

Applying to Community College



Set Your Goals*

Earn a Certificate? Delta has over 100 options. Or, look at the certificate programs at other California community colleges.

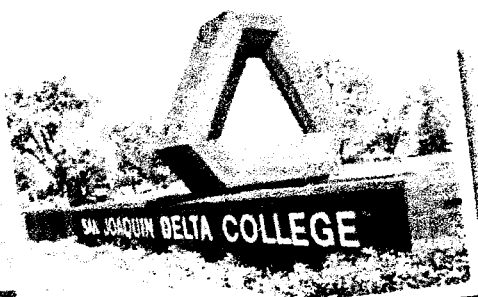
Earn a Degree. Work toward an AS (Associate of Science) or AA (Associate of Arts) degree.

Complete a Transfer Program. Planning to transfer to a university? Learn what courses make up a transfer program.

A special guide for Lincoln High School seniors who plan to attend a community college.

The California Community Colleges is the largest system of higher education in the nation. It is made up of 72 districts and 110 colleges. More than 2.6 million students attend these institutions. Like 4-colleges and universities, community colleges offer athletics, clubs, performing arts, financial aid, and other activities and services. More Lincoln seniors enter a community college than any other type of college.

***Go to the www.deltacollege.edu to learn about certificate, degree, and transfer programs.**



Registering at San Joaquin Delta College

- 1** Go to Delta's website, www.deltacollege.edu, and follow the instructions for online registration. You should receive a student email account the following business day. All correspondence from Delta is emailed to students at their Delta College email address.
- 2** Login to obtain your Delta ID number. Students should use their social security number as the login and their date of birth as the password (mmddyy). Record your Delta ID number and student email address for future reference. You may also click "Create PIN" to create a Pin number. However, if you forget your PIN, you will need to personally go the Admissions Office to reset it.
- 3** New students are required to take a reading, English, and math assessment test (called the ACE). Go to (www.deltacollege.edu/dept/assess) for practice questions. Students must make an appointment to take the test. Print out and bring your appointment confirmation page to the test. A picture ID is also required on test day. A brief orientation to Delta is provided before the test. All assessments are scheduled in Cunningham 220.
- 4** Registration means enrolling in courses. Go to www.deltacollege.edu to register. Click *Schedule of Classes*. For registration problems, contact the Registration Operator at 476-7901.

Other Delta phone numbers:

Admissions: 954-5151

Assessment Office: 954-5535

Financial Aid Office: 954-5115

Orientation and Counseling: 954-5650

The only requirement to enter a community college is a high school diploma or reaching age 18. How long you stay at a community college depends upon your preparation from high school and how many units you carry each semester. Although we think of community colleges as "2-year colleges," it takes some students longer than two years to complete their objective.

You will not be assigned a counselor. However, if you need help, go to the Counseling Center and make an appointment with a counselor. At Delta (and most other community colleges) you may enroll in college and career information courses. Consider taking Guidance 19 - Orientation to College, Guidance 30 - Career Self-Assessment, and Guidance 31 - Career Exploration. These brief courses will help you to better understand how to choose classes and how to choose a major field of study.

Establish a goal - Are you working toward a degree? Transferring to a university? Completing a certificate program?



San Joaquin Delta College

Career Clusters and Pathways

-Degrees and Certificates -

Agriculture and Natural Resources

Agriculture	AA
Agriculture Business	AS, C
Agriculture Business: Animal Science	C
Agriculture Business: Plant Science	C
Agriculture Mechanics	C
Heavy Equipment Mechanics	C
Heavy Equipment Technician	AS, C
Horticulture	AS
Horticulture - Basics	C
Horticulture - Floral Design	C
Horticulture - Landscape	C
Horticulture - Landscape Technician	C
Horticulture - Nursery Management	C
Horticulture - Nursery Technician	C
Horticulture - Turf Grass	C
Natural Resources	AA
Natural Resources Management	C

Arts, Media and Entertainment Technology

Graphic Arts	C
Media Studies w/concentration in Radio	C
Media Studies w/concentration in Television	C

Building Trades and Construction

Caterpillar Dealer Service Technician, Apprenticeship	AS
Carpentry Technology	C
Construction Management Technology	C
Electrical Technology	C
Electrical Technology - Apprenticeship	C
Electronics Technology	C
Heating & Air Conditioning - Refrigeration	AS
Heating & Air Conditioning	C
Industrial Technology	C
Mill Cabinet Technology	C
Mill Cabinet Technology - Apprenticeship	C
Refrigeration	C
Welding Technology	C

Education, Child Development & Family Services

Communications	AA
Communication - Speech Language Pathology Assistant	AS, C
Early Childhood Education - Assistant	C
Early Childhood Education - Associate Teacher	C
Early Childhood Education - Master Teacher	C
Early Childhood Education - Site Supervisor	C
Early Childhood Education - Teacher	C
Education Aide	C
Eligibility Worker	C
Family Day Care Provider	C
Human Services Worker	C
Human Services Worker, Gerontology Specialist	C
Human Services Worker, Family Abuse Specialist	C
Mental Health Specialist	C
Recreation Assistant	C
Substance Abuse Counselor	C

Energy & Utilities

Auto Body Repair	C
Auto Electric Technology	C
Auto Mechanics Technology	C
Automotive Dealer Technician	C
Automotive Master Technician	C
Automotive Master Technician Apprenticeship	C
Diesel Equipment Technician	AS, C
Diesel: Auto Equipment Technician	C
Fluid Power & Automation Technology	AS, C
Small Engine Repair Technology	C

Engineering & Design

Architectural Drafting	AS, C
Architectural Drafting: Engineering Option	C
Engineering	AA, C
Engineering Computer-Aided Drafter	C
Engineering Drafter/Technician	C
Engineering Technology (Civil, Electro-Mechanical or Mechanical)	AS

Fashion & Interior Design

Apparel Design	C
Clothing Alterations & Fit	C
Fashion Merchandising	C
Interior Design	C

Finance & Business

Accounting	AS, C
Administrative Assistant	C
Bank Customer Service Representative	C
Banking & Finance	C
Bank Teller	C
Basic Business	C
Bookkeeping	C
Business: General	AA
Business: Specialized Certificate Majors	AA
Data Entry	C
General Office	C
Help Desk	C
International Business	C
Municipal Clerk	C
Office Assistant	C
Office Management	AS, C
Real Estate	C
Risk Management & Insurance	C
Small Business	C
Supervision & Management	C
Tax Preparation	C
Word Processing/Desktop Publishing	C

C = Certificate Program

AA = Associate in Arts Degree

AS = Associate in Science Degree

Health Science & Medical Technology

Emergency Medical Technician (EMT-I)	C
Fitness Specialist	C
Medical Office Assistant	C
Mobile Intensive Care Nursing (MICN)	C
Nurse Assistant	C
Nursing, R.N.	AS, C
Psychiatric Technician	C
Public Health Technician	C
Radiologic Technology	AA, C
Vocational Nursing	AA, C

Hospitality, Tourism, & Recreation

Baking & Pastry	AS, C
Culinary Arts	AS
Culinary Arts, Basic	C
Culinary Arts, Advanced	C

Information Technology

Computer & Information Science	AA
Computer Networking: Competence	C
Computer Networking: Essentials	C
Computer Networking: Technician	C
Computer Networking: Technology	AS
Computer Programming	C
Computer Programming: Essentials	C
Computer Science	AS, C
Computer Science: Essentials	C
Computer Science Microcomputer Specialist: Applications Emphasis	C
Technical Emphasis	C
Applications & Technical Emphasis	C
Computer Security: Essentials	C
Computer Support	C
Computer Support: Applications	C
Computer Support: Technician	C
Computer Web Developer: Applications	C
Computer Web Developer: Technicians	C
Electronic Technology - Cisco Networking	C
Network Software	AS
Network Software Technician	C
Web Database Programmer	C
Web Developer	C

Manufacturing & Product Development

Industrial Technology	C
Industrial Technology: Electrical: Apprenticeship	C
Maintenance: Apprenticeship	C
Mechanical: Apprenticeship	C
Operations: Apprenticeship	C
Machine Shop Technology	C

Marketing, Sales & Services

Merchandising	C
Retail Management	C

Public Services

Basic Academy: Institutions	C
Basic Peace Officer Academy	C
Fire Academy	C
Fire Science	AS, C
Law Enforcement	AS, C
Correctional Science	AS, C

Transportation

Distribution & Transportation Supervisor	C
Logistics & Transportation Supervisor	C
Traffic Shipping & Receiving Clerk	C

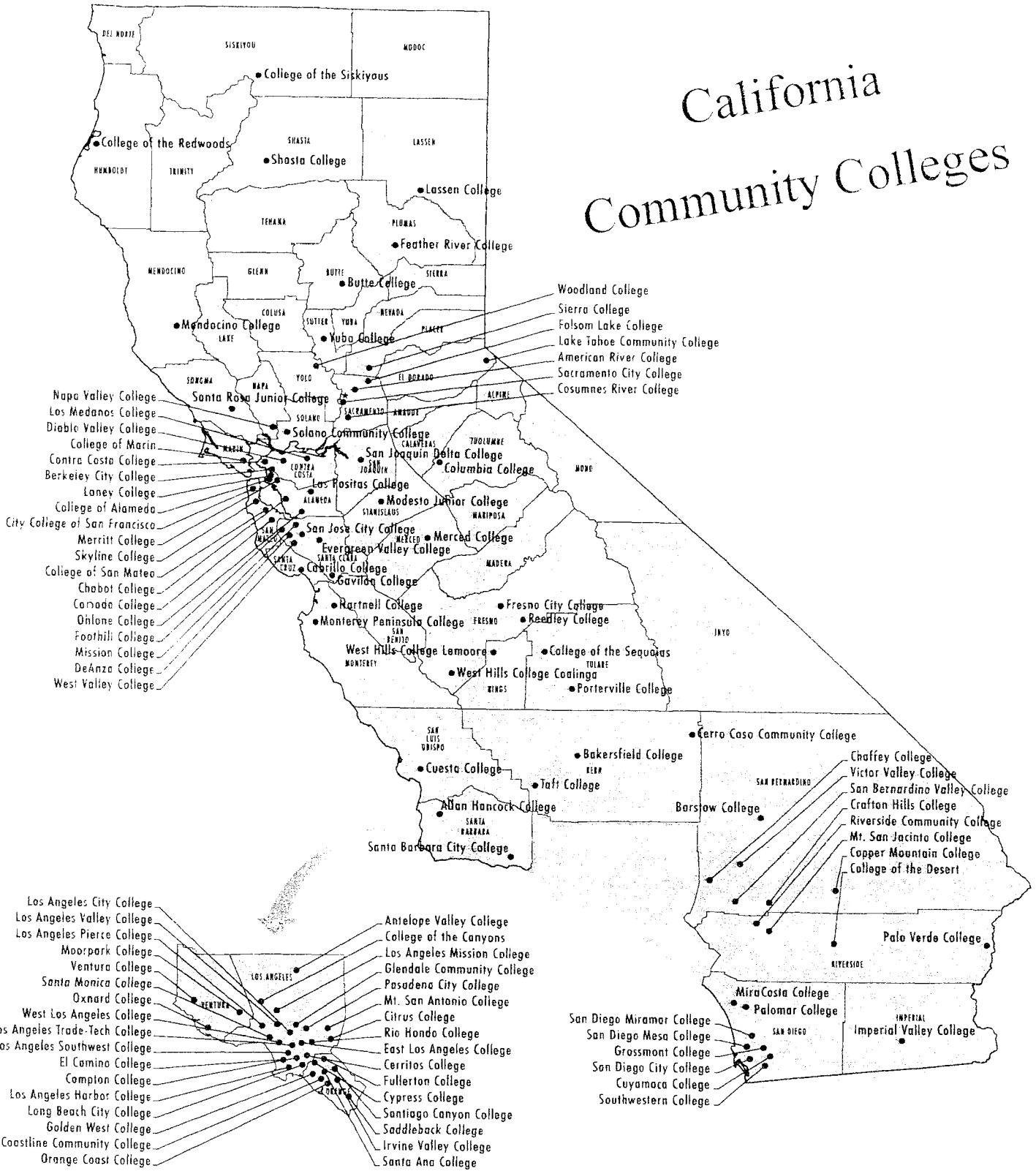
Other Programs & Degrees

Electron Microscopy:	C
Biological	C
Crystalline Material	C
Family & Consumer Sciences: Life Management	C
Family & Consumer Sciences	AA
Humanities	AA
Liberal Arts & Sciences	AA
Music	AA
Natural Sciences	AA
Social Sciences	AA
Technical Education	AA

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AS = Associate in Science Degree

For information on these degrees or certificate programs, please refer to the San Joaquin Delta College Catalog. The Catalog may be purchased at the San Joaquin Delta College Bookstore, or viewed electronically at www.DELTACOLLEGE.edu

California Community Colleges



Chancellor's Office
California Community Colleges

1102 Q Street Sacramento, California 95814-6511 www.cccco.edu

State of California

California Community Colleges That Offer Dormitories

Columbia College

Yosemite Community College District
11600 Columbia College Drive (209) 533-3039
Sonora, CA 95370-8518 www.columbia.yosemite.edu

Cerro Coso Community College – Mammoth Campus

Kern Community College District
South Gateway Student Apartments (760) 934-5215
121 College Parkway / P.O. Box 1679
Mammoth Lakes, CA 93546 mammothstudentapartments.org

Feather River College

Feather River Community College District
570 Golden Eagle Avenue (530) 283-0202
Quincy, CA 95971 www.frc.edu/home/whatshot/frsaps/APRTMNT2.htm

Lassen College

Lassen Community College District
Highway /139 PO Box 3000 (559) 360-8038
Susanville, CA 96130-3000 www.lassencollege.edu

College of the Redwoods

Redwoods Community College District
7351 Tompkins Hill Road (707) 476-4100
Eureka CA 95501-9301 www.redwoods.edu/eureka/housing/rdtl.asp

Reedley College

State Center Community College District
995 N. Reed Avenue (559) 638-3641
Reedley ,CA 93654-2099 www.reedleycollege.edu

Shasta College

Shasta-Tehama-Trinity Community College District
11555 Old Oregon Trail
PO Box 496006 (530) 242-4824
Redding, CA 96049-6006 www.shastacollege.edu

Sierra College

Sierra Joint Community College District
5000 Rocklin Road (916) 660-7389
Rocklin ,CA 95677-3397 www.sierracollege.edu/StudentServices/housing/index.html

College of the Siskiyous

Siskiyou Joint Community College District
800 College Avenue (530) 938-5237
Weed, CA 96094-2899 www.siskiyous.edu

West Hills College Coalinga

West Hills Community College District
300 Cherry Lane (559) 934-2373
Coalinga, CA 93210-1399 www.westhillscollge.com/coalinga

College, Career, and Scholarship Websites

CAREERS

www.bridges.com

www.bls.gov

www.californiacareers.info

*LHS subscribes to this college and career search program. LHS ID is 0011588
Password: *lincoln*
Bureau of Labor Statistics - Occupational Outlook Handbook
Various career searches*

COLLEGE INFORMATION

www.californiacolleges.edu

www.universityofcalifornia.edu

www.csumentor.edu

www.aiccu.edu

<http://wue.wiche.edu>

www.usnews.com

*Links to all California colleges
University of California - links to all Campuses. Application site.
California State Universities - links to all campuses, comparison charts, and other information. Application site.
Links to many private colleges and universities
Western Undergraduate Exchange.
Information about out-of-state colleges and universities that offer reduced tuition for out-of-state students.
U.S. News and World Report - college rankings, analysis of majors, and other information.*

COLLEGE TESTING

www.collegeboard.com

www.act.org

*SAT, PSAT, AP testing
ACT*

Both the College Board and ACT offer a number of services to students - go to their websites and explore services.

www.kaplan.com

www.princetonreview.com

www.4tests.com

*Test prep
Test prep
Test prep*

FINANCIAL AID/ SCHOLARSHIPS*

www.finaid.org

www.fafsa.ed.gov

www.pin.ed.gov

www.csac.ca.gov

*Federal financial aid information
Free Application for Student Financial Aid
Get your pin# for use with the FAFSA
Cal Grants*

<https://profileonline.collegeboard.com>

www.edfund.org

www.fastaid.com

www.fastweb.com

*CSS Profile (for private universities)
Financial aid and college planning
Scholarships
Scholarships*

**Be aware of "bogus" scholarship offers from companies who promise to give you a list of guaranteed scholarships. Usually there are no fees when applying for scholarships.*