## College/Career Readiness

The College/Career measure shows how well local educational agencies (LEAs) and schools are preparing students for likely success after graduation. Only graduates can be classified as Prepared or Approaching Prepared. For schools and LEAs to demonstrate success on this state measure, high school graduates must meet at least one of the criteria in the Prepared level.

## PREPARED

Smarter Balanced Summative Assessments: Score of Level 3 "Standard Met" or higher on both English language arts/literacy (ELA) and mathematics
Advanced Placement (AP) Exams: Score of 3 or higher on two AP exams
International Baccalaureate (IB) Exams: Score of 4 or higher on two IB exams
College Credit Courses: Two semesters or three quarters of college coursework with a grade of C - or better in academic/CTE subjects where college credit is awarded
State Seal of Biliteracy (SSB): SSB awarded and score of Level 3 or higher in ELA on the Smarter Balanced Summative Assessments

Leadership/Military Science: Two years of Leadership/Military Science, score of Level 3 or higher in ELA or math, and Level 2 "Standard Nearly Met" or higher in other subject area

University of California (UC) and California State University (CSU) a-g requirements:
Complete a-g course requirements with a grade of C - or better plus one of the Additional
Criteria from the box below
Career Technical Education (CTE) Pathway: Pathway completion with a grade of C - or better in the capstone course plus one of the Additional Criteria from the box below

## Additional Criteria

Smarter Balanced Summative Assessment Scores:

- Level 3 or higher on ELA and at least a Level 2 in mathematics, or
- Level 3 or higher on mathematics and at least a Level 2 in ELA

One semester/two quarters of College Credit Courses with a grade of C - or better in academic/CTE subjects
Score of 3 on one AP exam or score of 4 on one IB Exam (for a-g requirement only)
Completion of CTE Pathway (for a-g requirement only)

## APPROACHING PREPARED

NOT PREPARED

## Smarter Balanced Summative

Assessments: Score of Level 2 "Standard Nearly Met" on both ELA and mathematics

College Credit Courses: One semester or two quarters of college coursework with a grade of C- or better in academic/CTE subjects where college credit is awarded

## UC and CSU a-g requirements:

Complete a-g course requirements with a grade of C - or better
CTE Pathway: Pathway completion with a grade of C - or better in the capstone course
Leadership/Military Science: Two years of Leadership/ Military Science

## Criteria Key

Assessment

Coursework

> Did not meet any of the measures or did not graduate.

