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## **El Camino College to Stage Campuswide Earthquake Drill As Participants in Great California ShakeOut**

All students, faculty and staff at El Camino College will be among the millions of participants in this year's Great California ShakeOut. This statewide earthquake drill, spanning all 58 California counties, is planned for Thursday, October 15. When the alert sounds at 10:15 a.m., everyone will be directed to:

- DROP to the ground
- Take COVER by getting under a sturdy desk or table
- HOLD ON to it until the shaking stops.

When given notice, an evacuation will begin in an orderly manner to each building's designated assembly area. A building captain will give directions.

This ShakeOut drill is a great opportunity to practice safety procedures in case of an earthquake.

Last year, millions of Californians participated in this large-scale earthquake preparedness drill, and even more participants are expected this year.

For more information about Great California ShakeOut, view: [www.shakeout.org/](http://www.shakeout.org/).

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