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The University of California, San Diego invites prospective students, their families, school counselors and teachers to UCSD's Preview Day from 8:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. Nov. 14. Preview Day is an opportunity for high school seniors and prospective transfer students to get an inside look at life at UCSD, helping them narrow their college choice during the Nov. 1 - 30 application filing period for the University of California.

A special Middle School component to this year's Preview Day are college preparation workshops for students and parents at 10 a.m. co-hosted by the Office of Admissions and Outreach and the UCSD Associated Students. Activities begin on Library Walk. Parking is free.

Throughout the day visitors can explore the campus and attend sessions on admissions, housing, the five undergraduate colleges, financial aid and more. Faculty presentations will cover academic programs and expectations. Application workshops and Q & A tables for individual academic counseling are added features. An Information Fair, set for 10 a.m. to 2:30 p.m., will feature student organizations, academic departments and student services, and give visitors a chance to talk with academic advisers and students. In addition, student-led campus tours, which cover many of the university's popular areas, will provide a closer look at student life and campus facilities.

"Preview Day is an invaluable opportunity for students and parents to meet with our faculty, staff and students," says Mae Brown, UCSD's director of Admissions and Outreach. "We encourage everyone interested in UCSD to join us for a day filled with workshop sessions, faculty presentations, campus tours and fun. We looking forward to introducing all the things that make UCSD such a special place."

This event attracts visitors from throughout California and beyond. Visiting the campus has proven to be a major factor in a student's decision to enroll at UCSD if admitted.

For reservations, call the prerecorded number (619) 822-2370, and for further information see the web site of the Office of Admissions and Outreach (<http://admissions.ucsd.edu>) or call (619) 534-4831.

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