# 2022-2023 Fiscal Year **REPORT TO THE LEGISLATURE**



## The California State Library's Career Online High School Program



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#### Report To The Legislature on the Career Online High School Program of the California State Library

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Cover photo: Orange County Public Libraries 2023 Career Online High School Graduate Maria and loved ones.

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## **Executive Summary**

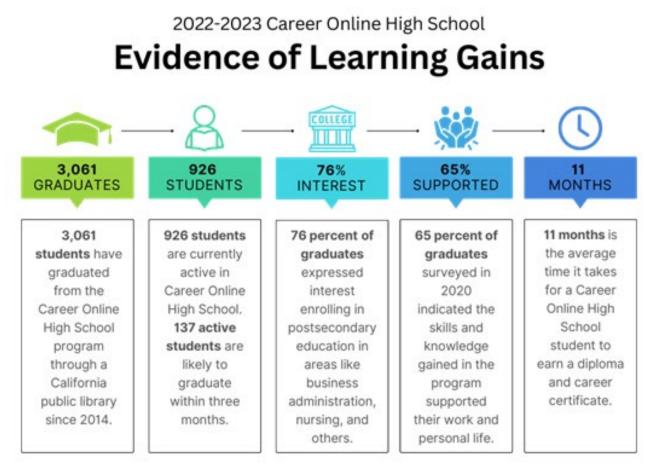
The Career Online High School Program is a public-private partnership that enables students to earn a no-cost high school diploma through their local public library. It is funded for Californians by the State of California.

Career Online High School provides students with important professional and occupational support. Students enrolled in Career Online High School work toward their high school diploma and at the same time get online training toward a career certificate in one of 10 high-demand, high-growth fields, such as childcare and home care professionals, homeland security, commercial driving, and retail customer service. To help with the job search process after graduation, students also create resumes and career portfolios.

California's Career Online High School program is offered at 797 of the state's 1,127 public libraries, at no cost to students. It complements other adult education opportunities by providing an online program that can fit into the schedules of working and parenting adults.

Career Online High School has helped 3,061 California adults earn a high school diploma. Three hundred eighty-six students graduated between July 1, 2022, and June 30, 2023. As of June 30, 2023, 926 students are pursuing their degree through the program. One hundred thirty-seven of these students are within three months of graduation.

Fifty-five percent of students who enroll complete the program. Students take an average of 11 months to receive their diploma. Seventy-four percent of graduates indicate interest in postsecondary education to pursue areas of study like business administration, nursing, childcare, criminal justice, medical billing, and other programs.



In May 2023, the State Library increased access to the program and promoted educational equity by adding seven new libraries, eliminating the cash match requirement to make it easier for libraries in high-need areas to participate, and providing enrollment options for interested students living in areas where the local library does not currently provide the program.

As of June 30, 2023, California libraries that offer Career Online High School have delivered the following results:

- 3,061 graduates since 2014
- 137 adult students are likely to graduate in the next 3 months
- 926 adult students are currently active in the program
- 11 months on average to complete the program
- 76 percent of graduates express interest in post-secondary education during their exit interview
- 99.4 percent said they would recommend this program to others

### Policy and Programmatic Considerations Statewide Career Online High School Public Awareness Campaign

Career Online High School's approach to education and flexible online format is an effective model for adults returning to school later in life. A statewide public awareness campaign would expand community awareness, interest, and support for the Career Online High School program with eligible adults currently unfamiliar with the program.

The campaign would increase the impact of this program by partnering with California adult education consortia and the California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation to create a targeted alliance with adult education program providers and decarcerated service organizations, such as probation departments, parole officers, and day reporting services.

Additionally, a statewide awareness campaign would enhance local library public awareness efforts and support libraries who have indicated they have limited staff capacity to promote the program.

No funding is currently earmarked for this purpose.

#### Funding for Additional Scholarships

Funding to purchase additional scholarships will be needed when the current set are used by students, which could happen as early as 2026 based on usage data. Without this funding, it will not be possible to continue and extend the impact of the public library-based online high school diploma program for adults in California.

## The Importance of a High School Diploma

Although 91 percent of adults over 25 in the U.S. now have a high school diploma, California's 84 percent graduation rate is among the lowest in the nation. More than 6 million Californians lack a high school diploma.<sup>1</sup>

"I wanted to prove to myself that I can actually do it, and because I believe that education is the key to success in life. I've gained so many wonderful experiences throughout this entire process. Growing up, I never liked learning anything, and I've always believed that I'm just not smart or good enough to learn anything. But, [the online high school experience] has changed my belief...I am more capable of achieving anything I put my mind to...My future goal is to continue my education, and I hope to attend college."

-- Raymond, San Francisco Public Library Graduate

Adults without high school diplomas are routinely excluded from opportunities in the workplace and higher education.

In 2019, high school graduates could expect to earn about \$7,436 more in annual income than those without a diploma.<sup>2</sup> By 2023, that number had increased by 29 percent to \$9,568.<sup>3</sup> Between the ages of 18 and 64, a high school graduate will make about \$440,128 more in lifetime earnings than those without a diploma.<sup>4</sup> As the disparity in annual income between those with a diploma and those without a diploma increases, those without a diploma will continue to see a decrease in overall lifetime earnings.

<sup>1</sup> United States Census Bureau "Quick Facts" viewed on 15 April 2024.

<sup>2</sup> U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics "Median weekly earnings \$606 for high school dropouts, \$1,559 for advanced degree holders" viewed 15 April 2024.

<sup>3 &</sup>quot;Median weekly earnings \$721 for workers without high school diploma, \$1,864 for advanced degree" viewed on 15 April 2024.

<sup>4</sup> The average age of retirement in California is 64 years of age, "The Average Age Of Retirement In The U.S.", viewed on 15 April 2024.

## A Library-Based Solution

For adults struggling to juggle childcare, multiple jobs, and monthly expenses, a high school diploma may be a deferred or unattainable dream. But for 3,061 Californians, public libraries have provided a path to a high school diploma through Career Online High School, an accredited online high school program.

All graduates earn a career certificate in one of 10 high-demand, high-growth fields, such as childcare, home care professionals, homeland security, commercial driving, and retail customer service. Three of these career certificate majors prepare students to pursue an industry credential. For example, the Commercial Driving Certificate prepares students for the exam required for the Commercial Learner's Permit, which is the first step in obtaining a Commercial Driver's License. Students also create a resume and career portfolio to help them with the job search process after graduation.

"I gained confidence and a feeling of self-worth, courage to get out there in the world and make something of myself, and lastly not having to depend on anyone to help me financially. Now, I can make my own money in life and take care of myself. My future education plans are first to get a license to become a notary and take nursing classes down the line."

-- Sarah, LA County Public Library

**Seventy-two of California's 186 library jurisdictions now offer Career Online High School.** These jurisdictions comprise 797 individual libraries in 34 of California's 58 counties (see Appendix A).

Thousands of Californians have turned to their libraries to explore Career Online High School. In just three months, between April and June 2023, the California State Library's <u>Career Online High School</u> <u>webpage</u> received almost 5,000 visitors.

Los Angeles Public Library has 847 online high school graduates, the most of any California library. Los Angeles County Library is second with 579 graduates.

Local libraries, businesses, and nonprofits have matched the state's investment by contributing over \$4.7 million in support of Career Online High School in their communities. Libraries also commit significant staff time promoting the program, enrolling students, monitoring progress, and hosting graduation ceremonies.

Career Online High School's virtual learning environment supports independent learners. Courses align with national standards and all students have access to academic coaches. Unlike the General Education Development (GED) test, there is no charge for exams. Adults also do not need a minimum number of credits to enroll, as some adult education high school diploma programs require. Students have up to 18 months to complete the Career Online High School program. Students can also transfer credits from their high school, GED, adult school, and other educational experiences. The typical California student takes 11 months to graduate.



Raphael, San Franisco Public Library Career Online High School Graduate, and a loved one. Photo courtesy of the San Francisco Public Library.

#### **Program History**

Inspired by the successes of six libraries that initiated their own adult high school diploma program, the governor and the Legislature approved a \$1 million pilot for the library-based Career Online High School program in the 2015-2016 fiscal year, providing 873 scholarships for public libraries to award to adult learners in their communities.

## "I wanted to finish my diploma so I can continue my education, get a better job, and be a good example to my kids."

-- Jessica, Stockton-San Joaquin County Public Library

Over the past seven years, the State of California has funded an additional 7,124 scholarships for public libraries and their communities. As of June 30, 2023:

- 4,276 scholarships have been allocated to California adults
  - 3,061 students have graduated
  - 926 students are working on their degrees
  - 289 students did not complete the program
- 2,848 scholarships remain available for local libraries to request and award to community members

## The Impact of a High School Diploma

Each Career Online High School graduate is predicted to increase their median yearly earnings by an average of \$9,568.<sup>5</sup> Adults with higher earnings typically pay higher taxes than individuals who earn less. Therefore, Career Online High School graduates are expected to contribute more to the state's economy than they would without a high school diploma.

Because adults without a high school diploma face the greatest social, economic, and health barriers of any educational attainment category,<sup>6</sup> adults who receive a high school diploma will also contribute to governmental and taxpayer savings by relying less on social services.

Almost three-quarters of California Career Online High School graduates who responded to an exit survey said they plan to go on to higher education, which will further increase their social, economic, and health opportunities.

5 "<u>Median weekly earnings \$721 for</u> workers without high school diploma, <u>\$1,864 for advanced degree</u>" viewed on 15 April 2024.

6 United Health Foundation "**2021 Health Disparities Report – Executive Brief**" viewed 15 April 2024.



From left to right, Maria, Michael, Maricela, and Santiago, Orange County Public Libraries Career Online High School 2023 Graduates. Photo courtesy of the Orange County Public Libraries.

## How The Program Works

The Career Online High School program provides a high school diploma and essential career preparation. In addition to the traditional diploma track, enrolled students work toward a certificate in one of 10 high-demand fields and create a resume and career portfolio before graduation.

To receive a scholarship for Career Online High School, students undergo a five-step vetting process. The following process helps ensure the program is a good fit for each student before full enrollment:

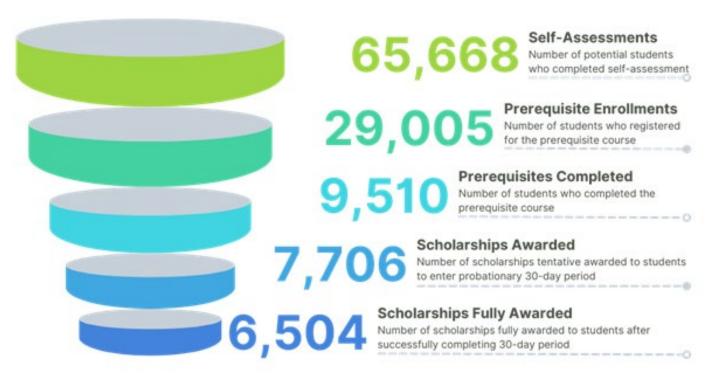


- Self-assessment The self-assessment captures a potential student's contact information, prior education, schedule, access to technology, and goals for obtaining a high school diploma.
- Preliminary Coursework Two-Week Period (Prerequisite) A library staff person reviews the selfassessment and provides qualifying potential students a link to the library's personalized Career Online High School website to enroll in the preliminary coursework period, also known as the "prerequisite course." During this stage, a student selects their career path and begins the twoweek prerequisite course. A student must successfully complete this portion with a cumulative score of 70 percent or higher within two weeks of enrollment.
- Interview When a student successfully completes the prerequisite coursework, they schedule an interview with the library's Career Online High School staff person. During this stage, the library learns more about the student's goals, prior education, and prerequisite experience to determine whether the student will be successful moving into the next stage.
- Probationary Coursework 30-Day Period If a student has a successful interview and believes the Career Online High School program model fits their needs, a student is tentatively awarded a scholarship and placed in the 30-day probationary coursework period. Students then have a month of full access to the Career Online High School program to begin formal coursework toward their diploma and career certificate. During this period, the student is matched with an academic coach and begins generating a work plan. Their success in this portion determines if they are awarded a scholarship.
- Scholarship Award After a student successfully completes each of the four prior steps, they are awarded a scholarship. They must complete their high school diploma and career certificate within 18 months of enrollment. If a student does not successfully complete their 30-day probationary coursework, they are not awarded a scholarship but may try again in the future.

At each step, students who do not meet program requirements may have the opportunity to begin the enrollment process again or are directed to other library and community services that may be a better fit for their current needs. The Career Online High School multi-step enrollment process allows prospective students to try the program to ensure it meets their learning needs and lifestyle and maximizes efficient use of state-funded resources.

The chart below shows how many students have moved through each step of the enrollment process for all California libraries as of June 30, 2023.

## 2022-2023 Career Online High School Student Progression Through Enrollment Process



## 2023-2024 Career Online High School Program Highlights

In May 2023, the State Library implemented an expanded, equity-focused program model to address barriers to participation. The changes included the removal of the match requirement that libraries must purchase scholarships at the same rate that they receive scholarships free of charge, updated reporting requirements to capture the full in-kind contribution from participating libraries, the implementation of a new program model to accommodate the varying levels of capacity in California libraries, and regular networking and training for library workers to ensure the success of Career Online High School programs.

In the new program model, Smart Horizons Career Online Education staff support the student onboarding process into the Career Online High School program. Libraries with limited capacity are then able to focus on building community awareness and providing student support. Immediately after the changes were implemented in May 2023, two new library jurisdictions applied to participate in Career Online High School: Camarillo Public Library and Shasta Public Libraries. Each said they applied as a direct result of the changes to the program requirements.

Five additional library jurisdictions and a statewide enrollment site were added to the program in August 2023 to coincide with the start of the traditional school year: Merced County Library, Oakland Public Library, Ontario City Library, Pasadena Public Library, and Siskiyou County Library.

These libraries had previously identified a community need and expressed interest in participating in Career Online High School. However, they were unable to participate in the program due to staff capacity and other organizational barriers until the new model was implemented.

The five libraries received initial Career Online High School onboarding and training, marketing materials, an individualized student enrollment site, and other support. Like all other participating libraries, the new libraries are responsible for community awareness building, local partner development, and student support. Trained Smart Horizons Career Online Education also support interested students through the multi-step enrollment process.

In December 2023, Lincoln Public Library joined the program. In January 2024, Career Online High School had its first graduate from a newly joined program at the Merced County Library. A total of four students from new libraries have graduated at the time this report was written in April 2024.

Ongoing participating libraries promoted and expanded their Career Online High School programs. In the six-month period between July 1, 2023, and December 31, 2023, scholarship usage increased by 38 percent compared to January 1, 2023 – June 30, 2023, when the changes were first implemented, and increased by 85 percent compared to the same period in 2022 (July 1, 2022 – December 31, 2022).

Between July 1, 2023, and December 31, 2023, participating Career Online High School libraries contributed over \$750,000 in in-kind support to the Career Online High School program, exceeding the State's contribution of \$657,000 in scholarships fully awarded during this period.

During this time, Career Online High School libraries partnered with over 100 local organizations that included adult schools, school districts, county offices of education, probation departments, religious organizations, and other important groups to build community awareness, make regional connections, and broaden their reach to adults in need.

Finally, the support offered to California libraries by the State Library and Smart Horizons increased this year. Library staff now receive individual support from State Library and Smart Horizons Career Online Education staff, in-depth trainings and refresher trainings led by Smart Horizons Online Education staff, and bimonthly virtual networking sessions. During the bimonthly sessions, library staff share program updates and receive support from one another and technical assistance from California State Library and Smart Horizons



From left to right, Lori, Angelique, and Ritamarie, Ventura County Library Career Online High School 2023 Graduates Photo courtesy of the Ventura County Library.

staff. Training emphasizes how the Career Online High School's unique program model helps libraries articulate how Career Online High School helps fill educational needs in their communities without competing with or duplicating the efforts of local adult education services.

## Appendix A: Participating Libraries Total Scholarships

The following table shows: 1) The total number of scholarships provided to libraries; 2) How many of those scholarships were funded by the State of California; 3) The number of scholarships awarded to students entering the Probationary Coursework 30-Day Period; 4) The number of scholarships executed, enabling a student to officially enroll in Career Online High School; and 5) The number of scholarships remaining in each library jurisdiction's supply as of June 30, 2023.

Due to the time of application, Camarillo Public Library and Shasta Public Libraries data are not included on this report.

|                           | Scholarships | Scholarships | Scholarships |              |              |
|---------------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
|                           | Purchased by | Awarded by   | Awarded to   | Scholarships | Scholarships |
| Library Jurisdiction      | Library      | the State    | Students     | Executed     | Remaining    |
| Alameda County Library    | 15           | 15           | 36           | 29           | 1            |
| Altadena Library District | 3            | 3            | 3            | 2            | 4            |
| Amador County Library     | 4            | 7            | 2            | 2            | 9            |
| Azusa City Library        | 12           | 14           | 13           | 12           | 14           |
| Banning Library District  | 1            | 5            | 4            | 2            | 4            |
| Beaumont Library District | 11           | 12           | 12           | 9            | 14           |
| Blanchard Community       | 1            | 4            | 1            | 0            | 5            |
| Library                   |              |              |              |              |              |
| Butte County Library      | 4            | 6            | 6            | 4            | 6            |
| Carlsbad City Library     | 24           | 24           | 41           | 35           | 13           |
| Chula Vista Public        | 19           | 22           | 37           | 34           | 7            |
| Library                   |              |              |              |              |              |
| Coalinga-Huron Library    | 3            | 3            | 3            | 3            | 3            |
| District                  |              |              |              |              |              |
| Colusa County Free        | 3            | 11           | 10           | 9            | 5            |
| Library                   |              |              |              |              |              |
| Contra Costa County       | 14           | 26           | 44           | 40           | 0            |
| Library                   |              |              |              |              |              |
| Corona Public Library     | 17           | 18           | 33           | 26           | 9            |
| Del Norte County Library  | 1            | 5            | 0            | 0            | 6            |
| District                  |              |              |              |              |              |
| El Dorado County Library  | 14           | 17           | 30           | 25           | 6            |
| Fresno County Public      | 5            | 19           | 16           | 13           | 11           |
| Library                   |              |              |              |              |              |
| Hayward Public Library    | 18           | 29           | 39           | 34           | 13           |

|                            | Scholarships | Scholarships | Scholarships |              |              |
|----------------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
|                            | Purchased by | Awarded by   | Awarded to   | Scholarships | Scholarships |
| Library Jurisdiction       | Library      | the State    | Students     | Executed     | Remaining    |
| Huntington Beach Public    | 12           | 12           | 24           | 19           | 5            |
| Library                    |              |              |              |              |              |
| Imperial County Free       | 3            | 7            | 1            | 1            | 9            |
| Library                    |              |              |              |              |              |
| Inglewood Public Library   | 20           | 38           | 43           | 33           | 25           |
| Kern County Library        | 4            | 20           | 25           | 18           | 6            |
| Kings County Library       | 7            | 11           | 13           | 11           | 7            |
| LA County Library*         | 605          | 560          | 1397         | 1131         | 34           |
| Livermore Public Library   | 5            | 20           | 1            | 1            | 24           |
| Lodi Public Library        | 3            | 3            | 3            | 1            | 5            |
| Long Beach Public          | 100          | 145          | 199          | 173          | 72           |
| Library                    |              |              |              |              |              |
| Los Angeles Public         | 852          | 1020         | 2274         | 1840         | 32           |
| Library*                   |              |              |              |              |              |
| Marin County Free          | 10           | 10           | 6            | 6            | 14           |
| Library                    |              |              |              |              |              |
| Mariposa County Library    | 1            | 3            | 1            | 0            | 4            |
| Mendocino County           | 0            | 0            | 0            | 0            | 0            |
| Library **                 |              |              |              |              |              |
| Mission Viejo Library      | 3            | 12           | 4            | 3            | 12           |
| Monterey County Free       | 5            | 5            | 5            | 3            | 7            |
| Libraries                  |              |              |              |              |              |
| Mountain View Public       | 6            | 12           | 13           | 10           | 8            |
| Library                    |              |              |              |              |              |
| Napa County Library        | 13           | 13           | 21           | 19           | 7            |
| Nevada County Library      | 2            | 10           | 7            | 7            | 5            |
| Newport Beach Public       | 11           | 11           | 21           | 17           | 5            |
| Library                    |              |              |              |              |              |
| Oakland Public             | 8            | 10           | 22           | 19           | -1           |
| Library***                 |              |              |              |              |              |
| OC Public Libraries        | 48           | 62           | 122          | 110          | 0            |
| Oceanside Public Library   | 8            | 10           | 18           | 16           | 2            |
| Palm Springs Public        | 19           | 19           | 31           | 22           | 16           |
| Library                    |              |              |              |              |              |
| Porterville Public Library | 6            | 6            | 6            | 5            | 7            |
| Rancho Cucamonga           | 1            | 4            | 0            | 0            | 5            |
| Public Library             |              |              |              |              |              |
| Redwood City Public        | 21           | 21           | 42           | 32           | 10           |
| Library                    |              |              |              |              |              |

|                                   | Scholarships<br>Purchased by | Scholarships<br>Awarded by | Scholarships<br>Awarded to | Scholarships | Scholarships |
|-----------------------------------|------------------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|--------------|--------------|
| Library Jurisdiction              | Library                      | the State                  | Students                   | Executed     | Remaining    |
| Richmond Public Library           | 36                           | 57                         | 100                        | 85           | 8            |
| Riverside County Library          | 13                           | 32                         | 53                         | 45           | 0            |
| System                            | 22/                          | 055                        | 107                        | EDE          |              |
| Sacramento Public                 | 336                          | 255                        | 607                        | 525          | 66           |
| Library*                          | 3                            | 2                          |                            |              | 4            |
| San Benito County Free            | 3                            | 3                          | 2                          | 2            | 4            |
| Library                           | 0.45                         | 01/                        | 400                        | 401          | 40           |
| San Bernardino County<br>Library* | 245                          | 216                        | 489                        | 421          | 40           |
| San Diego County                  | 216                          | 250                        | 389                        | 344          | 122          |
| Library                           |                              |                            |                            |              |              |
| San Diego Public Library*         | 260                          | 155                        | 278                        | 247          | 168          |
| San Francisco Public              | 176                          | 61                         | 213                        | 216          | 21           |
| Library*                          |                              |                            |                            |              |              |
| San José Public Library           | 117                          | 245                        | 294                        | 262          | 100          |
| San Leandro Public                | 3                            | 6                          | 7                          | 7            | 2            |
| Library                           |                              |                            |                            |              |              |
| San Mateo County                  | 34                           | 34                         | 66                         | 62           | 6            |
| Libraries                         |                              |                            |                            |              |              |
| Santa Ana Public Library          | 5                            | 9                          | 13                         | 12           | 2            |
| Santa Barbara Public              | 8                            | 17                         | 26                         | 23           | 2            |
| Library                           |                              |                            |                            |              |              |
| Santa Clara City Library          | 4                            | 7                          | 9                          | 8            | 3            |
| Santa Clara County                | 5                            | 5                          | 8                          | 7            | 3            |
| Library District                  |                              |                            |                            |              |              |
| Santa Cruz Public                 | 0                            | 1                          | 1                          | 1            | 0            |
| Library**                         |                              |                            |                            |              |              |
| Santa Fe Springs City             | 11                           | 11                         | 14                         | 12           | 10           |
| Library                           |                              |                            |                            |              |              |
| Santa Monica Public<br>Library    | 16                           | 26                         | 36                         | 36           | 6            |
| Simi Valley Public Library        | 1                            | 4                          | 2                          | 1            | 4            |
| Solano County Library             | 43                           | 4                          | 89                         | 84           | 4            |
| Sonoma County Library             | 24                           | 32                         | 45                         | 42           | 14           |
| Stockton-San Joaquin              | 27                           | 36                         | 71                         | 56           | 7            |
| County Public Library             | 2/                           |                            |                            | 50           | '            |
| Sunnyvale Public Library          | 8                            | 8                          | 17                         | 13           | 3            |
| Tulare County Free                | 7                            | 51                         | 52                         | 44           | 14           |
| Library                           | /                            |                            | 02                         |              |              |
|                                   | <u> </u>                     | 1                          |                            |              |              |

| Library Jurisdiction     | Scholarships<br>Purchased by<br>Library | Scholarships<br>Awarded by<br>the State | Scholarships<br>Awarded to<br>Students | Scholarships<br>Executed | Scholarships<br>Remaining |
|--------------------------|---|---|--|--------------------------|---------------------------|
| Tulare Public Library    | 6                                       | 26                                      | 29                                     | 25                       | 7                         |
| Ventura County Library   | 36                                      | 70                                      | 105                                    | 90                       | 16                        |
| Victorville City Library | 2                                       | 15                                      | 17                                     | 14                       | 3                         |
| Woodland Public Library  | 13                                      | 17                                      | 10                                     | 10                       | 20                        |
| Yolo County Library      | 14                                      | 20                                      | 35                                     | 34                       | 0                         |
| Grand Total              | 3611                                    | 3994                                    | 7706                                   | 6504                     | 1101                      |

\*Pre-pilot libraries now participating in State project. Some local purchases predate the State Program

\*\*Library jurisdictions no longer participating in Career Online High School program.

\*\*\*Oakland Public Library did not participate in Career Online High School in the 2022-2023 period. They became an active program in August 2023.

## **Appendix B: Participating Libraries Student Data**

The following table shows: 1) Part 1 enrollments; 2) Part 1 Completions; 3) Scholarships tentatively awarded; 4) Scholarships fully awarded after 30 days; 5) Total incomplete; and 6) Total alumni for each library jurisdiction as of June 30, 2023.

|                           | Part 1      | Dout 1                | Scholarships           | Coholarrahima            |            |        |
|---------------------------|-------------|-----------------------|------------------------|--------------------------|------------|--------|
| Library Jurisdiction      | Enrollments | Part 1<br>Completions | Tentatively<br>Awarded | Scholarships<br>Executed | Incomplete | Alumni |
| Altadena Library District | 6           | 3                     | 3                      | 2                        | 1          | 0      |
| Alameda County Library    | 124         | 47                    | 36                     | 29                       | 6          | 13     |
| Amador County Library     | 2           | 2                     | 2                      | 2                        | 0          | 1      |
| Azusa City Library        | 33          | 15                    | 13                     | 12                       | 6          | 6      |
| Banning Library District  | 13          | 5                     | 4                      | 2                        | 0          | 0      |
| Beaumont Library District | 19          | 14                    | 12                     | 9                        | 2          | 6      |
| Blanchard Community       | 5           | 1                     | 1                      | 0                        | 0          | 0      |
| Library                   |             |                       |                        |                          |            |        |
| Butte County Library      | 20          | 8                     | 6                      | 4                        | 0          | 1      |
| Carlsbad City Library     | 100         | 41                    | 41                     | 35                       | 5          | 22     |
| Chula Vista Public        | 109         | 52                    | 37                     | 34                       | 13         | 17     |
| Library                   |             |                       |                        |                          |            |        |
| Coalinga-Huron Library    | 22          | 8                     | 3                      | 3                        | 1          | 2      |
| District                  |             |                       |                        |                          |            |        |
| Colusa County Free        | 35          | 13                    | 10                     | 9                        | 1          | 4      |
| Library                   |             |                       |                        |                          |            |        |
| Contra Costa County       | 146         | 49                    | 44                     | 40                       | 12         | 10     |
| Library                   |             |                       |                        |                          |            |        |
| Corona Public Library     | 104         | 38                    | 33                     | 26                       | 7          | 17     |

|                            |             |             | Scholarships |              |            |           |
|----------------------------|-------------|-------------|--------------|--------------|------------|-----------|
|                            | Part 1      | Part 1      | Tentatively  | Scholarships |            |           |
| Library Jurisdiction       | Enrollments | Completions | Awarded      | Executed     | Incomplete | Alumni    |
| Del Norte County Library   | 1           | 0           | 0            | 0            | 0          | 0         |
| District                   |             |             |              |              |            |           |
| El Dorado County Library   | 59          | 36          | 30           | 25           | 18         | 5         |
| Fresno County Public       | 194         | 66          | 16           | 13           | 3          | 7         |
| Library                    |             |             |              |              |            |           |
| Hayward Public Library     | 103         | 45          | 39           | 34           | 11         | 15        |
| Huntington Beach Public    | 57          | 26          | 24           | 19           | 3          | 12        |
| Library                    |             |             |              |              |            |           |
| Imperial County Free       | 4           | 2           | 1            | 1            | 0          | 0         |
| Library                    |             |             |              |              |            |           |
| Inglewood Public Library   | 147         | 48          | 43           | 33           | 11         | 13        |
| Kern County Library        | 117         | 40          | 25           | 18           | 8          | 5         |
| Kings County Library       | 54          | 16          | 13           | 11           | 6          | 4         |
| LA County Library*         | 4711        | 1795        | 1397         | 1131         | 411        | 579       |
| Livermore Public Library   | 3           | 2           | 1            | 1            | 0          | 0         |
| Lodi Public Library        | 7           | 4           | 3            | 1            | 0          | 0         |
| Long Beach Public          | 521         | 237         | 199          | 173          | 68         | 90        |
| Library                    |             |             |              |              |            |           |
| Los Angeles Public         | 12364       | 3051        | 2274         | 1840         | 739        | 847       |
| Library*                   |             |             |              |              |            |           |
| Marin County Free          | 31          | 7           | 6            | 6            | 4          | 2         |
| Library                    |             |             |              |              |            |           |
| Mariposa County Library    | 2           | 1           | 1            | 0            | 0          | 0         |
| Mendocino County           | 0           | 0           | 0            | 0            | 0          | 0         |
| Library**                  |             |             |              |              |            |           |
| Mission Viejo Library      | 8           | 4           | 4            | 3            | 0          | 0         |
| Monterey County Free       | 11          | 6           | 5            | 3            | 0          | 0         |
| Libraries                  |             |             |              |              |            |           |
| Mountain View Public       | 33          | 12          | 13           | 10           | 1          | 3         |
| Library                    |             |             |              |              |            |           |
| Napa County Library        | 57          | 24          | 21           | 19           | 10         | 9         |
| Nevada County Library      | 15          | 5           | 7            | 7            | 2          | 5         |
| Newport Beach Public       | 59          | 26          | 21           | 17           | 6          | 11        |
| Library                    |             |             |              |              |            |           |
| Oakland Public             | 76          | 26          | 22           | 19           | 8          | 10        |
| Library***                 | 0.50        | 1.40        | 100          | 110          | 0.4        | <b>C1</b> |
| OC Public Libraries        | 359         | 149         | 122          | 110          | 26         | 51        |
| Oceanside Public Library   | 58          | 26          | 18           | 16           | 3          | 9         |
| Palm Springs Public        | 88          | 40          | 31           | 22           | 9          | 10        |
| Library                    | 1.(         | 7           | ,            |              |            |           |
| Porterville Public Library | 16          | 7           | 6            | 5            | 2          | 2         |

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| Library Jurisdiction       | Enrollments | Completions | Awarded      | Executed     | Incomplete | Alumni |
| Rancho Cucamonga           | 0           | 0           | 0            | 0            | 0          | 0      |
| Public Library             |             |             |              |              |            |        |
| Redwood City Public        | 120         | 44          | 42           | 32           | 13         | 14     |
| Library                    |             |             |              |              |            |        |
| Richmond Public Library    | 364         | 108         | 100          | 85           | 15         | 61     |
| Riverside County Library   | 155         | 72          | 53           | 45           | 13         | 12     |
| System                     |             |             |              |              |            |        |
| Sacramento Public          | 1822        | 711         | 607          | 525          | 201        | 239    |
| Library*                   |             |             |              |              |            |        |
| San Benito County Free     | 5           | 2           | 2            | 2            | 0          | 0      |
| Library                    |             |             |              |              |            |        |
| San Bernardino County      | 1321        | 523         | 489          | 421          | 197        | 176    |
| Library*                   |             |             |              |              |            |        |
| San Diego County           | 1099        | 407         | 389          | 344          | 104        | 141    |
| Library                    |             |             |              |              |            |        |
| San Diego Public Library*  | 817         | 356         | 278          | 247          | 69         | 131    |
| San Francisco Public       | 916         | 238         | 213          | 216          | 80         | 82     |
| Library*                   |             |             |              |              |            |        |
| San José Public Library    | 720         | 341         | 294          | 262          | 61         | 162    |
| San Leandro Public         | 18          | 9           | 7            | 7            | 0          | 3      |
| Library                    |             |             |              |              |            |        |
| San Mateo County           | 219         | 74          | 66           | 62           | 24         | 25     |
| Libraries                  |             |             |              |              |            |        |
| Santa Ana Public Library   | 29          | 10          | 13           | 12           | 3          | 4      |
| Santa Barbara Public       | 56          | 24          | 26           | 23           | 4          | 8      |
| Library                    |             |             |              |              |            |        |
| Santa Clara City Library   | 22          | 11          | 9            | 8            | 1          | 7      |
| Santa Clara County         | 26          | 11          | 8            | 7            | 1          | 1      |
| Library District           |             |             |              |              |            |        |
| Santa Cruz Public          | 26          | 1           | 1            | 1            | 1          | 0      |
| Library**                  |             |             |              |              |            |        |
| Santa Fe Springs City      | 32          | 18          | 14           | 12           | 4          | 4      |
| Library                    |             |             |              |              |            |        |
| Santa Monica Public        | 65          | 32          | 36           | 36           | 5          | 20     |
| Library                    |             |             |              |              |            |        |
| Simi Valley Public Library | 7           | 2           | 2            | 1            | 0          | 0      |
| Solano County Library      | 276         | 103         | 89           | 84           | 26         | 34     |
| Sonoma County Library      | 118         | 51          | 45           | 42           | 9          | 15     |
| Stockton-San Joaquin       | 206         | 78          | 71           | 56           | 18         | 31     |
| County Public Library      |             |             |              |              |            |        |
| Sunnyvale Public Library   | 63          | 25          | 17           | 13           | 5          | 4      |

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|                          | Part 1      | Part 1      | Tentatively  | Scholarships |            |        |
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| Tulare County Free       | 107         | 55          | 52           | 44           | 15         | 24     |
| Library                  |             |             |              |              |            |        |
| Tulare Public Library    | 83          | 34          | 29           | 25           | 8          | 14     |
| Ventura County Library   | 214         | 106         | 105          | 90           | 38         | 39     |
| Victorville City Library | 51          | 19          | 17           | 14           | 0          | 4      |
| Woodland Public Library  | 31          | 10          | 10           | 10           | 6          | 4      |
| Yolo County Library      | 124         | 38          | 35           | 34           | 12         | 14     |
| Grand Total              | 29005       | 9510        | 7706         | 6504         | 2336       | 3061   |

\*Pre-pilot libraries now participating in State project. Some local purchases predate the State Program

\*\*Library jurisdictions no longer participating in Career Online High School program.

\*\*\*Oakland Public Library did not participate in Career Online High School in the 2022-2023 period. They became an active program in August 2023.

## Appendix C: Participating Libraries Student Total Units Attempted and Completed

The chart below shows: 1) The number of units attempted and completed by Career Online High School students during the preliminary coursework period ("Part 1 (Prerequisite)"); 2) The number of units attempted and completed during the 30-day probationary period ("Part 2"); and 3) The number of units attempted and completed by those who were awarded scholarship after successfully completing Part 2 ("Part 2 (Qualified after 30 Days)") as of June 30, 2023:

|                                    |                       |         | Part 2                    |
|------------------------------------|-----------------------|---------|---------------------------|
|                                    | Part 1 (Prerequisite) | Part 2  | (Qualified after 30 Days) |
| # of units (sections or 0.5 credit | 29,232                | 121,995 | 120,097                   |
| courses) attempted by students     |                       |         |                           |
| # of units (sections or 0.5 credit | 9,456                 | 113,223 | 112,814                   |
| courses) completed by students     |                       |         |                           |

