

SACRAMENTO CITY UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT
BOARD OF EDUCATION

_____: Resolution #2833: Support for College & Career Access Pathways Act
Assembly Bill 288



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SUPPORT FOR COLLEGE & CAREER ACCESS PATHWAYS ACT ASSEMBLY BILL 288

WHEREAS, the connection between a college degree and economic stability has been well-documented, making college access and preparation an issue of social and economic justice; and

WHEREAS, across the United States there is a growing emphasis on high school and community college collaboration to prepare students to be college- and career-ready; and

WHEREAS, dual enrollment is a viable and effective method to prepare any student—even one who may have struggled academically and who may have had no initial interest in pursuing a postsecondary degree or credential—to complete high school and enter college; and

WHEREAS, allowing a greater and more diverse segment of high school students to take community college courses could provide benefits to both students and the state, such as: reducing high school dropouts; increasing the number of community college students who transfer and complete a four-year degree; shortening the time to completion of educational goals; and improving the level of preparation of students to successfully complete for-credit, college-level courses; and

WHEREAS, through dual enrollment partnerships, high schools and community colleges will

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Sacramento City Unified School District Board of Education calls upon the members of the California State Senate and the California State Assembly to improve and expand college access for all students through these dual enrollment partnerships and pass AB 288 by Assembly Member Christopher Holden, the College & Career Access Pathways