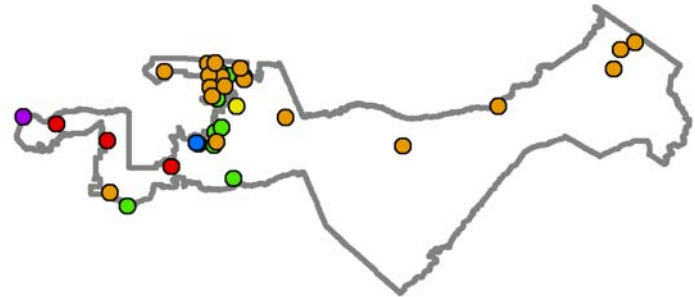


### UC in Your District

The University of California's reach goes well beyond its 10 campuses, five medical centers and three national laboratories. The University's presence is felt in each of California's 58 counties through a wide array of exemplary community partnerships, enriching cultural resources and innovative research programs. From health-care education for rural physicians to agricultural research advice for local farmers to college preparation efforts in nearly every public school, UC has a direct influence in your community. Find out more about UC programs in your district by visiting:

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#### UC DAVIS WESTERN INSTITUTE FOR FOOD SAFETY AND SECURITY

The UC Davis Western Institute for Food Safety and Security is dedicated to **research and education** in the state and is a partnership between the university, the California Department of Food and Agriculture and the California Department of Health Services. **The institute will focus on developing better capabilities to identify food-borne hazards and prevent food-borne illnesses and outbreaks.** The institute will also provide food-safety education programs to consumers and those in food industries.

#### UC DAVIS VET MED CENTER

The Veterinary Teaching Hospital at UC Davis is the **only veterinary teaching hospital in California and provides services to more than 27,000 animals each year.** UC Davis' Center for Equine Health (CEH) is leading the way in research to unravel the mysteries of colic, the painful abdominal malady that is the number one killer of horses. The School of Veterinary Medicine's new **Kenneth L. Maddy Equine Analytical Chemistry Lab** will provide drug testing for California racehorses as well as study and evaluate the effectiveness of medications and other products on racehorse performance.



**VA Northern California Health Care System** is an affiliate of the **UC Davis Medical Center** and provides a full range of medical care to over **417,000 veterans in the region**. The system includes the **Sacramento VA Medical Center in the 3<sup>rd</sup> Congressional District**, which offers inpatient and outpatient programs and services to veterans. <http://www.va.gov>

The **UC Davis Animal Ambassadors** program uses web-based and hands-on interaction with animals to foster children's interest in science. The program uses interactive materials and written curriculums that develop scientific inquiry and critical thinking skills. Between 3,500 - 4,000 children participated in the program between 1999-2002. The program is **present in schools throughout Sacramento County**.



**The UC Davis Mondavi Center Arts Education and Community Outreach Program** provides an imaginative and accessible way for people of all ages to discover and appreciate the performing arts through performances, teacher's guides and pre-

matinee classroom talks. **In 2001-2002, 25,000 K-12 students were served across the greater Sacramento and Solano regions.** <http://www.mondaviarts.org>



**UC's Early Academic Outreach Program (EAOP)** provides academic support, college counseling, motivational and skill-building workshops to help over 85,000 California students realize their dreams of a college education. EAOP

works with **30 schools in the greater Sacramento area.**

<http://www.eaop.org>

**UC Division of Agriculture and Natural Resources Cooperative Extension offices in Amador, Calaveras, Solano and Sacramento counties** provide accessible and comprehensive agricultural research information for local growers, ranchers, governments and the larger community. <http://ucanr.org/>

**The UC Davis Health System is a leader in the field of "Telemedicine"**. The system has electronically linked hospitals and primary care practices in rural areas to the UC Davis Medical Center in order to allow physicians to provide services for their patients.

A systemwide multi-campus research unit, **the Center for Water and Wildland Resources** coordinates research on water conservation and management. One such project, the **UC Salinity/Drainage Program** addresses issues of salinity, drainage and toxic trace elements in the Central Valley. <http://www.waterresources.ucr.edu/>



**ArtsBridge** is a UC arts education and outreach program that works with California public schools to provide high quality arts education. **ArtsBridge has active programs in 14 schools in the Sacramento area.** The program provides scholarships to qualified students to teach the arts and conduct arts-related workshops in local

communities. <http://www.arts.uci.edu/ucartsbridge>

**The Information Center for the Environment at UC Davis** is a cooperative effort by environmental scientists from private industry, government and international organizations. The center provides services that apply science to issues of local, regional and national significance. <http://ice.ucdavis.edu>

**The FARMS** program aims to empower high school students about their futures through experiential learning and exposure to educational and career choices. The Program is centered on agriculture and the environment. UC is a participating partner and runs programs at **Rio Vista and Luther Burbank High Schools in the 3<sup>rd</sup> Congressional District.** [www.farmsleaders.org](http://www.farmsleaders.org)

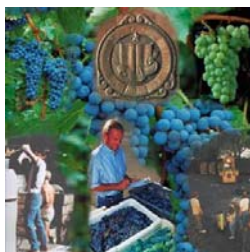
**UC's California Subject Matter Projects** develop teacher knowledge in K-12 subjects by enhancing instructional strategies and developing 'teacher-leaders'. With the expertise of UC faculty, the program is in over 500 California school districts and annually trains thousands of teachers through intensive summer courses. Courses are run at **Cooper, Cambridge and Elmira Elementary Schools in Vacaville, Winters High School and school sites throughout Sacramento.** <http://csmp.ucop.edu>



**UC's MESA (Math, Engineering & Science Achievement)**

prepares educationally disadvantaged students for four-year colleges at **87 K-12 school sites in Sacramento.** **The MESA California Community College Program** increases the number of math and science majors who successfully transfer at **Sacramento City College.**

<http://mesa.ucop.edu>



**The wine industry is heavily dependent on UC Davis' pioneering technology and innovative cultural practices.** Selection of better yielding clones of chardonnay fueled a dramatic increase in planted acreage, bringing its current value to \$300 million.

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