

FOCUS ONYOUR FUTURE

WELCOME TO EL CAMINO COLLEGE

From our stellar academic programs, vibrant arts departments and champion sports teams, I'm thrilled to introduce you to El Camino College.

With a 70-year history of providing affordable access to higher education in the South Bay, El Camino College welcomes 25,000 students each year. Whether you are a first-year student in a transfer degree program or enrolled in our career and technical education programs, we're dedicated to assisting you in your educational journey.

All El Camino College students have access to excellent academic programming, student learning support, and the latest in technology to set them up for a successful future. Resources such as First Year Experience and the Honors Transfer Program help guide students toward the best educational path and remove any mystery surrounding the college experience.



Along with providing a top-tier education, El Camino College is dedicated to strengthening bonds in our South Bay community. Our community education programs have helped thousands further their careers, and our arts programming has drawn numerous people to Torrance.

Welcome to the El Camino College family!

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Dena P. Maloney, Ed.D. Superintendent/President

CREATE YOUR OWN E-BROCHURE

You can further explore the many academic and career programs offered, financial aid, and student support programs by creating your own customized e-brochure online at www.elcamino.edu/ebrochure.

TOP TRANSFER DESTINATIONS IN CALIFORNIA

Where are El Camino College students going? Here are the top five transfer destinations for the 1,500 students who transferred to four-year universities in California in 2015-16:

California State University

- 1. CSU Dominguez Hills
- 2. CSU Long Beach
- 3. CSU Los Angeles
- 4. CSU Northridge
- 5. Cal Poly Pomona

University of California

- 1. UCLA
- 2. UC Irvine
- 3. UC Santa Barbara
- 4. UC Berkeley
- 5. UC Davis / UC Riverside (tie)

Private

- 1. University of Southern California
- 2. Loyola Marymount University
- 3. Biola University
- 4. University of Phoenix
- 5. Chapman University

Transfer Admission Guarantee (TAG) Programs

ECC has TAG agreements with the following campuses:

- UC Davis, Irvine, Merced, Riverside, Santa Barbara, and Santa Cruz
- CSU Dominguez Hills
- Historically Black Colleges and Universities: Albany State University, Bennett College, Clark Atlanta University; Dillard University, Fisk University, Hampton University, Johnson C. Smith University, Morehouse College, and Talladega College

Honors Transfer Program

Highly motivated students are encouraged to join our Honors Transfer Program (HTP), which prepares students to transfer to a university. Benefits include: priority registration for ECC classes, designation of HTP on transcripts, as well as additional scholarship opportunities. In 2016, 150 HTP students transferred to universities such as UCLA and UC Berkeley.



STUDENT SUCCESS & SUPPORT

Counseling and Support

El Camino College offers specialized support, no matter what your needs may be. On campus, we have our Special Resource Center, International Students Program, Veterans Resource Center, Transfer Center, EOPS, CalWORKS and CARE programs, and more.

Library & Learning Resources

The Schauerman Library includes excellent traditional, online and multimedia resources, providing the tools you need to meet the academic rigor of your classes. The Learning Resource Center offers academic support services and resources – tutoring, instructional software, media materials, and open-access computer labs – at no cost to ECC students.

Tutoring & Academic Assistance

The Learning Resource Center Tutorial Program offers free drop-in tutoring on a variety of subjects. The Writing Center serves ECC students who need assistance with writing. The Reading Success Center offers free one-on-one tutoring, computer access, and topic-specific workshops. The Math Study Center and computer lab provide a place to study math, one-on-one tutoring, and access to mathematical software.

Computer Labs

Our campus is equipped with several computer labs, each with Internet access. There is also secure wireless access over 95% of the campus.

Student Health

The ECC Health Services Center provides primary health care services and workshops on health-related issues. Short-term psychological counseling is also available, free of charge.

Career Services

The Career Center provides ECC students with the resources for career exploration, internships, and employment assistance.

Excellent Faculty

Our world-class faculty gives El Camino College a stellar academic reputation, and helps us continue to recruit outstanding instructors. At ECC, no matter what courses you take, you'll study with accomplished scholars and noted professionals.

Student Activities

Get involved in your choice of more than 60 clubs and organizations. Attend events on campus like concerts, plays, art exhibits, lectures, sports events, and more.

Study Abroad Opportunities

El Camino College is committed to promoting global citizenship, and ECC faculty members lead study abroad programs that give students in-depth experience in a country's culture, while participating in service learning projects and earning academic credit.

Outstanding Facilities

With support from general obligation bond funds, the campus has undergone a substantial transformation with new academic buildings and athletic facilities. Over the next 10 years, additional capital construction projects will strengthen ECC as a premier institution for teaching and learning.

Diversity

The staff and student body at El Camino College reflect the diversity found in the South Bay community. In addition, the ECC International Student Program enrolls hundreds of students originating from more than 65 different countries each year.

COST COMPARISON

El Camino College Offers an Excellent Education at the Best Value

It costs California residents only about \$1,400 per year to attend El Camino College. We offer the same general education courses as UC and CSU schools - and students save thousands of dollars. In fact, students can earn their bachelor's degree with half the amount of student debt just by starting at ECC and then transferring to a four-year college or university.

A full-time student enrolled in 12 units for two semesters pays \$1,400 per year in enrollment fees at El Camino College, in comparison to:

\$31,200 \$14,700 PRIVATE UC PRIVATE





Financial aid, such as fee waivers, grants, scholarships, work study programs, and loans, is available year-round. This money can be used to help pay for fees, books, supplies, and sometimes even living expenses. Learn more about the different types of financial aid available and apply for them by visiting **icanaffordcollege.com**.

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Get in Touch!

Call the office of Outreach and School Relations at 310-660-3487, email us at oasr@elcamino.edu.

Book a tour!

See El Camino College's bustling campus by booking a tour at elcamino.edu/studentservices/outreach or calling **310-660-3487** to set up a tour date and time.

DEGREES & CERTIFICATES





DEGREES AWARDED IN 2015-16

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KEY:

(AA-T) - Associate in Arts Degree for Transfer

Two-year program designed for transfer and completion at a four-year institution

(AS-T) Associate in Science for Transfer

Two-year program designed for transfer and completion at a four-year institution

Certificate of Achievement One-year program within an occupational area

Certificate of Accomplishment

An industry-driven and defined certificate recognizing identified core competencies and issued upon completion of a defined set of courses of a specific duration

* Indicates Career and Technical Education (CTE) Program

Associate of Arts Degree

Administration of Justice* Anthropology Anthropology for Transfer (AA-T) Art: Art History Studio Art Art History for Transfer (AA-T) Child Development* Communication Studies for Transfer (AA-T) Dance **Economics** Economics for Transfer (AA-T) Elementary Teacher Education (AA-T) English English for Transfer (AA-T) **Ethnic Studies:** African American Studies American Cultures Asian American Studies **Chicano Studies** Native American Studies Film/Video* French **General Studies** Geography for Transfer (AA-T) History History for Transfer (AA-T) Japanese Journalism* Journalism for Transfer (AA-T)* Kinesiology for Transfer (AA-T) **Liberal Studies: Elementary Teaching Teacher Preparation** Music Paralegal Studies* Philosophy Philosophy for Transfer (AA-T) **Physical Education Political Science** Political Science for Transfer (AA-T) Psychology for Transfer (AA-T) **Real Estate:** Mortgage Brokerage* **Real Estate*** Real Estate Appraisal* Recreation

Sign Language/Interpreter Training* Sociology for Transfer (AA-T) Spanish Spanish for Transfer (AA-T) Studio Arts for Transfer (AA-T) Theatre Theatre Arts for Transfer (AA-T)

Associate of Science Degree

Administration of Justice for Transfer (AS-T)* Air Conditioning and Refrigeration* Architecture* Astronomy Automotive Collision Repair/Painting* Automotive Technology* Biology **Business:** Accounting* **Business Administration* Business Management*** Marketing* Office Administration - Management* Office Administration - Office Systems* Business Administration for Transfer (AS-T)* Chemistry Computer Aided Design/Drafting* Computer Information Systems* **Construction Technology:** Cabinet and Fine Woodworking* Construction Technology* Cosmetology* Early Childhood Education for Transfer (AS-T)* **Electronics and Computer Hardware Technology:** Computer Technology* Electronics Technology* **Engineering Technology: Engineering Technician* Engineering Technology*** Environmental Horticulture* **Fashion:** Fashion Design and Production* Fashion Merchandising* Fire and Emergency Technology: Fire and Emergency Technology* Paramedical Technician* General Science

Geography Geology for Transfer (AS-T)

- Machine Tool Technology:
- Machinist* Numerical Control Programmer* Manufacturing Technology* Mathematics Mathematics for Transfer (AS-T) Nursing* Photography* Physical Science Physics Physics for Transfer (AS-T) Pre-Engineering Pre-Nursing* Radiologic Technology* Respiratory Care* Welding*

Certificates of Achievement

Administration of Justice:

- Administration of Justice
- Forensics

Air Conditioning and Refrigeration:

- Air Conditioning
- Air Conditioning and Refrigeration Electric Controls
- Heating, Ventilation, and Air Conditioning (HVAC) and Refrigeration
- Refrigeration

Architecture

Art:

- Gallery Management
- Jewelry Design and Fabrication
- Visual Communications (formerly Graphic Design)

Art/Digital Arts:

- Computer Animation
- Digital Photography
- Illustration
- Motion Graphics
- Web Design

Automotive Collision Repair/Painting:

- Automotive Collision Repair/Painting I
- Automotive Collision Repair/Painting II

Automotive Technology:

- Automotive Brakes/Suspension
- Transmission/Drive Train Technician
- Automotive Engine Rebuilding/Repair
- Technician
- Automotive Technician I
- Automotive Technician II
- Automotive Tune-Up Technician

Business:

- Accounting
- Business Management
- Marketing
- Office Administration: Office Applications
- Specialist
- Retail Management

Child Development:

- Early Childhood Education
- Early Intervention Assistant
- Special Education Assistant

Computer Aided Design/Drafting

Computer Information Systems:

- Computer Systems Applications

Computer Science

Construction Technology:

- Construction Technology
- Cabinet and Fine Woodworking

Cosmetology Level II

Electronics and Computer Hardware Technology:

- Computer Hardware Electronics Technician
- Electronics Engineering Technician

Engineering Technology:

- Engineering Technology
- Engineering Technician

Environmental Horticulture

Fashion:

- Fashion Design and Production
- Fashion Merchandising
- Fashion Stylist

Film/Video:

- Film/Video Production

Fire and Emergency Technology:

- Fire and Emergency Technology
- Fire Academy
- Paramedical Technician

Journalism

Machine Tool Technology:

- CNC Machine Operator

- Machinist
- Numerical Control Programmer

Manufacturing Technology

Music:

- Commercial Music

Paralegal Studies

Photography

Real Estate:

- Mortgage Loan Brokerage
- Real Estate
- Real Estate Appraisal

Respiratory Care

Sign Language/Interpreter Training

Theatre:

- Entertainment Lighting Technology

Transfer Studies:

- CSU General Education Breadth
- Intersegmental General Education Transfer Curriculum (IGETC)

Welding

Certificates of Accomplishment

Automotive Collision Repair/Painting:

- Automotive Accident Reconstruction
- Automotive Collision Investigation

Automotive Technology:

Train Technician

- Cosmetology Level I

- Electronics Technician

English as a Second Language

Environmental Technology

Cosmetology:

Technology:

- Robotics

Physical Education:

- Fitness Trainer

Recreation:

Radiologic Technology

- Recreation Leadership

For the most-up-to-date list of degree and certificate

programs refer to the current course catalog.

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- Automotive Air Conditioning Technician
- Automotive Brakes and Suspension Technician
- Automotive Engine Rebuilding and Repair Technician
 Automotive Transmission and Drive

- AutoCAD Mechanical Drafting Trainee

- CompTIA Computer Hardware Technician

Computer Aided Design/Drafting:

Electronics and Computer Hardware

- Computer Hardware Technician

EL CAMINO COLLEGE STEPS TO ENROLLMENT

(Completion of the Steps to Enrollment is required for priority registration eligibility.)

APPLY FOR ADMISSION

Take the first step – it's fast and easy! Complete and submit your free application online.

- New and returning students (those with an absence of two consecutive primary terms: fall or spring semesters; excluding summer and winter terms) must complete an online application for admission.
- A Student ID number will be issued and emailed upon completion of the online application.
- Official transcripts from all accredited colleges and trade schools attended must be submitted by those schools to the El Camino College Records Office. Students applying for Advanced Placement credit must submit official high school transcripts.
- For information on how to submit official transcripts, visit: www.elcamino.edu/admissions/transcripts.asp

FINANCIAL AID (recommended)

Need help paying for college? Apply for financial aid by completing the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) www.fafsa.ed.gov/ or the California Dream Act Application (CADAA) https://dream.csac.ca.gov. The school code for ECC is 001197.

A variety of scholarships are also available: www.elcamino.edu/studentservices/fao/main_scholar.asp

ORIENTATION

Have questions? Online and in-person orientations provide an introduction to academic programs and support services to help you succeed.

• Orientation is offered online via **MyECC**, and in person by scheduling a New Student Orientation with the Counseling Office. Appointments are made online through MyECC.

ASSESSMENT/TESTING

Improve your chances for success! Testing helps ensure proper placement in math and English and allows you to advance more quickly to your goals.

- Testing must be completed before registering for classes.
- No appointment necessary for English, ESL (Part 1) and math placement tests.
- Available by appointment only: chemistry, ATB (Ability to Benefit), and ESL (Part 2) tests.

EDUCATIONAL PLANNING

Focus on your goal! Meet with a counselor and complete an educational plan to identify classes that are required to complete your certificate, degree or transfer program.

• To schedule a counseling appointment, go to www.elcamino.edu and click on MyECC.

REGISTER FOR CLASSES

Ready to register for classes? Log in to MyECC and register online for classes on or after your assigned appointment time.

Registration is based on a priority system. Registration Priorities information is available online: <u>www.elcamino.edu/admissions/registration.asp</u>

Stay Connected with El Camino College:

The El Camino Community College District is committed to providing equal opportunity in which no person is subjected to discrimination on the basis of national origin, religion, age, sex (including sexual harassment), race, color, gender, physical or mental disability, or retaliation.

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www.elcamino.edu/RegisterForClasses

www.elcamino.edu/FinancialAid

www.elcamino.edu/Orientation