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El Camino College to Sponsor Financial Aid Awareness Fair

The public is invited to attend the El Camino College “Cash for College Fair,” scheduled from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. March 10 in the Schauerman Library, East Basement. 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 “Cash for College Fair” is part of the college’s Financial Aid Awareness month activities. 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. Assistance will also be available with the online FAFSA (www.fafsa.ed.gov), a free application used by the federal government, states and most colleges to award financial aid.

Students should attend with parents, if possible, and bring information related to Public Assistance Aid, a Social Security number, and the most recent federal income tax return or W-2 forms.

Substantial amounts of financial assistance are available each year. Students are encouraged to apply for financial aid using the FAFSA (www.fafsa.ed.gov). 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/student-services/fao.

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