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Business Technology: Web Design

Electives: Space Science, MESA

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Acceptable Items May Include:

- STEM Cafe' (1/2 Share)
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- Exploratorium
- Leapfrog
- TrigStar
- Math Steeplechase
- Math Club
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- HOSA Chapter
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- SRJC Calculus Camp
- Approved Alternative

### Level 2

Community Involvement

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- StarLab Outreach
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- Peterson Creek Stewardship Project
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### Level 3

Original Science or Engineering Inquiry Project

Complete 1 Item **Total**

Grade 11/12

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- CAMEOS
- S4
- SSU Symposium
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