Leadership Development

Career Development Events:

- Public Speaking
 - Prepared Public Speaking
 - o Extemporaneous
 - o Impromptu
 - o FFA Creed
- Veterinary Science CDE Team
- Job Interview CDE

Leadership Conferences:

- Greenhand
- Made For Excellence
- State FFA Convention
- Advanced Leadership Academy
- Chapter Officer Leadership Conference

Fairs:

- Monterey County Fair
- Salinas Valley Fair



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Learning to Do, Doing to Learn, Earning to Live, Living to Serve





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SHS Career Pathways in Agriculture

AGRISCIENCE

9th

• Ag. Biology (UC)

10th

- Ag. Biology (UC)
- OR
- Ag Chemistry (UC)

11th

 Advanced Interdisciplinary Science for Sustainable Ag (Honors) (UC)

12th

- Ag. Government & Economics (UC)
- Advanced Interdisciplinary Science for Sustainable Ag (Honors) (UC)

AG. MECHANICS

9th

• Ag. Welding (1-2)

10th

• Ag. Welding (3-4)

11th

• ROP Industrial Welding

12th

- Ag. Government & Economics
- ROP Industrial Welding or ROP AG. Business Occupations

Agricultural Courses

Agricultural Biology (UC):This course has an extensive laboratory component in order to connect the big ideas of life science with agricultural applications, earth and physical science principles, and other curricular areas, including written and oral reporting skills. FFA and SAEP are integral parts of the curriculum.

Agricultural Chemistry (UC): This lab-based course is aligned to the California Content Standards for Chemistry and will include an agricultural component. This course studies the composition and behavior of matter. Atomic and molecular structure; conservation of matter and stoichiometry; chemicals and their properties; and nuclear processes are studied.

Agricultural Mechanics 1-2: This course will cover: general equipment and shop safety practices, selection and use of hand and power tools, project planning with materials, oxyacetylene and arc welding, basic concrete work, basic electrical wiring, and principles of carpentry. Career awareness, FFA achievement programs, and supervised project program opportunities will also be studied. Practical experience will be gained through student completion of selected projects related to study areas.

Advanced Interdisciplinary Science for Sustainable Agriculture (Honors): This integrated class combines an interdisciplinary approach to laboratory science and research with agricultural management principles. Using skills and principles learned in the course, students design systems and experiments to solve agricultural management issues currently facing the industry. Additionally, students will connect the products created in this class with industry activities to link real world encounters and implement skills demanded by both colleges and careers. The course culminates with an agriscience experimental research project in which students design and conduct an experiment to solve a relevant issue.