

# California School for the Deaf

Tour de CSD

# OPEN HOUSE



NAME

CLASS

DATE

- ▶ Go on one of the tours — either the campus tour for students or the student life tour of the cottages. Write at least three sentences about your experience.

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- ▶ Interact with someone Deaf at one of the booths and write about your conversation.

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# SCAVENGER HUNT

## Take a picture of the following

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### **Bear Hunt statue**

Made by our alumnus Douglas Tilden in 1892. His legendary work can be found throughout San Francisco and Berkeley.

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### **“Learn Experience Thrive” bench**

The bench at the front of the school illustrates the experience of students from the time they enter at the school when they are in a state of darkness; through their journey at the school where they learn, experience and thrive; until they graduate enlightened. The eye represents the vortex of visual information that Deaf people take in.

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### **“Learn Experience Thrive” logo**

The logo, designed by one of our graduates, illustrates our theme of “learn, experience, thrive,” which all use the same handshape. The logo is in the shape of an eagle, which is our school mascot. The bench shows

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### **Mural of the Deaf Union Flag (new)**

The Deaf Union flag is a symbol for Deaf people everywhere as it says “people of the hand-eye”. The flag was originally designed by Arnaud Balard, a Deaf-blind artist from France. CSD students painted it on our library wall under the direction of art teacher David Call.

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### **ASL Legacy Mural (new)**

Designed by world famous De’VIA artist Nancy Rourke, this mural was painted by our service learning students under the direction of CSD art teacher David Call.

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### **Deafhood Garden mosaic bench**

All of the animals on the bench are Deaf. They represent the beauty of nature in its organic form. The lotus flowers are the Buddhist symbol of purity, and the butterfly represents graceful sign language.

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### **Photographs of the previous locations of the CSD campus**

This is part of the CSD museum. The school was first established in 1860 in San Francisco. It then moved to Berkeley. And finally, it moved to its current location in Fremont. Photographs are inside the library entranceway.

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### **Three works De’VIA art by our students**

De’VIA art expresses Deaf perspectives, experience and insights. Every year, we display students’ De’VIA artwork in the library. Art teacher David Call is a well-known De’VIA artist. His Eye Hand Studio website is <http://davcall.wix.com/eye-hand-studio>

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### **Eagle on top of gym**

The eagle is our school mascot.

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### **Your favorite booth**

At the Deaf services faire in the gym.