

EOPS

EXTENDED OPPORTUNITY PROGRAMS & SERVICES

Thank you for your interest in the **Extended Opportunity Programs & Services (EOPS)** at El Camino College. EOPS is dedicated to the delivery of a comprehensive program that encourages the enrollment, retention, and transfer of students who are challenged by language, social, economic, and educational disadvantages.

Complete the following to avoid delays in the review of your EOPS application:

- EI CAMINO COLLEGE- Steps to Enrollment:** www.elcamino.edu/admissions/steps/
- UNIT Requirement:** You must enroll in 12 units to be eligible for EOPS (exceptions apply for participants of the Special Resource Center (SRC) or for students enrolled in 9-11.5 units who are granted a full-time unit waiver, limited waivers available). Check **MyECC** for your registration appointment. You will not be invited to an EOPS/CARE Program Orientation until you register for classes.
- TRANSCRIPTS:** If applicable, submit unofficial transcripts for all courses taken at other colleges.

Next steps to join EOPS and receive an EOPS Book Voucher, if eligible.

- ➔ Eligible students will receive an email invitation to attend an EOPS/CARE Program Orientation. Please see eligibility requirements below.
- ➔ EOPS/CARE Program Orientations are scheduled for January and February 2018.
- ➔ Check your email at **MyECC** beginning in December/January to register for an EOPS/CARE Program Orientation.
- ➔ After attending the EOPS/CARE Program Orientation you will need to schedule an appointment to meet with an EOPS Counselor. Once your educational planning appointment is complete your **EOPS Book Voucher** will be released.

EOPS Eligibility Requirements:

Reminder that to be eligible for EOPS, students must meet all of the following;

- CA Resident or AB 540 or AB 1899
- Enrolled in at least 12 units when accepted into the EOPS program (some exceptions apply)
- Have less than 70 degree applicable units completed
- Qualify for the Board of Governors Fee Waiver (BOGFW- Method A, B, or C with zero EFC).

Plus have an educational need in at least ONE of the following areas;

- Placement scores below English 1A or Math 73/80
- Not have graduated from high school or obtained a GED
- High School graduate with a GPA below 2.5
- Previous enrollment in remedial courses
- Other factors as determined by the EOPS director (i.e. first generation college student, English is not the primary language spoken at home, current or former foster youth).



Office Use Only: Give student this sheet for his/her records as confirmation of submission

Collected By:

Date Turned In:



EOPS Program: Full-Time Student Requirement

15. Do you know what courses to take in Spring 2018?

Yes No

16. Do you plan to enroll in 12 units during the Spring 2018 term?

Yes No

If you do not plan to enroll in 12 units, then you **MUST** complete the next section for your application to be considered. If you selected "Yes", you can skip the next section. Remember to sign the certification at the bottom.

Limited Exceptions to the Full-time Student Unit Requirement (Exceptions to being enrolled in 12 units)

If not planning on enrolling in 12 units, please select below the exception that you want to be considered for (check only one).

Special Resource Center (SRC): SRC was established to assist students with disabilities in their pursuit of a post-secondary education. The purpose is to assist students with disabilities to perform on an equal basis with non-disabled students in an integrated campus setting. **Students who receive services from the Special Resource Center must submit an EOPS/SRC Inter-Program Referral form with their EOPS application.**

Request a full-time unit waiver (you must enroll in 9-11.5 units to be considered). Please note that this request does not guarantee that a full-time unit waiver will be granted. An EOPS staff may contact you to get additional details to determine eligibility. *If you are part of the SRC, you do not have to request a full-time unit waiver.*

Briefly describe below the reason why you are not able to complete a full-time course load (at least 12 units) in the Spring 2018 semester (i.e. parent with young children, full-time employment, illness, etc.).

Certification: I hereby certify that all the information provided on this form is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge. I agree and understand that any falsification or misrepresentation of fact or information may be grounds for rejection of this application and/or removal from the EOPS and CARE Programs at El Camino College. By signing below, I authorize EOPS/CARE at El Camino College the right to access any and all of my student records to assist with program eligibility determination and the delivery of services.

Print Applicant Name: _____

ECC Student ID #: _____

Applicant Signature: _____

Date: _____

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Application Received by: _____ Date: _____ Entered By: _____ Date: _____