

The Camp

is a school within an in-patient drug and alcohol treatment center. The school is open year round and employs a staff with extensive experience and training related to providing educational services within a therapeutic setting.

Phone: (831) 438-1868

Address: 3192 Glen Canyon Rd., Scotts Valley, CA 95066

DeWitt Anderson School

focuses on the unique challenges that face adolescent girls, and the teaching and counseling staff are trained and experienced in supporting students as they transition to comprehensive high school, the work place, or college.

Phone: (831) 786-3890

Address: 2716 Freedom Blvd., Corralitos, CA 95076

Freedom Community School

is a single classroom site for students who excel in a smaller, supportive and structured environment. The teachers make collaboration between peers a priority in order to build academic skills, and the school also focuses on building decision-making skills.

Phone: (831) 786-8971

Address: 1430 Freedom Blvd., Watsonville, CA 95076

Hartman School

provides for the education of youth detained at Santa Cruz County Juvenile Hall. Named after a dedicated teacher, Robert A. Hartman, the school is open year round and employs a staff with extensive experience and training related to delinquent youth.

Phone: (831) 454-3859 or 454-3850

Address: 3650 Graham Hill Road, Santa Cruz, CA 95060

Highlands: San Lorenzo Valley Community High School

Patience, understanding, and unwavering support for students with a variety of academic needs have made the staff of SLV Community School a key to success for students for nearly twenty years.

Phone: (831) 336-3165

Address: Highlands Park, 8500 Highway 9, Ben Lomond 95005

La Manzana Learning Community

is a small, blended classroom that emphasizes collaboration and student-centered instruction in all subject areas. In a personalized learning community, students have individualized work and goals, and work together on projects. Critical thinking is a major focus.

Phone: (831) 724-2997

Address: 521 Main Street – Building Y, Watsonville CA 95076

Lighthouse High School

is a small, blended classroom that emphasizes collaboration and student-centered instruction in all subject areas. In a personalized learning community, students have individualized work and goals, and work together on projects. Critical thinking is a major focus.

Phone: (831) 459-7971

Address: 515 Frederick St. Santa Cruz, CA 95060

Louden Nelson Community School

serves students in downtown Santa Cruz. Focused on life skills as well as academics, the program is also an opportunity to get involved in the community.

Phone: (831) 425-4891

Address: 301 Center St. Rm. 6, Santa Cruz, CA 95060

Natural Bridges High School/Career Training Center

is a Santa Cruz COE program designed for students in grades 10-12 seeking education and employment training while earning credits toward high school graduation. The school is operated with the ROP program and emphasizes work experience.

Phone: (831) 457-8254

Address: 313 Swift Street, Santa Cruz, CA 95060

O.A.S.I.S. Academy at Cabrillo College

is designed to meet the needs of students who benefit from a personalized learning program. Student work with their parent or guardian, teacher, and a counselor to design an educational plan. Students can, if they choose, fulfill the requirements for admission to a CSU or UC through a combination of Oasis and Cabrillo coursework. Within the welcoming and encouraging environment students refine their academic goals and develop the skills to achieve them.

Phone: (831) 466-5650

Address: Cabrillo College, 350 Bldg. 6500 Soquel Dr., Aptos, CA 95003

Ponderosa High School and Career Training Center

is designed for students 15 and older (and in 10th grade) seeking education and employment training in “green” careers while earning credits toward high school graduation.

Phone: (831) 336-9338

Address: 305 Marion Ave, Ben Lomond, CA 95005

Escuela Quetzal

is a school program made possible through collaboration between Youth Services and the Santa Cruz COE. Each day, students attend core academic classes and receive group and individual counseling.

Phone: (831) 786-0558

Address: 241 East Lake Avenue, Watsonville, CA 95076

Phoenix Academy School

is a place for students in grades 7-10 who benefit from a structured learning environment to help overcome obstacles in order to continue their education. Respect and social skills are a big part of the program.

Phone: (831) 425-7107

Address: 411 Roxas St., Santa Cruz, CA 95062

Santa Cruz Teen Center

is a unique program where student work is individualized and the program is tailored to meet the individual academic, social, and personal needs of every student.

Phone: (831) 212-2414

Address: 301 Center St. Santa Cruz, CA 95060

Seabright High School

is designed for learners who value the opportunity to work with others in classes and activities as part of their education. Through contracted learning, small daily classes, and recreational activities, students work together in a personalized learning community, supporting each individual to reach their potential.

Phone: (831) 425-7107

Address: 411 Roxas Street, Santa Cruz CA 95062

SOS Program (Second Opportunity Students)

is designed for students up to age 19 who are returning to school and who want to continue their education and work towards a high school diploma, GED, or transition to Cabrillo College.

Phone: (831) 750-5605

Address: 318 Union Street, Watsonville, CA 95076

Star Community High School

offers students an alternative learning environment—smaller classes, individualized instruction methods, resource support, vocational training, participation in sports, music classes—designed to encourage students.

Phone: (831) 459-9741

Address: 515 Frederick St. Santa Cruz, ca 95060

Sequoia Junior High School

is a place for our younger students to mature academically as well as socially. Adolescents in grades 6-8 learn study skills as well as life skills, and gain experience in the classroom as well as the community.

Phone: (831) 466- 5739

Address: 229 Green Valley Rd., Freedom, CA 95019

Sequoia Academy School

is a unique school designed to assist students who need extra support with study skills and setting educational goals. Students have the opportunity to work with teachers and support staff who have a wide variety of teaching methods and resources at their disposal.

Phone: (831) 466- 5739

Address: 229 Green Valley Rd., Freedom, CA 95019

Sequoia High School

provides a safe, respectful, supportive environment for students who need comprehensive academic support in an alternative setting. SHS is staffed by caring educators who foster school achievement in addition to social and emotional health.

Phone: (831) 466- 5739

Address: 229 Green Valley Rd., Freedom, CA 95019

The Cottage

Centrally located in Harvey West Park, The Cottage is accessible to students countywide and the afternoon class schedule allows students who are working or who have been out of school to reconnect with a high school education.

Phone: (831) 420-6193

Address: 325 Evergreen Street, Santa Cruz, CA 95060

Y.E.S. Program (Youth Experiencing Success)

is a program that serves adolescents who are dedicated to sobriety and recovery. Students learn to value themselves and others while completing their high school education. The program is a collaborative effort between the COE and Youth Services.

Phone: (831) 426-5784

Address: 709 Mission Street, Santa Cruz, CA 95060