box in the top right corner to complete your registration for eligibility.

Checklist:

- Create account
- Complete registration

CLASS OF 2016 AND BEYOND...
Initial-eligibility standards are changing.
CLICK HERE TO LEARN MORE

Follow the Eligibility Center on Twitter
NCAA Division II on Facebook

Resources




- ▶ [15 Ways to Have A Successful Junior Year of High School](#)

**YOU GOT INTO
WHERE?**

[You Got Into Where?](#)

Sophomoring

verb [sof-uh-mawr-ing, -mohr-ing; sof-mawr-ing, -mohr-ing] 

*Going through the sophomore year like
a Boss and Killing it*

You
Got
This

Class
of
2026!