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Hack OC Hosts Orange County's First High School Hackathon Since Pandemic

Hack OC is Orange County's first post-pandemic high school hackathon taking place on April 1st at Anduril in Costa Mesa. All high school students are invited to Hack OC which aims to promote computer science education in a fun and safe way with workshops, food, swag, and over \$4,000 in prizes.

Hack OC is organized by two local high schoolers passionate about computer science and programming. After traveling to attend and run multiple hackathons, we decided to organize an event here in Orange County.

High schoolers in Orange County, whether fully proficient or completely new to coding, are invited to attend Hack OC from 9am to 9pm on Saturday, April 1st, 2023. Hack OC is free to attend and will provide food, swag, and prizes.

Workshops will be available at the event for students of all skill levels to learn to code or improve their programming skills. Mentors will be at the event to help students learn and provide guidance.

The goal of Hack OC is to promote computer science education in a fun and safe way. Instead of "hacking" in the traditional sense, attendees will be learning, meeting new people, and having fun in a safe and relaxed atmosphere.

Hack OC is an Orange County hackathon taking place on April 1st, 2023 at Anduril's office in Costa Mesa from 9am - 9pm free for all high schoolers to attend. Students can register on Hack OC's website at www.hackoc.org, and the team can be reached at team@hackoc.org.