



# Middle College At Las Positas College

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# History of Middle College

- Originated in NY, 1974, as an alternative to the traditional high school curriculum.
- This unique program combines the last two years of high school with the first two years of college and provides students with counseling, small classes, and an interdisciplinary curriculum.
- In California, students receive dual credit for both high school and college.



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- A collaboration between Tri-Valley K-12 Districts and LPC
  - Tri-Valley ROP
  - Livermore Valley Joint Unified
  - Pleasanton Unified
  - Dublin Unified
- 5 Comprehensive and 3 Alternative High Schools
- ***This is the only program of this kind in the state of California.***



# Implementation

## **Spring 2015:**

- 132 initial applicants
- 34 sophomore students successfully completed applications/eligibility process
- Interviewed all 34 applicants, provided additional information about the program, and answered any questions for parents and students.
- Develop Student Educational Plans for each student
- LPC Course Registration

## **Summer 2015:**

- Welcome event for parents and students
- Student orientation to Las Positas College

## **Fall 2015:**

- Las Positas welcomes the first Middle College class