

Murrieta Valley Unified School District



California College Guidance Initiative (CCGI) – Notice and Opt-Out Form

Dear Parent/Guardian:

The Murrieta Valley Unified School District (District) is working with the California College Guidance Initiative (CCGI), which operates under the auspices of the Foundation for California Community Colleges (CCGI/Foundation), to provide each student with a free web-based account that will help your child track his or her academic progress and identify college and university opportunities. CCGI manages CaliforniaColleges.edu, the State of California’s official college and career planning platform.

The District will provide CCGI/Foundation with student directory information, transcripts, demographics, and student ID numbers to establish student accounts. Students are also able to store in their CCGI accounts portfolio documents such as letters of recommendation, resumes, and commendations or awards. In addition, CCGI/Foundation supports data-sharing between the District and California higher education institutions in which students are interested to help smooth the students’ school transition from the District to higher education. This effort also will help the District monitor and improve programs that support your child.

The District has a data sharing and services agreement in place that requires student data shared with CCGI to be stored securely, with all appropriate safeguards provided by federal and state law. CCGI may later release certain data to an individual college or university or scholarship provider that may offer an opportunity for your child, but only if your child is notified of the specific request and permits CCGI to release this information. Additionally, the District may release student data to nonprofit organizations that already provide college access services to the District and its students, but only where the data released relates to the service being provided.

Participation in CCGI is optional and requires your signature to opt-out. If you have any questions or if you wish to opt-out of this program, please reach out to your student’s counselor or return a copy of the signed form to your student’s counselor.

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CCGI Opt-Out Form

I wish to opt-out my student from the CCGI program for the _____ school year(s).

Student Name: _____ Date of Birth: _____

Student ID Number _____

Parent/Guardian Name: _____

Signature of Parent/Guardian: _____