

1 My counselor is in charge of about 600 students so she is always very, very busy. I have tried about
2 six different times to see her, but I only saw her a couple of times. Even when I have seen
3 counselors, they did not really help me out, instead, they were negative and not friendly. The
4 counselors do not give students information concerning what classes we should take or about options
5 for our futures. They are so overwhelmed that they do not help the students like they should; they
6 do not even recall students' issues or names.

7 7. There are only about two bathrooms at Santa Paula High, but only one of them is ever
8 opened. When you go to the bathroom it usually takes about ten minutes out of class time,
9 especially when you have class on the other side of campus,. The condition of the bathroom is
10 terrible. There are only about five stalls for about 800 girls. They are dirty with trash on the floor,
11 one stall is broken, and some toilets constantly get plugged so then those don't work. There is rarely
12 toilet paper, soap, or paper towels. There are only three sinks and only one of them works well.
13 There is no place in the toilet stalls to dispose of tampons and maxipads, so the girls just place them
14 on the ground. It is very gross because then there is blood and other things on the floor that we
15 shouldn't have to look at.

16 8. Out of about two to three water fountains, only one of them really works, so most
17 students buy their own water when it's hot. I think it's wrong that we do not even have adequate
18 drinking facilities; water is something that everyone should have access to.

19 9. Our cafeteria is too small, and since there are too many students for the size of the
20 cafeteria, the food always runs out. A lot of people rush to the cafeteria to get in line so that they
21 will be able to eat.

22 I declare under penalty of perjury of the laws of the State of California and the United States
23 that the foregoing is true and correct. Executed this 23rd day of July, 2001 in Santa Paula,
24 California.

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