

EOPS / CARE

EOPS provides guidance and support in order to help students achieve their academic, career, and personal goals. EOPS participants have access to priority registration, comprehensive academic counseling, financial aid and scholarships, book vouchers, and more.

evc.edu/eops

DISABILITIES SUPPORT PROGRAM

The Disabilities Support Program (DSP) is designed to provide accommodations and services to students with documented physical, psychological, and learning disabilities to participate in all aspects of the college community. Students who have temporary or permanent disabilities that affect academic performance may be eligible for support services.

evc.edu/dsp

NEXTUP / FOSTER YOUTH

NextUp is another EOPS program intended to serve current and former foster youth students. NextUp students have access to priority registration, financial aid grants and scholarships, holistic academic and career counseling, book voucher, gas vendor cards, overall basic needs support, and more.

evc.edu/foster-youth

VETERANS FREEDOM CENTER

EVC welcomes all former and current military and their dependents to utilize the services of the VFC. The Center helps with VA benefits, certification, VA medical services, as well as a dedicated counselor, priority registration and other educational benefits.

evc.edu/veterans

HEALTH SERVICES

EVC Health Services provides confidential health care, including physical exams, low-cost lab testing, and prescription medications. Additional services provided are pregnancy testing, birth control, HIV/STD testing and treatment, nutrition/health education, and smoking cessation counseling. Our medical clinicians also provide referrals to specialists and community health agencies.

evc.edu/health

MENTAL HEALTH / WELLNESS

Short-term personal counseling is provided on a limited basis to students who are seeking support for their emotional needs and who are experiencing mental health related barriers that are limiting their ability to successfully pursue a college education.

Care Management serves students by coordinating prevention, intervention, and support services on and off campus to assist students who are facing barriers that may impede their personal and academic success.

The Nest is a free student spa service here on campus, which offers (20-minute) individual relaxation sessions, including a massage chair, aroma therapy, eye mask and tabletop Zen Garden.

evc.edu/wellness

OASISS

Our mission is to provide immigrant students with the necessary tools and information to succeed in pursuing a higher education and professional career. Our bilingual staff offers academic counseling, career coaching, book vouchers, laptop loans and immigrant related services.

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Supporting Students



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BASIC NEEDS SERVICES

We are here to help. The following services are for current students of EVC.

ASSISTANCE INCLUDES, BUT IS NOT LIMITED TO:

- Assistance applying for CalFresh
- Talking to our Basic Needs Coordinator.

evc.edu/basic-needs
fresh@evc.edu | (408) 223-6735

HOW TO START

Current enrolled students can fill out the FRESH application at evc.edu/basic-needs.

PAYING FOR EVC

We strongly encourage students to fill out a FAFSA form for Financial Aid. There are also a number of scholarships available. Check out evc.edu/scholarships for details.

FOOD INSECURITY

In partnership with **Second Harvest Foodbank**, EVC offers a free food distribution on the first and third Fridays in Parking Lot 1 from 9:30 a.m. to 11 a.m.

The F.R.E.S.H Market provides grab-and-go options and other options (boxed cereal, canned goods, etc.) that may require students to prepare.

The F.R.E.S.H. Farmer's Market is available on the second and fourth Thursday from 9:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. in the Central Green with an assortment of product, milk, eggs and other items.

HOUSING

EVC can provide multiple resources and contacts, including the Bill Wilson Center, for students experiencing a housing crisis.

C.A.R.E. CLOSET

For current students, the C.A.R.E Closet was established to provide immediate basic need items, such as toiletries, diapers, laundry detergent, towels, and feminine hygiene products to EVC students. The closet is located in Gullo I-106.

CAMPUS SHOWERS

Showers are offered Monday-Thursday from 8:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m. and Fridays from 8:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. inside of the PE Building. If needed, students may pick up essential item such as soap, towels, and shampoo from the EVC C.A.R.E Closet located inside of Gullo I-106.

TECHNOLOGY

We can assist students with completing the EVC Form to request a laptop and offer loaner hotspots for reliable Wifi. Loaners are available on a semester basis. Students can also receive help with the Emergency Broadband Benefit Program application. Supplies are limited.

CALFRESH

The CalFresh Program, federally known as the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP), issues monthly electronic benefits that can be used to buy most foods at many markets and food stores. Students may apply for CalFresh inside of the EVC F.R.E.S.H Market or during the CalFresh Farmer's Market days.

PARENTING STUDENTS

Parenting Hubs on campus offer a lactation suite, diapers, child clothing, baby food, and a book library. We also provide information on the Parenting Student Club, playgroups, and study spaces. Workshops and seminars with local agencies will also be available. EVC can also refer students to local agencies and workshops.

APPLY TO EVC

1. Apply to CCC Apply

Apply through the state's online application, **choose EVC** and receive an EVC student ID number.

Once you receive your ID number you can create an account for Single Sign-On which is your online platform for EVC.

2. Apply for Financial Aid

There are a number of ways to pay for college

- Student Aid (FAFSA)
- CA Promise Grant
- Pell and Cal Grants
- Work Study
- California Dream Act

3. Online Orientation

Attend either an online or in-person orientation to get familiar with the college.

4. Ed Plan / Counseling

Meet with a counselor and discuss your academic goals and create an "Ed Plan," which helps you plan your schedule.

5. Register for Classes

Register through Single Sign-On and see our classes at evc.edu/schedule.

evc.edu/apply

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