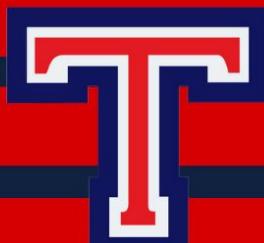




TESORO HIGH SCHOOL



**WISDOM  
STRENGTH  
HONOR**

# TESORO HIGH SCHOOL

## Titan Showcase

# Welcome *Class of 2030!*





# Administration

## Team



Ken Ezratty - Principal

Paul Weir - Assistant Principal (A-Leb)

April Engelken - Assistant Principal (Lec-Z)

Bill Busenkell - Assistant Principal (Guidance)

Petra Davis-Johnson - Activities Director

Ernie Bucher - Athletic Director

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Guidance Home web page.

**Tesoro Guidance**  
**Department**



# Why Tesoro?

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Tesoro High School is a place where we work to meet the needs of all students.

- Rigorous Academic Program
- Award Winning Visual & Performing Arts
- Successful Comprehensive Athletic Program
- Student Activities and Leadership



# Academic Program

## College Prep Courses

- All students start on a college prep track

## Honors Courses

- Wide variety of honors courses offered each year.
- Honors courses provide a higher level of rigor (Higher levels of thinking, stronger reading and writing skills)
- Adds an additional point to their GPA calculation

## AP Courses

- 28 AP courses offered for the 2026-2027 year - (most offered in CUSD)
- College credit with passage of National AP Exams in May.

## Saddleback College Courses

- Earn high school and college credit



# College & Career Advantage



**CCA**  
COLLEGE AND CAREER ADVANTAGE

- CCA offers Career Technical Education (CTE) courses are hands on classes that prepare you for college and careers. (Used to be ROP)
- Internship opportunities with select classes.
- Offered both during and after school.
- Often taught by professionals in the respective career fields.
- Great way to find out about careers and/or college majors

For more information, see Samantha Ferlic at the Guidance table or email at: [SCFerlic@capousd.org](mailto:SCFerlic@capousd.org)



# CTE Pathways



Consecutive CTE courses in a common field creates a pathway.

Pathways available on campus during the school day :

- Design, Visual, and Media Arts
- Performing Arts
- Business/Entrepreneurship
- Sports Medicine
- Environmental Resources and Sustainability
- Teaching/Education

Additional pathways are available through after school courses.



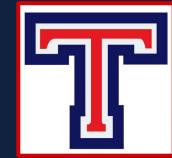
# Saddleback College Partnership

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## Earn College Credit while at Tesoro

- Many Tesoro elective classes can earn Saddleback college credit.
- Take Saddleback courses in person or online for FREE
- Some Saddleback classes taught on Tesoro's campus



# Support for College Acceptance

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College Counselor (Angela Gatlin) on staff to support with:

- College research and selection
- Admission requirements
- Application and essay assistance
- Financial aid application
- Scholarship opportunities



# Transition to High School

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An amazing growth opportunity for students

- Get involved in school activities - High school should be more than just academics
- School is larger, more students
- Rigor of courses (Teachers have high expectations)
- Socially there is more to do; Time management is important

We want a partnership to build strong learning team:  
Students, Teachers, and Parents.



# Tesoro 9th Grade Support

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- **Mentors for 9th grade students**
  - Upperclassmen support in Freshmen Homeroom
  - Provide a home base for students until they find their niche
- **Tutorial Program “Titan Time”**
  - Additional time for all students to get one-on-one support from their teachers
- **Tutoring**
  - Free tutoring after school in the library by student scholars



# Activities

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Petra Davis-Johnson, Activities Director

- Over 100 clubs on campus - and easy to start a new one
- Academic Competition Teams
- Dances throughout the year, including 2 off campus
- Pep Rallies
- Homecoming Halftime Show
- Titan Army goes out to support our athletes
- And much more....

Getting involved makes a good high school experience great.



# Athletic Program

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**3 Seasons of Sport** - Typically a maximum of one sport per season.

**Fall** - Cross Country, Football, Girls Flag Football, Surfing, Girls Golf, Girls Tennis, Girls Volleyball, Boys Water Polo, Pep Squad (Year round)

**Winter** - Basketball, Soccer, Wrestling, Girls Water Polo

**Spring** - Baseball, Lacrosse, Swimming, Softball, Track and Field, Boys Golf, Boys Tennis, Boys Volleyball, Girls Beach Volleyball

Upon completion of tryouts, students will be enrolled in a athletic period which will count for their PE credit.



# Athletic Program

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Coaches are here tonight to answer questions

- What does it take to make the team?
- What type of time commitment?
- When are tryouts and or summer camp?



## Athletic Success

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In our 24 years of competition we have:

- 85+ League Championships
- 13 CIF Champions
- 2 CIF Academic Champions

Typically 25+ graduating athletes will continue their athletic career at the collegiate level

Almost half of our students are involved in a competitive sport.



# Performing Arts Program

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Award Winning Arts Department - Directors here to answer questions

- **Vocal music**
  - 5 levels of Choir - beginner to top in the country
- **Instrumental Music**
  - Three levels of orchestra
  - Multiple band groups - Jazz, marching, concert
  - Largest instrumental music program in CUSD
- **Theater**
  - Multiple performances and opportunities - on and behind stage



# #1 Academic Program

## State Testing

Tesoro #1 High School in CUSD

- HIGHEST Ranking in all Subjects
  - English, Math, Science

Highest GPA in the district

## College Admission Rates

- 64% of students attend 4-year college/university
- 30% of students attend 2-year college

## AP Program - #1 in CUSD

- In number of AP courses offered
- In number of students enrolled in AP courses and tests taken
- In overall pass rate (92%)
- AP School Honor Roll



# How can my student attend Tesoro?

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- If my child currently attends a CUSD school and lives in Tesoro's attendance boundary.
- Attending Ladera Ranch, Las Flores, Arroyo Vista, Esencia ; you are automatically enrolled - do nothing.



# How can my student attend Tesoro?



If your Student currently attends a CUSD school and lives outside of our attendance boundary.

- You will need to complete a School of Choice application
  - Application available on CUSD website (January 5<sup>th</sup> - February 1<sup>st</sup>)
- Complete course registration process at your home school now
- Once approved, all of the students information is moved to Tesoro.

Decision becomes binding upon confirmation in March.

→ [School of Choice & Interdistrict Transfer Information](#)

→ [Capistrano Unified School District - School of Choice](#)



## Student currently not attending a CUSD School

- You must enroll your student into CUSD at your home High School. Please see the Tesoro Website for more information

Contact our Registrar:

Mrs. Schieber

[jmschieber@capousd.org](mailto:jmschieber@capousd.org)

(949-234-5319)





## Tesoro School Tours

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We are happy to give individual and small group tours, please contact the Guidance office to arrange.

- (949) 234-5310



# Incoming Freshman Next Steps



@OfficialTesoroHS



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- Follow us on Social Media - See what happens on our campus!
- Registration Packet Pick - up in July
- Walk-Through Registration - Beginning of August
- 9th Grade Student Orientation
  - ◆ Meeting will be on August 17 (9:00am-11:00am)
- **First day of school: August 18, 2026**

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*Thank you* for attending!



*Go Titans!*