

Visits to the Superior Court of California Santa Clara County

Court is in session M – F, 8:30 am – 4:00 pm, or until the judge decides to recess.... HOWEVER, you will not receive credit for any court visits that take place when you are supposed to be in school!

You will have to pass through security when you enter the court, including a metal detector, and your belongings will be screened. (Don't be carrying anything you shouldn't have.)

There are dress codes for court – no shorts, flip-flops, bare midriffs, etc. It is best to follow the school dress code.

If you are going to San Jose, be prepared to pay for parking (coins for the meter, or dollars for a lot).

Of course, be on your best, most mature behavior. Don't flirt with the convicts, don't snicker at the testimony, and don't make any jokes about being a terrorist!

After you pass through the metal detector, there will be a sheriff's desk. Ask there for directions to an active courtroom, and even for suggestions. This is also where you will get your verification of attendance signed (on the way in and out).

Morgan Hill Courthouse

301 Diana Avenue (at Butterfield)
Morgan Hill

- *free parking behind the building*



Hall of Justice

190 West Hedding St.
San Jose

- *parking in garage across the street (for a fee)*
- *metered parking on the street*
- **DO NOT PARK IN THE COURT PARKING LOT!**



Court Holidays & Furlough Days

Spring Semester 2013

January 21

February 12

February 18

April 1

May 27