



News Release

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785 to Receive Degrees at Cuesta College Commencement on May 22

Cuesta College will graduate 785 students on Friday, May 22 at the college's 44th commencement ceremony.

The graduating class, which is up from 747 graduates last year, earned a total of 904 degrees. It is comprised of students from six international countries, including Afghanistan, Haiti, Japan, Korea, Spain, and Sweden, and eight different states.

The graduates range in age from 17 to 63 years old, and include three sets of siblings (including one set of twin sisters), two pairs of mothers and daughters, a set of cousins and a niece/aunt duo.

The ceremony will begin at 5 p.m. at the Cuesta College Gymnasium on the San Luis Obispo campus, with the graduate lineup beginning at 4 p.m.

Graduates of the registered nursing program will be honored at a celebration ceremony from 1:30-2:30 p.m. on May 22 in the gym. Graduates of the vocational nursing program will also be recognized at a celebration ceremony on Saturday, May 23 from 1 to 3 p.m. at Vineyard Elementary School in Templeton.

The general commencement ceremony will be broadcast live on Charter Cable Channel 19. It will be rebroadcast on Channel 21 or available online on demand at www.slo-span.org.

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