



# WELCOME TO THE SUMMIT

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SUMMIT



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3:00-4:00 GALLERY LOBBY

# Welcome to the Block Party

Block Scheduling First-Time Freshmen

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# During Sessions, please...

- ✓ Silence Cellphones
- ✓ Save Questions to the end of the Session
- ✓ Avoid Side Conversations
- ✓ Complete Our Survey

...Thank You!



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# *Content to Cover in This Session:*

- Purpose & Timeframe
- Reserve Capacities
- Similarities & Differences



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# Start Strong

## Fun Facts

- Started in 2009
- Units increased each year
- Third year Winter/Spring

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New First Time Freshmen only

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Part of Cal Poly's Graduation Initiative

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Nearly 50,000 Students Block Scheduled



# Timeframes

## Fall

- Planning and preparation:  
January-May
- Running the Process:  
July-August

## Winter/Spring

- Planning and preparation:  
May-June
- Running the Process:  
Schedule of Classes  
available

# Reserve Capacities (Saving Seats)

## Fall

- Placed before Round 1
- General or specific
- Expire before Round 2
- Transfer by request

## Winter/Spring

- Continuing Students
- Expire before Round 1
- Placed as needed



# Similarities

## **Course Tracks**

- Tracks reflect the major's flowchart

## **Seat Demand**

- Calculations by population

## **Department Approval**

- Collaboration with departments



# Differences

## Fall

- PASS suppressed
- Full Load
- Major, Support, and GE
- Students surveyed
- Adjust schedules prior to Round 2

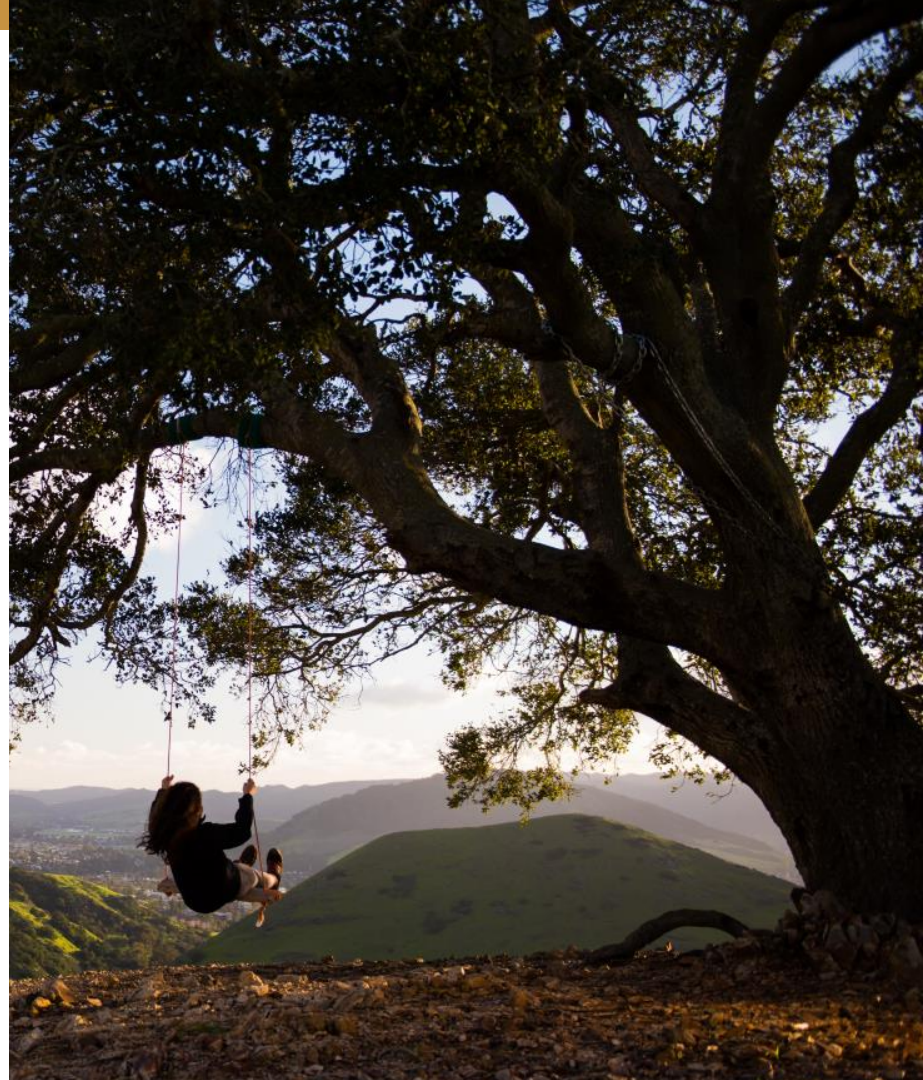
## Winter/Spring

- PASS viewable
- Units variable
- Major, Support, and Area A
- Normal registration rotation

# Common Questions

- What about Advanced Placement and transfer credit?
- Why did a student not get a schedule?
- Why does a schedule not match the flowchart?

# Questions for the Group?



# Session Survey!

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