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El Camino College to Sponsor Financial Aid Awareness Fair

The public is invited to attend the El Camino College Financial Aid Awareness Fair, scheduled from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. Tuesday, April 28 in the Student Activities Center. The fair offers students and the community an opportunity to learn about financial aid and all the assistance programs available at El Camino College.

The financial aid awareness fair is part of the college's Financial Aid Awareness month activities, sponsored, in part, by the California Community College Chancellor's Office and the "ICanAffordCollege.com" program. Financial aid staff representing different programs such as Cal Grants, Federal Work Study and loan programs will be available at the event to answer questions. Participants can also find out information about college programs such as EOP&S, CalWORKS, and CARE.

Substantial amounts of financial assistance are available each year. Students are encouraged to apply for financial aid using the FAFSA (www.fafsa.ed.gov) a free application used by the federal government, states and most colleges to award financial aid. Grants, scholarships, loans – there are many ways to get cash for college. For more information contact the El Camino College Financial Aid Office at www.elcamino.edu/studentservices/fao.

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