

Tulare County Office of Education

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Tulare County Office of Education Announces:

University Preparatory High School to hold three information nights for students and parents at COS

December 6 and January 17 & 24 • College of the Sequoias, 915 S. Mooney Blvd., Visalia

Parents of students who are interested in obtaining more information about the University Preparatory High School (UPHS) on the campus of College of the Sequoias (COS) should attend one of the informational meetings:

- **December 6**, 6:00 p.m., COS Sequoia Building, Room 1
- **January 17**, 6:00 p.m., COS Sequoia Building, Room 1
- **January 24**, 6:00 p.m., COS Sequoia Building, Room 1

Administrators will be on hand to answer questions about the school which will accept students for the Spring 2013 semester. UPHS was created by the Tulare County Office of Education (TCOE) – in partnership with the College of the Sequoias – as a high-performance, free, public high school.

UPHS welcomes all highly-motivated students looking for an accelerated and rigorous academic program, including students who may be the first in their family to attend college.

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UPHS students will experience their high school years on the COS campus, participate in college classes and earn college credits. This approach, known as an “early college high school,” is a time-tested method proven to increase academic success and college readiness.

Parents planning to attend a UPHS Information Night should call the school office at (559) 730-2529 to learn about parking accommodations. Or, for additional information, please call Principal John Kelly at (559) 730-2529.

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