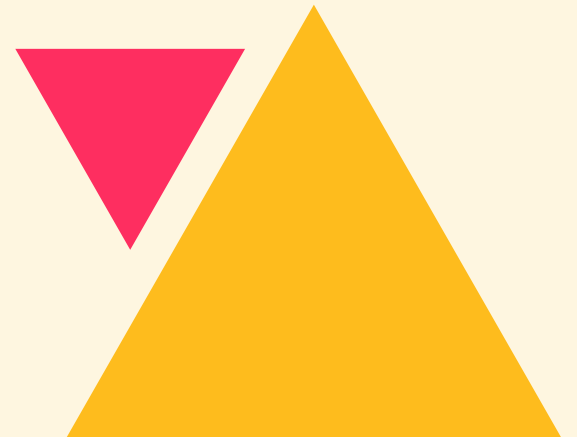




**PASADENA**  
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# College & Career Academies Overview



# High School Academies



Where We Are

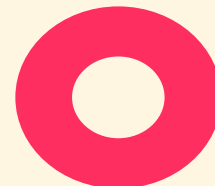
## Linked Learning Academies

- Proven Results when meeting the LL standards
- Framework, not a curriculum
  - An equity, access & inclusion model
- Integration of core academics with high interest subjects/ technical skills
- Yearly review by industry professionals



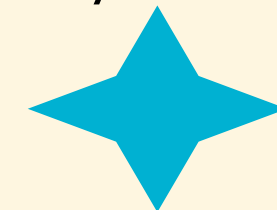
## Student Options

- **8 Academies** that represent **6 Industries**
- **Blair** - Health Careers Academy
- **Marshall** - Academy for Creative Industry
- **Muir** - Arts, Entertainment & Media ~ Business & Entrepreneurship ~ Engineering & Environmental Science
- **PHS** - App Academy (Computer Science) ~ Creative Arts Media & Design ~ Law & Public Service



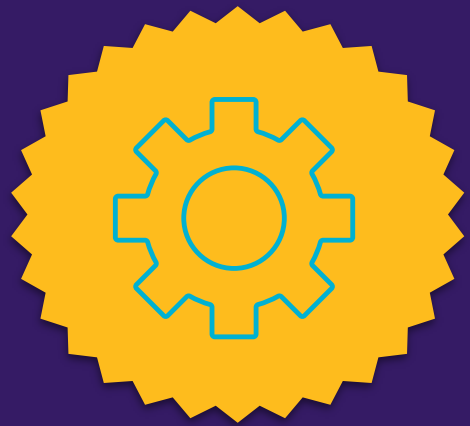
## Industry/Community Connections

- Feedback by industry through advisory boards
- PUSD offers 6 high wage/high demand (LOCAL) industry sectors
- Work based learning brings industry professionals to students & students out to industry



# Linked Learning Academies

All Academies Have:



## CTE Pathways

2-4 course sequence  
Technical skill classes

Pathways lead to  
Higher Ed Opportunities  
(Dual Enrollment)



## Student Supports

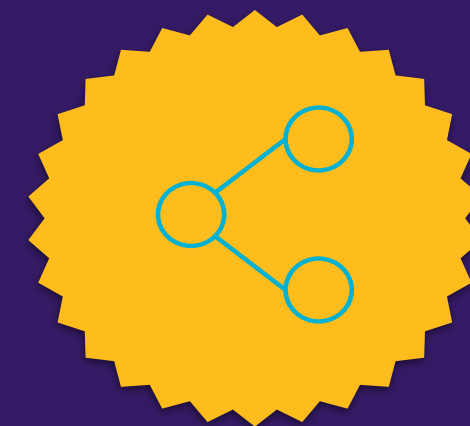
Designated Counselor

Small Learning  
Communities



## Cohorts

Students are cohorted  
in at least 2 classes  
together



## Team of Teachers

Academy teachers have  
a common planning  
time

Student Connection



## Work Based Learning

Opportunities to  
interact with industry  
professionals

# Benefits Beyond High School

## Students can gain industry certifications

- CPR
- Basic Life Support (BLS)
- First Aid
- Adobe
- Southwest Customer Service
- AutoCAD (drafting software)

## Industry Connections

- Mentorships
- Project Feedback
- Guest Speakers

## Internships

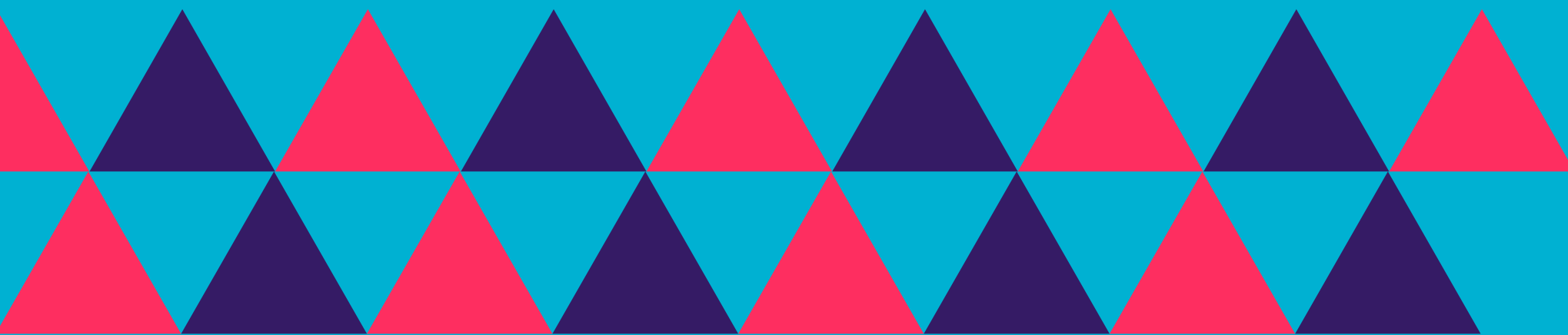
- Pre-job experience in an area of interest/aligned with pathway
- Networking opportunities

## Technical Skills

- Coding, Graphic Design, Sports Med on field concussion protocols/taping, engineering prototyping, business plans, jury/court protocols, etc.

## Dual Enrollment Courses

- Students in each academy are offered courses through PCC/PUSD Dual Enrollment that align to their high school courses



# High School Academies

## Where We Can Go

- Create new pathways through High School Dual Enrollment in areas of high interest, **high wage, high need** sectors
  - Building Trades
  - Auto Tech Industry
- Seek funding in a joint endeavor to plan and implement new pathways
  - Workforce Development
  - Golden State Pathways
- Engage local business partners to support students as they navigate through high school programs
  - Paid Internships
  - Pre-Apprenticeships
  - Classroom Visits