

SUMMER

2025 Calendar

July

July 30th
10:00am-1:00pm

Healthy Minds, Healthy Lives: Seasons of Growth & Relationships (All Students)

Students, join our two-part mental health workshop led by MSW counselors. We'll explore life's seasons and relationships. Don't miss this chance to connect!

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3515 Linden Ave.
Long Beach, CA 90807

July 30th
5:00pm-8:00pm

Bonfire Social (YLA Students)

YLA students are coming together for a fun summer event with sports, food, and beach vibes! Want to join YLA? Contact our YLA Coordinator, Jalen, at jalen@operationjumpstart.org to get involved.

Huntington Beach

21601 Pacific Coast Highway
Huntington Beach, CA 92646

July 31st
5:30pm-7:30pm

Paddle Royale (Pickleball) (Access Students and Mentors)

Learn how to play the hottest new sport: Pickleball! Pick up a paddle and pair up with a partner to participate in our 2v2 tournament!

Sports Basement

2100 N Bellflower Blvd.
Long Beach, CA 90815

August

August 2nd
11:00am-12:00pm

YLA Meeting

YLA students meet monthly to plan for fundraisers, community events, and OJS program support. Want to join YLA? Contact our YLA Coordinator, Jalen, to get involved.

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August 4th
6:00pm-7:30pm

President's Club (Invitation only)

All students who earned a 3.5 GPA or higher during the 24-25 academic school year will be honored for an evening of celebration and recognition.

Long Beach City College

4901 E. Carson St.
Long Beach, CA 90807

August 4th, 6th, 8th
3:30pm-5:30pm

Online Nutrition Series: Jump Start Your Wellness (College Success Students: 11th, 12th and College Scholars)

Jump Start Your Wellness is a 3-day, 6-session course focused on nutrition, healthy eating, and balanced living. Attend all days and get a gift card!

Online

August 12th
6:00pm-7:00pm

Student and Family Orientation (Newly Enrolled Students and Parents/Guardians)

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August 14th
6:00pm-8:00pm

Alumni and Mentor Mixer

Join us for an evening of connection as OJS alumni and mentors come together to share stories, build relationships, and celebrate the impact of our community.

Steel Craft

3768 Long Beach Blvd.
Long Beach, CA 90807

August 21st
6:00pm-7:30pm

Access Celebration: Bowling (Class of 2027 and Mentors)

10th grade is behind us, and the future lies ahead! Learn what the next steps in OJS look like for you as an incoming junior in the College Success Program.

Cal Bowl

2500 E Carson St.
Lakewood, CA 90712

August 30th
9:00am-12:00pm

YLA Retreat

Join us for a fun-filled morning with bonding activities and exciting obstacle courses. YLA members will have an opportunity to connect and plan for the upcoming school year.

Camp Fire

7070 E. Carson St.
Long Beach, CA 90808

**August 4th- 7th
August 11th- 14th**
10:00am-1:30pm

Math SAT Prep Series (Class of 2026)

Boost your college apps this summer! Join our SAT Math Prep Series to tackle real test questions and get ahead. Perfect for students aiming to stand out with strong SAT scores!

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September

September 3rd (English) September 4th (Spanish) 6:00pm-7:00pm	Parent Academy: (Parent/Guardians) Parent/Guardians will enhance their academic abilities, advocacy skills, and gain knowledge on how to assist their children in their college-readiness journey.	Hybrid
September 6th 11:00am-12:00pm	YLA Meeting (YLA Members) YLA students meet monthly to plan for fundraisers, community events, and OJS program support. Want to join YLA? Contact our YLA Coordinator, Jalen, to get involved.	OJS 3515 Linden Ave. Long Beach, CA 90807
September 18th 6:00pm-7:30pm	Mentor 2 Mentor (Mentors) Join us for our mentor-to-mentor gathering and leave with valuable new tools to support you with your mentoring journey.	The Non-Profit Partnership 4900 E. Conant St. Long Beach, CA 90808
September 22nd 6:00pm-7:00pm	Easy as A-G (Class of 2029) Do you know the difference between High School Graduation Requirements and A-G Requirements? Join this informational workshop and find out what courses you need to be 4-year ready!	OJS 3515 Linden Ave. Long Beach, CA 90807
September 25th 5:30pm-7:00pm	Senior Supper Club: (Class of 2026) Supper Club Sessions are mandatory, bi-weekly workshops designed to help seniors prepare for life after high school. From college applications to financial aid, they will gain the tools and support needed for a successful senior year.	Hybrid
September 26th 5:00pm-6:30pm	Junior Supper Club: (Class of 2027) Supper Club Sessions are mandatory, bi-weekly workshops focused on college readiness. Students will gain essential resources and tools to help them prepare for senior year and the college application process.	Hybrid
September 27th 9:00am-2:00pm	College Extravaganza! (All Students and Mentors) Let's kick off the school year with workshops, career panels, and a resource fair featuring colleges and universities and other local community organizations.	Long Beach City College 4901 E. Carson St. Long Beach, CA 90807

October

October 1st (English) October 2nd (Spanish) 6:00pm-7:00pm	Parent Academy: (Parent and Guardians) Parent/Guardians will enhance their academic abilities, advocacy skills, and gain knowledge on how to assist their children in their college-readiness journey.	Hybrid
October 4th 11:00am-12:00pm	YLA Meeting (YLA Members) YLA students meet monthly to plan for fundraisers, community events, and OJS program support. Want to join YLA? Contact our YLA Coordinator, Jalen, to get involved.	OJS 3515 Linden Ave. Long Beach, CA 90807
October 9th 5:30pm-6:30pm	10th Grade College Prep (Class of 2028) This workshop is designed for 10th graders to explore opportunities, plan for their future, and gain essential tools for college readiness.	OJS 3515 Linden Ave. Long Beach, CA 90807
October 9th and 23rd 5:30pm-7:00pm	Senior Supper Club: (Class of 2026) Supper Club Sessions are mandatory, bi-weekly workshops designed to help seniors prepare for life after high school. From college applications to financial aid, they will gain the tools and support needed for a successful senior year.	Hybrid
October 10th and 24th 5:00pm-6:30pm	Junior Supper Club: (Class of 2027) Supper Club Sessions are mandatory, bi-weekly workshops focused on college readiness. Students will gain essential resources and tools to help them prepare for senior year and the college application process.	Hybrid

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October

October 11th

8:00am-4:00pm

**College Tour: Cal Poly Pomona
(9th-12th grade Students)**

Discover Cal Poly Pomona's hands-on learning, diverse programs, and vibrant campus in this guided tour experience.

Cal Poly Pomona

3801 W. Temple Avenue.
Pomona, CA 91768

October 14th

5:30pm-6:30pm

Keep Calm and Carry On: 8th Grade Wellness (Class of 2030)

An interactive workshop where 8th graders learn effective tools to manage stress, stay focused, and feel more in control at school and beyond.

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October 28th

5:30pm-7:00pm

**Scream & Paint
(Access Students and Mentors)**

Get into the spooky spirit with our Halloween-themed paint night! Enjoy a fun, guided session filled with festive fun! Costumes encouraged!

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November

November 1st

11:00am-12:00pm

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**November 5th (English)
November 6th (Spanish)**

6:00pm-7:00pm

Parent Academy: (Parent and Guardians)

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Hybrid

November 13th

5:30pm-7:00pm

Senior Supper Club: (Class of 2026)

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Hybrid

November 14th and 20th

5:00pm-6:30pm

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November 20th

6:00pm-7:30pm

Mentor 2 Mentor

Join us for our special mentor-to-mentor gathering right before Thanksgiving! It's a chance to connect, reflect, and recharge with fellow mentors while sharing experiences, ideas, and inspiration. Let's celebrate the season of gratitude together.

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November 21st

5:00pm-7:00pm

College Application Marathon: Class of 2026

Seniors, it's time to submit those college applications before the break! Join us for our College Application Marathon and get the support you need to finish strong.

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December

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Hybrid

December 13th

Holiday Party (Students, Parent/Guardians, and Mentors)

Join us for a joyful gathering right before the holiday break! A day filled with festive food, fun games, and exciting giveaways. Holiday attire is encouraged, so come dressed to impress in your favorite festive look!

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