

It's a Great Day to be a Giant!



Who You Will Hear From...

- Counseling
- Career Technical Education (CTE)
- Learn Your Next Steps to Priority Registration
- Stay and visit our Support Stations for Q&A



Explore Career/Major Options

What is YOUR Career Goal?

I have no idea what career I want

I know what career I want but have no idea how to get there

I think I might know

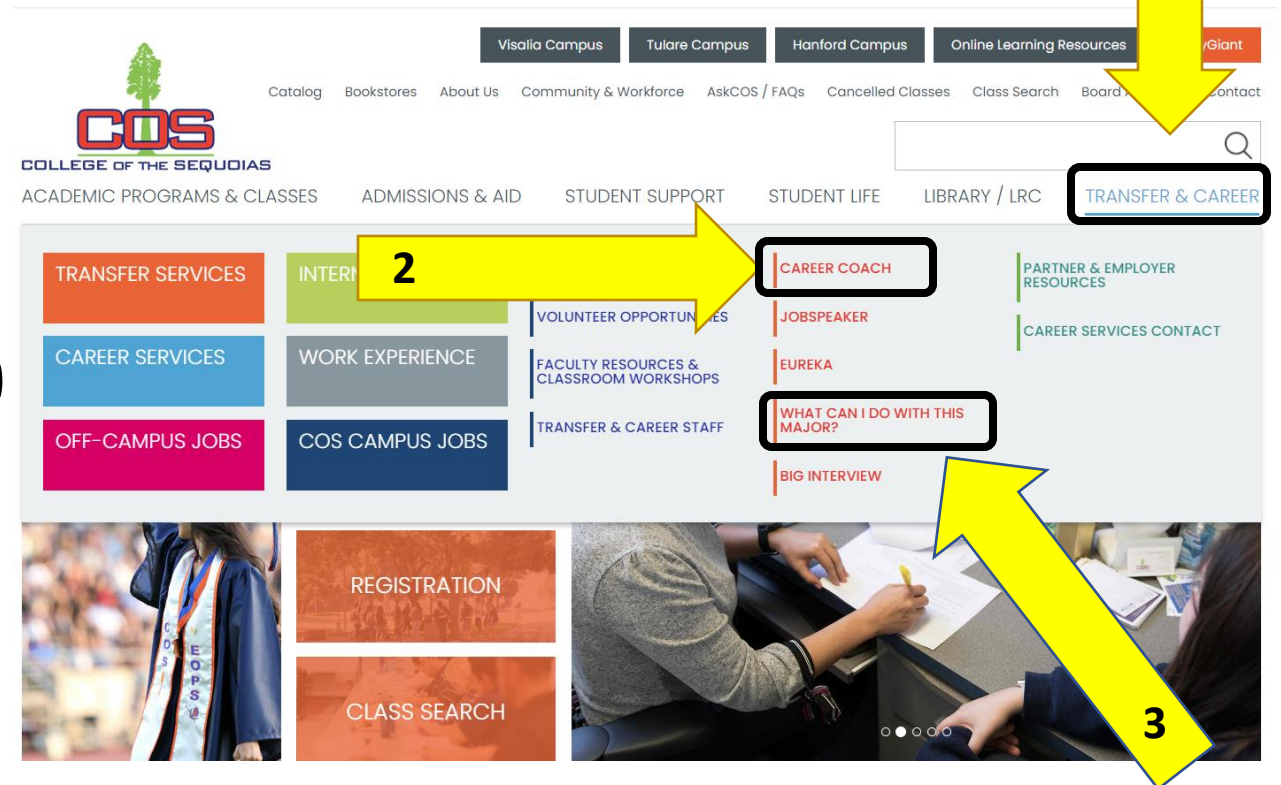
I know exactly what career I am headed for and how to get there



Undecided?

- Start with:
 - Career Coach
 - What Can I Do With This Major?
- Ask Counselor about **Coun 010**
- Check out Transfer & Career Center for additional career exploration resources
 - Assessments
 - Activities
 - Counseling

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GIANT PATHWAYS

Groups of related educational programs offered at COS (*this is not a comprehensive of all career options*)

Find the major, educational program, or career that is right for you.

Discuss with a **Counselor** as requirements may vary

<https://cos.edu/giantpathways>

COS Giant Pathways



AGRICULTURE, PLANT & ANIMAL SCIENCES

Genetics, plants, reproduction, physiology, technology, production, food, irrigation/water, veterinary science, and agribusiness



ARTS, MEDIA & ENTERTAINMENT

Design, visual and media arts, fashion, performing arts, production, and managerial arts



BUILDING DESIGN, DRAFTING & CONSTRUCTION

Residential design, materials, codes, framing, mechanical, and electrical systems



BUSINESS, MARKETING & COMMUNICATION

Consumer needs, products and services, and management



EDUCATION & LANGUAGES

Child development, language learning, and cultural factors affecting education



HEALTH SCIENCES

Health, fitness, wellness, and disease prevention



HISTORY & HUMAN BEHAVIOR

Social, racial, historical, cultural, and institutional factors impacting history and culture



MACHINES, MANUFACTURING & CARS

Diagnosing, adjusting, repairing, or overhauling automotive vehicles or machines



PUBLIC SERVICE & SAFETY

Physical/mental training, fire technology, public safety management, and criminal justice



SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY, ENGINEERING & MATH (STEM)

Scientific concepts and skills, mathematics, engineering, and technology

Your Giant Pathway starts at:



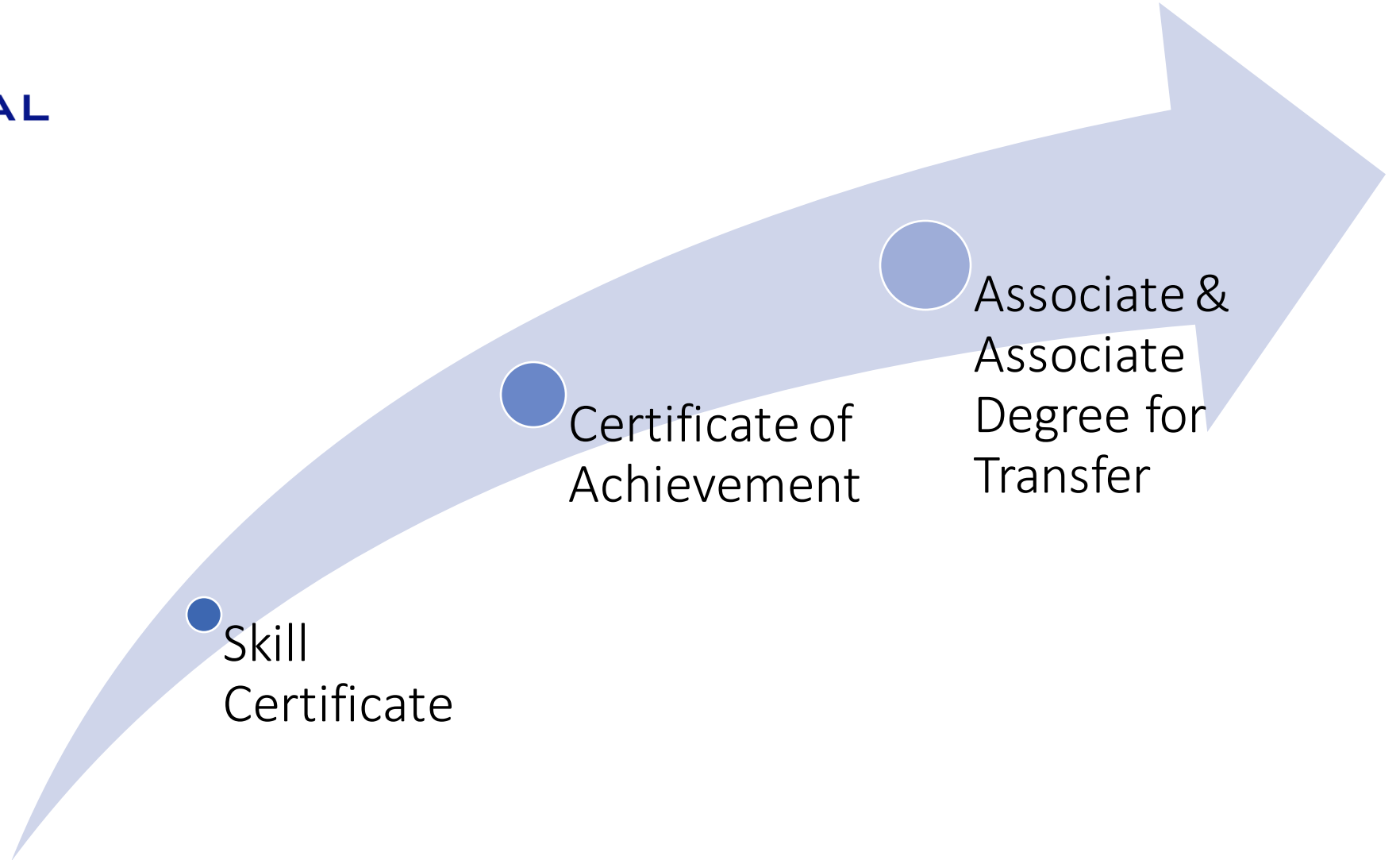
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CAREER TECHNICAL
EDUCATION



[COS.EDU/CTE](https://cos.edu/cte)



Skill
Certificate

Certificate of
Achievement

Associate &
Associate
Degree for
Transfer

HANFORD

- Electrical Technology
- Communication
- Child Development
- Certified Nurse Assistant
- Industrial Maintenance Technology
- Administration of Justice – Corrections
- Administration of Justice – Law Enforcement
- Fire Technology
- Police Science



TULARE

- Agricultural Business Management
- Agricultural Irrigation
- Agricultural Technology
- Animal Science
- Architecture
- Dairy Science
- Drafting Technology
- Electrical Technology
- Environmental Control Technology (HVAC)
- Equine Science



TULARE

- Food Safety Management
- Graphic Design
- Industrial Automation
- Industrial Maintenance Technology
- Landscape Design
- Landscape Management
- Ornamental Horticulture
- Plant Science
- Veterinary Assisting
- Welding Technology



VISALIA

- Accounting
- Administration of Justice – Corrections
- Administration of Justice – Law Enforcement
- Automotive Technology
- Business
- Certified Nurse Assistant
- Child Development
- Communication
- Commercial Music
- Computer Programming & Information Systems
- Construction Technology



VISALIA

- Culinary Arts
- Emergency Medical Technician
- Fashion
- Human Services (Social Work)
- Information Communications Technology
- Journalism
- Paralegal
- Pharmacy Technician
- Physical Therapist Assistant
- Registered Nursing
- Rehabilitation Aide
- Sports Medicine / Athletic Trainer



Before Counseling Appointment

Bring your senior checklist filled out

Identify your top 3 major/career goals

What do you want to do at COS?

If transferring to a 4-year university, where do you want to transfer to?

Undecided? That's fine we can still help you!



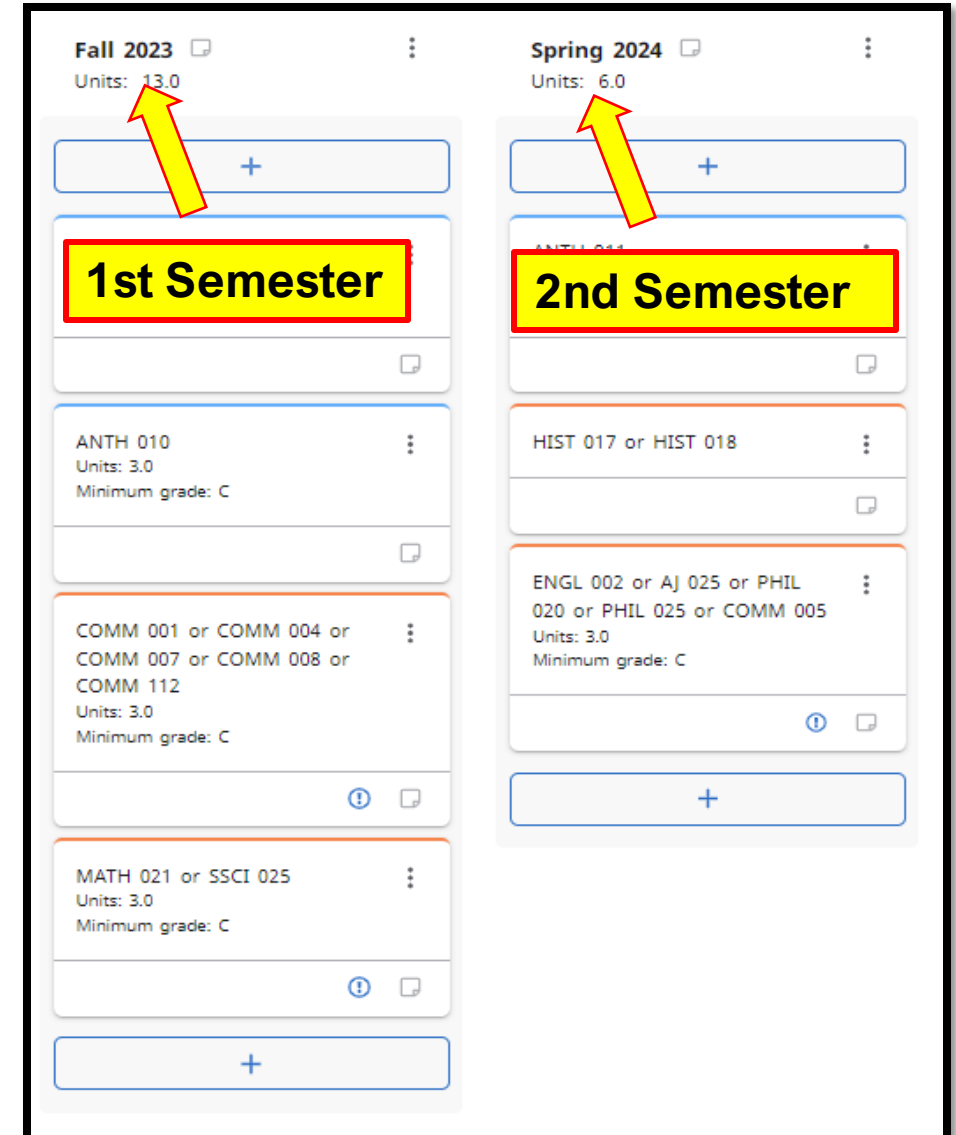
Counseling Appointment Tips

- ✓ Don't miss your Counseling appointment
- ✓ Arrive 10 mins before your appointment time. Allow for parking.
- ✓ Log into your MyGiant Portal and COS email
- ✓ Bring your **SENIOR CHECKLIST** completed
- ✓ Highly recommended that your first appointment be in-person.
- ✓ After the appointment, check your COS email for Priority Registration RSVP confirmation

What to Expect During Your Counseling Appointment

STUDENT EDUCATION PLAN (SEP)

- A semester-by-semester course planning that you and a Counselor create together based on what you want to do at COS
 - Lists classes to register on April 20-21, 2023
 - **SEP does not = registering for Su/Fa 2023 classes**
 - Attend build your schedule workshops
- Students will be given a 2-semester SEP plan
 - Focus on the 1st semester
 - Based on the Counseling meeting - 2nd semester plan or a backup semester plan (*Review the SEP notes for details*)
 - Don't panic! Updates can be made to your SEP if your goal/classes changes later in the semester (*September-October*)



English and Math Placement

- Based on high school performance (English/Math grades)
- Current high school GPA
- Students may see their SEP with a co-requisite support course
 - That means you must sign up for the math course and support course
 - Ex: Math 021 AND Math 321
- Based on your career/major goal

Different General Education (GE) Patterns

**COLLEGE OF THE SEQUOIAS
2022-2023
ASSOCIATE DEGREE**

DEFINITION OF ASSOCIATE DEGREES:
Students at College of the Sequoias who complete the appropriate requirements may earn either an Associate of Arts or an Associate of Science degree. Both degrees represent significant levels of achievement and may be used by students who plan to start their careers immediately after graduating or, with proper planning and course selection, by those who plan to transfer to a four-year university.

Associate of Arts (AA) degree is granted to students majoring in the arts, humanities, and similar areas.

LOCAL GE for AA/AS Degree at COS

AREA	N*	IP*
AREA A: ENGLISH LANGUAGE COMMUNICATION & CRITICAL THINKING (3 units minimum; grade of "C" or better required)		
AREA B: Natural Science: (3 units minimum; grade of "C" or better required)		
AREA C: Humanities: (3 units minimum; grade of "C" or better required)		
AREA D: Social/Behavioral Science: (3 units minimum; grade of "C" or better required)		

*LEGEND / C = Completed; N = Needed; IP = In Progress

**COLLEGE OF THE SEQUOIAS
CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY GENERAL EDUCATION PATTERN
2022-2023 ADVISING FORM FOR CSU TRANSFER STUDENTS**

Name: _____ SS# _____

DIRECTIONS: (1) Use drop-down box to enter all courses, including those completed at other colleges. (2) Use drop-down box to enter name of AP Exam on the "SPECIAL ENTRY" column, also enter the semester and year completed. (3) Use drop-down box to enter units completed at COS. (4) Use drop-down box to enter units completed at UC/CSU. (5) Use drop-down box to enter units completed at other colleges. (6) Use drop-down box to enter units completed at other colleges.

LEGEND: C = Units Completed at COS; OC = Units Completed at Other College

CSU GE for 23 CSU campuses such as:

- Fresno State
- CSU Bakersfield
- SLO
- Sacramento State
- CSU Long Beach
- And more

AREA	C	OC	U	O
AREA A: ENGLISH LANGUAGE COMMUNICATION & CRITICAL THINKING				
AREA B: NATURAL SCIENCE				
AREA C: HUMANITIES				
AREA D: SOCIAL/BEHAVIORAL SCIENCE				
AREA E: LIFELONG LEARNING & SELF-DEVELOPMENT				
AREA F: ETHNIC STUDIES				

**COLLEGE OF THE SEQUOIAS
INTERSEGMENTAL GENERAL EDUCATION TRANSFER CURRICULUM (IGETC)
2022-2023 CERTIFICATION FOR UC & CSU TRANSFER STUDENTS**

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IGETC for CSU/UC

- For students who are interested in transferring to a CSU and or UC

AREA	C	OC	U	O
AREA 1: ENGLISH COMMUNICATION				
AREA 2: MATHEMATICS				
AREA 3: AREA 3A: PHYSICAL & BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES				
AREA 4: LANGUAGE OTHER THAN ENGLISH				

Expectations for college coursework

Study to unit ratio (1:2) –

- Example: 3 units class x 2 hrs of study time = 6 hrs of study time outside class
- 12 units x 2 hours of study time outside class = 24 hours of study time outside class
- Consider how many hours you are working...
- Consider how many hours you are sleeping...
- Consider how many hours you are hanging out with your friends...

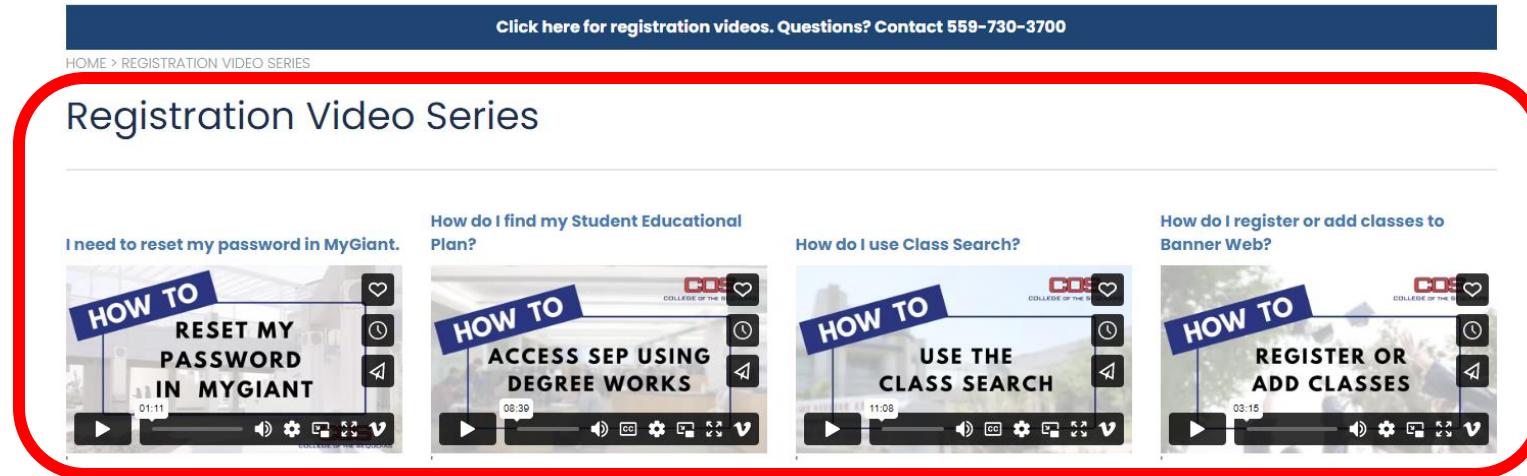
Understand dates and timelines of when to drop a class

- You are responsible for dropping from the class

Talk to your instructor/counselors if you're struggling

Building Your Class Schedule

- Check How-To Registration videos on the main COS webpage



- Build your schedule workshops will be offered in March and April
- Lookout for more information in your COS email from your COS Outreach specialist

Priority Registration (April 20-21, 2023)

This is the **DAY** you get to register for your classes!!!!

You can register anywhere. - Just don't text and drive. :)

Check How-To Registration videos on the main COS webpage

Lookout for more information in your COS email from your COS Outreach specialist

After registering for classes...

- Attend Giant Days in August 2023
- **Check COS email for communications** *(primary source of communication – check once a week)*
 - Financial Aid
 - Campus life/events
- Student IDs, Transportation, Parking Permit
- Library – computer and hotspot check-outs
- Health Center Services, Food Pantry
- Special Programs (EOPS, CalWorks, Student Success, PUENTE, and more)
- Follow us on social media @COSgiant, Instagram and/or Facebook