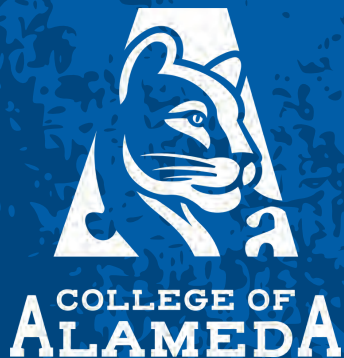


2026-2027 College Success Handbook & Planner



Welcome to College of Alameda

Home of the Cougars

Dear Students,

Welcome to the College of Alameda, where your journey begins and your potential is limitless.

At CoA, you are joining a community that is deeply committed to your success. Our faculty, classified professionals, and administrators are here to support you every step of the way as you pursue your academic, career, and personal goals. We proudly stand by our guiding principle: Believe. Achieve. Succeed. No matter your background, pathway, or life experience, you belong here.

You have chosen a college that prioritizes high-quality education, meaningful opportunities, and clear pathways to your future. Whether your goal is to transfer to a four-year university, complete a career education program, or strengthen your skills, CoA offers a wide range of programs designed to help you thrive and move toward high-wage, high-demand careers.

Located on a unique island campus, CoA provides a welcoming, close-knit environment with access to the rich resources of the surrounding region. Our students benefit from small class sizes, dedicated instructors, and a wide array of free support services designed to ensure your success. We offer flexible learning options, including online, hybrid, and in-person courses, along with short-term class formats that allow you to accelerate your progress. Our Winter Intersession also provides an opportunity to earn transferable credit in just a few weeks.

Beyond the classroom, our student services teams are here to help you navigate every aspect of your college experience - from enrollment and financial aid to career exploration, leadership development, and engagement in vibrant learning communities.

We are also proud to offer state-of-the-art facilities, including our Transportation & Technology Center, where students in Automotive Technology, Diesel Mechanics, and Auto Body & Paint programs learn in cutting-edge environments alongside experienced faculty and industry professionals.

At the College of Alameda, we are more than a college, we are a community. A place where you are supported, challenged, and inspired to reach your full potential.

Welcome to the Cougar family. We are excited to walk alongside you on your journey.

With pride and enthusiasm,

Melanie Dixon
College President





COLLEGE OF ALAMEDA

2026-2027 The College Success Handbook & Planner

MISSION STATEMENT

The mission of College of Alameda is to serve the educational needs of its diverse community by providing comprehensive and flexible programs and resources that empower students to achieve their goals.

This Planner Belongs to:

Name: _____

Peralta Student ID Number: _____

Peralta Student Email: _____@cc.peralta.edu

Phone Number: _____

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NEW STUDENT STEPS FOR SUCCESS

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Apply:

To apply, visit alameda.edu/enroll



Apply for Financial Aid:

Check in with the Financial Aid Department to make sure your financial aid is in order or if you have any questions.

Website: alameda.edu/financial-aid



Meet with a Counselor:

Determine English and math placement, plan your classes, and create a Student Educational Plan (SEP) to reach your educational goals sooner.

Website: alameda.edu/counseling

For ESOL Placement:

Complete the ESOL Self-Placement Tool in Campus Solutions. Please visit our ESOL On-boarding website to assist you with this process.

Make sure to meet with a counselor after completing ESOL placement.

Website: alameda.edu/students/placement



Enroll into Classes:

Log in to your Campus Solutions portal to enroll into classes.

Website: student.peralta.edu



Review the Orientation in Canvas:

Complete the online orientation in Canvas. You will not have access to the orientation until you have enrolled in classes.

Website: student.peralta.edu



Sexual Harassment Prevention Training:

Complete the sexual harassment prevention training in Canvas.

Website: student.peralta.edu



Get Your Student ID Card and Sticker:

Bring a valid picture ID and your current class schedule as proof of enrollment to the Welcome Center (Building A) and have your picture taken to be issued your student ID card and semester sticker.

For a more detailed list with more information, tutorials, and resources to help assist you in completing the steps, visit alameda.edu/enroll

Associate Degrees & Certificates

The following is a list of study areas described in the catalog for which we award:

Associate (AA/AS) degrees

Associate Degrees for Transfer (AA-T / AS-T)

Certificate of Achievement (CA)

Certificate of Proficiency (CP)

Certificate of Competency (CCY)

Certificate of Completion (CC)

Certificate of Accomplishments (CAccom).

The Associate in Arts for Transfer (AA-T) and the Associate in Science for Transfer (AS-T) are intended for students who plan to complete a Bachelor's degree in a similar major at a CSU campus. The college also awards non-credit certificates (NC).

SUBJECT	DISCIPLINE	DEGREE(S)
ADAM	Apparel Design & Merchandising	CA, AA
AFRAM	African-American Studies	AA
ANTHR	Anthropology	AA, AA-T
ART	Art	AA
	Art History	AA-T
	Practitioner of Fine Art	CA
	Art Fundamentals	CAccom
	Studio Arts	AA-T
AUTOB	Auto Body and Paint:	
	Auto Body	CA, AS
	Auto Paint	CA, AS
ATECH	Automotive Technology:	
	Engine Performance	CA, AS
	Chassis & Drivetrain	CA, AS
	Chassis Specialist	CA, AS
	Engine Repair Specialist	CA, AS
	Automotive Electronics Spec	CA, AS
	Drivetrain Specialist	CA, AS
AMT	Aviation Maintenance Technology:	
	Airframe Technician	CA, AS
	Powerplant Technician	CA, AS
BIOL	Biology	AS
BUS	Business:	
	Accounting	CA, AA
	Business Administration 2.0	AS-T
	Entrepreneurship	CP
CHEM	Chemistry	CA
COMM	Communication Studies 2.0	CA, AA, AA-T

SUBJECT	DISCIPLINE	DEGREE(S)
CIS	Computer information systems	CA, AA
	Data Analytics	CP
	Desktop Support Technician	CA
DANCE	Dance	CA, AA
DENTL	Dental Assisting	CA, AS
DMECH	Diesel Mechanics	CA, AS
ECON	Economics	AA-T
ENGL	English	AA-T
ESOL	English for Speakers of Other Languages:	
	ESOL: High Beginning	CP, CCy
	ESOL: Intermediate	CP, CCy
	ESOL: High Intermediate	CP, CCy
	ESOL: Advance	CP, CCy
GEOG	Geography	AA, AA-T
GEOL	Geology	CA, AS
HIST	History	AA, AA-T
HUMAN	Humanities	AA
KIN	Kinesiology:	
	Athletic Trainer Aide	CA
LBART	Liberal Arts:	
	Arts & Humanities	AA
	Social & Behavioral Sciences	AA
	Natural Sciences	AA
	Cal-GETC	CA
LRNRE	Learning Resources:	
	Pathway to Academic English	CCy
	Pathway to Success	CCy

TABLE CONTINUES ►

SUBJECT	DISCIPLINE	DEGREE(S)
	Tutor Training (noncredit)	CC
MAKR	Modern Making:	
	Making with Hand Tools	CC
	Making with Desktop Cutter	CC
	Making with Dye Sublimation Printer	CC
	Making with Laser Cutter	CC
	Making with Printer Cutter	CC
	Making with 3D Printer	CC
MATH	Mathematics	AS, AS-T
M/LAT	Mexican/Latin American Studies	AA
MUSIC	Music:	
	Gospel Music Performance	CA
	Jazz Studies/Popular Music Performance	CA
POSCI	Political Science	AA, AA-T
PSYCH	Psychology	AA, AA-T
SOC	Sociology	AA, AA-T

Associate Degrees for Transfer (ADT / AA-T / AS-T)

If you complete an Associate Degree for Transfer—an Associate in Arts (AA-T) or Associate in Science for Transfer (AS-T) with a 2.0 GPA - you are guaranteed admission in your major or in a similar major at a California State University

Your courses include those in your major plus California General Education Transfer Curriculum (Cal-GETC). Earning an AA-T or AS-T degree is also considered a factor in the University of California application comprehensive review! See your counselor about how you can earn an AA-T or AS-T degree.

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| 1. Anthropology | 8. Geography |
| 2. Art History | 9. History |
| 3. Studio Arts | 10. Mathematics |
| 4. Business Administration 2.0 | 11. Political Science |
| 5. Communication Studies 2.0 | 12. Psychology |
| 6. Economics | 13. Sociology |
| 7. English | |





Student's Rights & Responsibilities

Our Core Principles of Student Rights & Responsibilities in Education

College of Alameda is dedicated to maintaining an educational environment that promotes equity, mutual respect, and remains free from interference and disruption. Concerns, complaints, grievances, or disciplinary matters are generally expected to be resolved at the campus or district level.

The following administrative processes are available to individuals who have concerns, believe they have been treated unfairly, or feel that their rights have been violated:

1	<u>PROHIBITION OF HARASSMENT, DISCRIMINATION, AND SEXUAL ASSAULT PROCEDURES AP 3430</u>	
2	<u>PROHIBITION OF SEXUAL HARASSMENT UNDER TITLE-IX AP 3433</u>	
3	<u>RESPONDING TO HARASSMENT BASED ON SEX UNDER TITLE-IX AP 3434</u>	
4	<u>GRADE CHANGES AND STUDENT GRIEVANCE PROCEDURES AP 4231</u>	
5	<u>STUDENT STANDARDS OF CONDUCT, DISCIPLINE PROCEDURES, AND DUE PROCESS AP 5500</u>	
6	<u>STUDENT RIGHTS AND GRIEVANCE PROCEDURE AP 5530</u>	
7	<u>DISABLED STUDENTS PROGRAMS AND SERVICES AP 5140</u>	
8	<u>NONDISCRIMINATION AP 3410</u>	

Individuals are strongly encouraged to make every attempt to resolve matters through the appropriate administrative processes described above.

Class Schedule & Course Catalog

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Education with
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Textbooks

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UC or CSU
with Confidence



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Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA)

FAFSA eligibility:

- U.S. Citizen
- Permanent Resident (Green Card)
- Eligible Non-citizen
- T-Visa



APPLY HERE: studentaid.gov

California Dream Act Application (CADAA)

CADAA eligibility:

- Undocumented
- U-Visa
- Temporary Protected Status (TPS)
- Meet the CA non-resident exemption requirements



APPLY HERE: dream.csac.ca.gov

Deadline to Submit the FAFSA or CADAA: June 30th

? *What's the difference between FAFSA and CADAA?*

Students who complete the FAFSA may be eligible for both federal and state financial aid. Students who submit the CADAA may qualify for state financial aid. Even if students are not eligible for free grant aid, they may still qualify for the California College Promise Grant (CCPG), which can waive their tuition fees.



Financial Aid Office:

(510) 748-2391

coafinancialaid@peralta.edu

<https://alameda.edu/financial-aid>

Student Online Tools

Peralta uses 'single sign on' – by logging in at
myapplications.microsoft.com
 with your student email you will gain access to:



CAMPUS
SOLUTIONS

Campus Solutions is where you can search for and enroll in classes, pay fees, and more!



Outlook

Microsoft Office, gives you access to Outlook (email) OneDrive (cloud storage), Word, Excel, PowerPoint and more!



CANVAS

Canvas is our online learning platform. Classes use Canvas not just for fully online classes, but for hybrid (part in person, part online) courses and for professors to share information in fully in-person courses. Check out bit.ly/peraltacanvas for tutorials and help with canvas.

If you are having issues with any of the above, contact helpdesk@cc.peralta.edu

Other resources such as specific program information, learning communities, degrees, clubs and other services including counseling, tutoring, enrollment and financial aid assistance, basic needs assistance, and more can be found on your home college website.



alameda.edu



berkeleycitycollege.edu



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Admissions & Records

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Whether you are preparing for transfer to a four-year college or university, seeking an associate's degree or certificate, or taking classes to improve skills or investigate a new career, we are pleased that you have chosen College of Alameda. Our staff is committed to providing you with the best education possible.

Services include:

- Residency Status
- Enrollment Verifications
- Student Applications Assistance
- Add/Drop Classes
- Updating Student Records
- Official Transcripts Request
(<http://www.peralta.edu/admissions/transcripts>)

Forms: Visit our website for access to A&R forms

- Personal Information Update
- Academic Renewal/Alleviation
- Cal-GETC Certification
- Excused Withdrawal
- Change of Major
- and many more!

Visit our website for
more information and
access to these services



Adult Education Transition Program

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ALAMEDA.EDU/ADMISSIONS/ADULT-EDUCATION-TRANSITION-PROGRAM

The Adult Transitions Program is a consortium of Community Colleges and Adult Schools in collaboration with Community Based Organizations to enable adults (18+) to advance education, obtain employment, and improve wages through a comprehensive California partnership. College of Alameda's Adult Transitions Program works with its new and existing partners to foster a seamless transition into the Peralta Community College system.

Services include:

- Application and enrollment assistance
- Financial aid assistance
- College tours

Visit our website for
more information and
access to these services





Associated Students of College of Alameda (ASCOA)

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The Associated Students of College of Alameda (ASCOA) Senate are a group of elected student officers that represent all students and whose purpose is to be a voice for students while providing activities and services that improve the student experience at College of Alameda.

Services include:

- Representing student concerns to the administration
- Planning campus activities

Interested in joining the
ASCOA? Visit our
website to learn more!



Basic Needs Center

(510)748-5296 | JSIMMONS@PERALTA.EDU | F BUILDING 1ST FLOOR
ALAMEDA.EDU/BASIC-NEEDS

Basic Needs at College of Alameda takes a holistic, student-centered approach to helping students with the basics, so that they can focus on their education.

Services include:

- The Market
- One Stop Shop - Free Student Pantry
- Wi-fi Hot Spots
- CoA Diaper Bank
- Student Assistance Grants
- Emergency Grants
- The Boutique

Visit our website for
more information and
access to these services





CalWORKS

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CalWORKS Program is lifting families out of poverty through education. CalWORKS at the College of Alameda can help student parent(s) receiving public welfare assistance, Temporary Assistance for Needy Family (TANF) get access to vital services such as work study, job placement, childcare, curriculum development, skills training, and more.

Services include:

- Academic/Personal Counseling
- Work-Study
- Priority Registration
- Textbook/Supply Funds

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more information and
access to these services



Cashier's Office

(510) 748-2224 | LOCATION: A-BUILDING (BUSINESS SIDE) - ROOM A-150

Services include:

- Parking permits
- Tuition payment
- AC transit clipper card
- Payment plan for tuition
(<http://www.peralta.edu/admissions/student-finance/payment-plan>)



FEE TYPE	AMOUNT	REQUIRED OF
California Community College Enrollment Fee	\$46 per semester unit	Credit students
Campus Center Use Fee	\$2 per semester, per campus	Credit students
Nonresident Tuition	\$401 per semester unit	Credit students
Student Representation Fee	\$2 per semester, per campus	Credit students
Health Fee	\$23 for Fall and Spring; \$20 for Summer	Credit students
International Health Insurance Fee	\$175 per month - Fall (5 months): \$875 Spring/Summer (7 months): \$1,225 Summer (New Students Only): \$350	International Students
Transportation Fee	\$53 per semester	Credit students

All fees are subject to legislative changes and all fees are payable at time of enrollment. Visit <https://www.peralta.edu/admissions/student-finance/fees-and-payment> for current fees.



College 2 Career (C2C)

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The College to Career (C2C) program at the College of Alameda is housed within the Student Accessibility Services (SAS) department. This three-year program supports students with diverse cognitive abilities, such as intellectual differences and Autism, in building the skills necessary for academic, career, and personal success. C2C serves students who are consumers of the California Department of Rehabilitation (DOR).

Services include:

- Career exploration activities
- Job skills classes
- Independent living skills courses
- Academic/study skills support to successfully complete classes

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more information and
access to these services



College Promise

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The College of Alameda Promise Program includes our promise services and programming for Peralta (Oakland) Promise and Alameda Promise. The program is open to first-time, full-time high school students graduating from AUSD or OUSD who seek to complete a certificate, degree, and/or plan to transfer to a four-year university

Services include:

- Free tuition for a year (possible second year meeting program requirements),
- Book stipends
- Dedicated Promise Counselor
- Priority registration

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access to these services





Cooperative Agencies Resources for Education (C.A.R.E.) Program

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ALAMEDA.EDU/CARE

Cooperative Agencies Resources for Education (C.A.R.E.) Program is available to EOP&S students who are single parents receiving public assistance. C.A.R.E. offers additional support services so students can transition from welfare dependency.

Services include:

- Comprehensive academic and support counseling
- Financial aid
- Grants for books, tools, uniform, childcare, transportation, housing and grocery
- Priority registration

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Counseling

(510) 748-5207 | AIKA@PERALTA.EDU | A BUILDING - WELCOME CENTER
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Counseling's primary goal is to provide academic support services necessary for students to succeed at the College of Alameda. Counselors are an integral part of the education process, recognizing the needs of each student with whom they come into contact. Counselors provide current and valid information, using many resources, so that students are prepared to investigate alternatives, establish priorities, and develop an Educational Plan.

Services include:

- Developing a Student Education Plan
- Degree and Certificate Petitions
- Financial Aid Appeals
- Major and Career Exploration
- Removing Probation/Dismissal Hold
- Excess Units Request
- Academic Advice
- General Questions (i.e. program/transfer information)
- Prerequisite Clearance
- English, ESOL, math placement
- College policy and procedures

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more information and
access to these services





Extended Opportunity Programs & Services (EOP&S) Program

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Extended Opportunity Programs and Services, also known as "EOPS", is a state-funded program designed to provide support services to low-income and academically disadvantaged students to become successful in college. EOPS is available to assist students with support services like early registration, academic counseling, career guidance, tutoring, book grants, transfer assistance, and tons more.

Services include:

- Comprehensive academic and support counseling
- Financial aid
- Grants for books, tools, uniform, childcare, transportation, housing and grocery
- Priority registration

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Financial Aid

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College of Alameda's Financial Aid Office assists students and their families in identifying options to help pay for college. Our office provides information on the types of aid available, how to apply, eligibility requirements, disbursement timelines, and the terms and conditions of financial aid awards. Financial assistance can help cover fees, books, supplies, transportation, and other educational expenses, making college more affordable.

Services include:

- Financial assistance
- Grants & Loans
- FAFSA & CADAA workshops
- Work study opportunities
- Assistance with creating Bank Mobile Account

Visit our website for
more information and
access to these services



FAFSA

studentaid.gov

For US citizens or eligible non-citizens with a
valid social security number

California Dream Act Application (CADAA)

dream.csac.ca.gov

For California AB540 eligible students

College of Alameda's school code for financial aid: 006720



Health & Wellness Center

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Our Wellness Center at College of Alameda is dedicated to providing accessible, compassionate, evidence-based and trauma-informed mental health support services to empower our community college community. Through innovative programming, personalized counseling, and collaborative community partnerships and engagements, we strive to foster holistic well-being and resilience for all students, faculty, and staff on our campus. We currently offer remote and in-person mental health counseling.

Services include:

- Individual Therapy
- Support Groups
- Wellness Workshops
- Health information & referrals

Visit our website for
more information and
access to these services



Learning Resource Center (LRC) & Tutoring Services

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The Learning Resource Center offers free academic support for all enrolled students. We offer drop-in and one-on-one tutoring sessions. We also have embedded tutoring and peer mentoring, study groups, and workshops.

Services include:

- English/ESOL Tutoring
- STEM & Computer Tutoring
- Computer Lab
- Writing Center
- Math Lab
- Online Tutoring

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more information and
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All students must be enrolled in **LRNRE 501** in order to use the LRC & Tutorial services



Library

510-748-2120 | COALIBRARY@PERALTA.EDU | L BUILDING
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Services include:

- Textbook Loans
- Chromebook Loans
- Chat/email with a librarian
- Free 24/7 ebooks and online articles
- Online Library Courses (LIS)
- News, Articles & Research Support
- Student Study Group Rooms
- Convenient Pick-Up Lockers
- Free printing (daily printing limit)
- Copier & Scanner Station

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Math Engineering Science Achievement (MESA)

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860 ATLANTIC AVE. ALAMEDA, CA 94501, ROOM 125
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The Mathematics, Engineering, Science Achievement (MESA) Program at the College of Alameda supports students pursuing calculus-based majors in STEM as they prepare to transfer to four-year universities and succeed in competitive academic and professional environments.

Services include:

- Priority Registration
- Designated MESA Counselor for 1:1 Academic Counseling
- Tutoring help in Calculus, Chemistry and Physics
- Access to our MESA Center & a supportive peer community
- Invites to Academic workshops, Transfer workshops, and MESA Lunch and Learns sessions
- Campus visits to four-year universities
- Regional and national conference trips
- STEM related events
- Local Industry visits

Visit our website for
more information and
access to these services





NextUP

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ALAMEDA.EDU/NEXT-UP

The NextUP Program is for current and former foster youth. Helping foster youth boost their confidence and abilities to become successful in college by offering a range of services and resources to help current and former foster youth.

Services include:

- Comprehensive counseling for academic, career and personal support
- Provides grants towards mental health payment assistances, rental assistances, and transportation
- Priority registration
- Life skills and financial skills workshops
- On-campus job placement

Visit our website for more information and access to these services



Puente

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The Puente Project is a national award-winning program that has improved the college-going rate of tens of thousands of California's educationally underrepresented students since 1981. Puente students enroll in two linked courses (English & Counseling) during the fall and spring semesters, and work closely with their counselor, English instructor, and mentor to prepare for transfer to four-year colleges and universities.

Services include:

- Dedicated Counselor
- Transfer planning
- Mentor opportunities
- Puente Familia – Puente students are part of a state-wide Puente network
- Tutoring services
- Priority registration
- Student Support Workshops
- Book Vouchers

Visit our website for more information and access to these services





Rising Scholars

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[ALAMEDA.EDU/RISING-SCHOLARS-PROJECT-HOPE](https://alameda.edu/rising-scholars-project-hope)

The College of Alameda's Rising Scholars Program provides a safe, supportive, equitable, and empowering educational environment for students impacted by the juvenile justice system. We equip students with the tools they need to achieve their highest potential through higher education. The goal of the program is to assist students throughout their college journey, from application to graduation.

Services include:

- Academic counseling
- Federal Work Study employment opportunities
- Tutoring
- Mentoring
- Peer support
- Events, workshops and field trips
- Connections to on-campus and community resources
- Financial Assistance (based on available funding)
- Partnership with California State University Project Rebound and the San Francisco State University Underground Scholars

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SALAAM

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[ALAMEDA.EDU/SALAAM](https://alameda.edu/salaam)

The SALAAM Learning Community provides integrated academic, financial, and student support services to South West Asian and North African (SWANA) and Arab – American students' journeys toward attainment of a certificate, degree, or transfer to a university within two to three years.

Services include:

- Counseling & Transfer Planning
- Career Coaching – Connecting students to job opportunities
- Tutoring – Peer tutoring and mentoring
- SALAAM Workshop Series – Preparing students to succeed at CoA and beyond
- Textbook Voucher
- Program Laptop
- Campus-wide cultural events

Visit our website for
more information and
access to these services





Student Accessibility Services (SAS)

(510) 748-2328 | SAS.ALAMEDA@PERALTA.EDU | D BUILDING – ROOM 117
ALAMEDA.EDU/SAS

Student Accessibility Services (SAS) provides services designed to meet the unique educational needs of enrolled CoA students with documented disabilities. Our professional staff works with each student to provide accommodations that ensure equal access to all academic programs, and to promote students' independence so they may realize their academic potential and reach their goals.

Services include:

- Academic Counseling and Educational Program Planning
- Adapted Computer Equipment and Assistive Technology
- Alternate Format Media (Braille, Large Print, E-text, Tactile Graphics)
- Assistive Listening Devices
- Cognitive Skills Classes
- Diagnostic Testing for Learning Disabilities
- Learning Skills Classes for Math and English
- Note Taking Assistance
- Priority Enrollment/Registration Assistance
- Sign Language Interpreting and Real-Time Captioning
- Testing Accommodations

Visit our website for
more information and
access to these services



Student Clubs

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ALAMEDA.EDU/CAMPUS-LIFE/STUDENT-CLUBS

Student clubs and organizations are important to create a vibrant and engage student experience at College of Alameda. By becoming involved with a club—students meet peers with similar interests, gain knowledge and skills relevant to academic and career paths, and deepen their connection to the college.

Forms include:

- ASCOA Club Charter Packet
- How to Start a Club
- Club Constitution Guidelines
- Club Constitution Template
- Advisor Agreement
- Club Registration Charter Agreement

Visit our website for more
information about how to start
or join a club on campus





Transfer Center

(510) 748-5207 | A BUILDING - WELCOME CENTER
ALAMEDA.EDU/TRANSFER-CENTER

The Transfer Center's goal is to provide students with the information and tools they need to continue their education towards a four-year bachelor's degree as well as to increase student awareness of transfer opportunities so that more students are encouraged, motivated and prepared to transfer to four-year colleges and universities.

Services include:

- Transfer counseling
- Four-year college representative visits
- Online application assistance
- TAG (Transfer Admission Guarantees) agreement information
- Associate Degrees for Transfer to CSU (AD-T)
- Tours of local four-year colleges and universities
- Concurrent Enrollment & Cross Registration programs
- Transfer workshops
- Access to a resource library of online and hard copy catalogs for in and out of state colleges/universities
- Transfer Day College Fair

Visit our website for
more information and
access to these services



Umoja

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ALAMEDA.EDU/UMOJA

Umoja, (a Kiswahili word meaning unity) is a community and critical resource dedicated to enhancing the cultural and educational experiences of African American and other students. We believe that when the voices and histories of students are deliberately and intentionally recognized, the opportunity for self-efficacy emerges and a foundation is formed for academic success. Umoja actively serves and promotes student success for all students through a curriculum and pedagogy responsive to the legacy of the African and African American Diasporas.

Services include:

- Diverse academic enrichment workshops
- Campus tours at local four-year universities
- Dedicated academic and personal counseling assistance
- Mentorship providing guidance for academic, career, and personal growth
- Statewide conferences and symposia hosted by the Umoja Community Education Foundation

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Undocumented Community Resource Center

(510) 748-5281 | ILSE.GONZALEZ@PERALTA.EDU | F BUILDING - ROOM 117
ALAMEDA.EDU/UCRC

We are delighted to have you enroll at our campus and even more to connect you with resources and opportunities to support you in your journey at COA and beyond. COA welcomes all students, regardless of their immigration status. We want you to know that any information you provide to the school is protected under federal and state law. At COA, we are committed to your academic success by catering to your needs and interests to help you excel at our campus and in your future aspirations.

Services include:

- One-on-One Mentorship
- Referrals to Free legal services
- Financial aid Assistance
- Safe Safe

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Veterans Resource Center (VRC)

(510) 748-5284 | LBRUMFIELD@PERALTA.EDU | G BUILDING - SECOND FLOOR
ALAMEDA.EDU/VETS

College of Alameda welcomes veterans to our campus community. The Veterans Resource Center (VRC) provides assistance to veterans and their dependents in their pursuit of an education at College of Alameda while utilizing veterans and /or dependents benefits. We are a liaison of the Veterans Administration to verify enrollment for students claiming veterans/dependent benefits.

Services include:

- Academic counseling
- Workshops
- Priority Registration
- Certification of Benefits
- Computer work stations
- Study space

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Welcome Center

(510) 748-5236 | COAOUTREACH@PERALTA.EDU | A BUILDING - WELCOME CENTER
[ALAMEDA.EDU/WELCOME-CENTER](https://alameda.edu/welcome-center)

If you need help becoming a College of Alameda student, visit the Welcome Center! The Welcome Center is conveniently located next to key services including Admissions and Records, Financial Aid, Counseling, Transfer Center, EOPS/CARE/NextUP, CalWORKs, and more. You can use the Welcome Center computers to apply to college, register for classes, and apply for financial aid. If you need assistance, our Student Ambassadors are here to help.

Services include:

- Application Assistance
- Class Enrollment Assistance
- Financial Aid Assistance
- Admission and Records Assistance
- Transfer Center Resources
- Counseling Assistance
- Distributing Student IDs (students must show proof of enrollment & valid ID with a picture; stickers for IDs are updated each semester with proof of enrollment)

Student Portal or Student Email Help:

helpdesk@cc.peralta.edu

Canvas Help:

For help with canvas contact
canvas@peralta.edu or 1-844-592-2199

Campus Solutions Tutorials & Help:

<https://www.peralta.edu/admissions/campus-solutions-help>



Workability

(510) 543-2476 | NAGARWAL@PERALTA.EDU | D - BUILDING 2ND FLOOR
[ALAMEDA.EDU/SAS/WORKABILITY](https://alameda.edu/sas/workability)

WorkAbility III (WAIII) is a joint program of the College of Alameda (COA) and the State Department of Rehabilitation (DOR) designed to provide employment opportunities for people with disabilities. Participants in the program must be State Department of Rehabilitation (DOR) clients and be referred by their DOR counselor to be eligible for services. All participants must also be eligible to enroll as COA students.

Services include:

- Job Search Workshops
- Job Clubs
- Job Placement Assistance
- Follow up support on the job

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FREE MONEY FOR COLLEGE!

FAFSA & CADAA NOW AVAILABLE!

You may qualify for **\$28,000+** in Federal and State Grants!

Apply for FAFSA here:
studentaid.gov

Apply for CADAA here:
dream.csac.ca.gov

Need help? Visit our Financial Aid Workshops:

Tuesday in person

11:30AM - 1:00PM

Location: A-232



Thursday virtual

11:30AM - 1:00PM

Zoom Meeting ID:

861 9657 1864



FINANCIAL AID OFFICE

510-748-2391

coafinancialaid@peralta.edu

<https://alameda.edu/financial-aid>

THE CA DREAM ACT



Financial aid is available for AB 540 students attending a California college or university.

What is AB 540 and how do I obtain AB 540 status?

AB 540 allows non-resident students who meet certain qualifications to pay in-state tuition. You are an AB 540 eligible student if you meet all of the following criteria:

- Completed 3+ years of coursework at California schools (K-12, adult school, or community college).
- Graduated or qualified for transfer from a California High School or College.
- Registered or enrolled in an accredited and qualifying California college or university
- If applicable, complete an affidavit to legalize immigration status as soon as you are eligible



To apply, visit dream.csac.ca.gov



The CA Dream Act Application will be available on **October 1st**.
The deadline to submit the application is **March 2nd**.

MAKE YOUR COLLEGE DREAMS COME TRUE!

The CADAA asks questions about you and your finances, so have the information below handy: Federal tax information, records of untaxed income, Cash, savings, and checking account balances, and investments other than the home in which you lived



How to Add & Drop a Class in Campus Solutions

1. Go to student.peralta.edu and log into the Student Portal.
Username = Your student ID number @cc.peralta.edu

2. Click on the “Campus Solutions” app.

3. Click on the Manage Classes Icon.

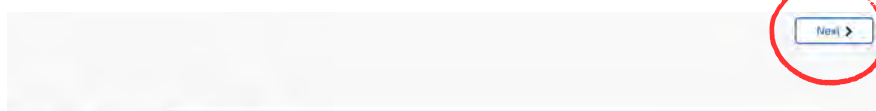
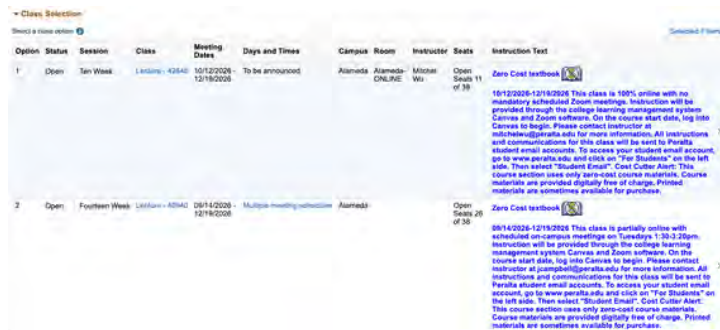
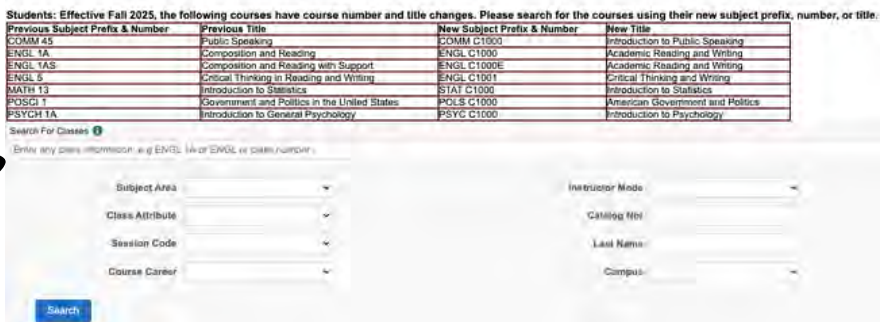
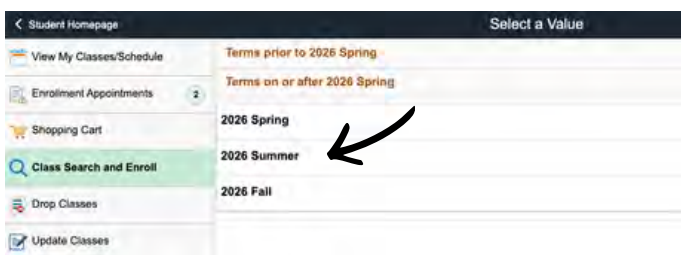
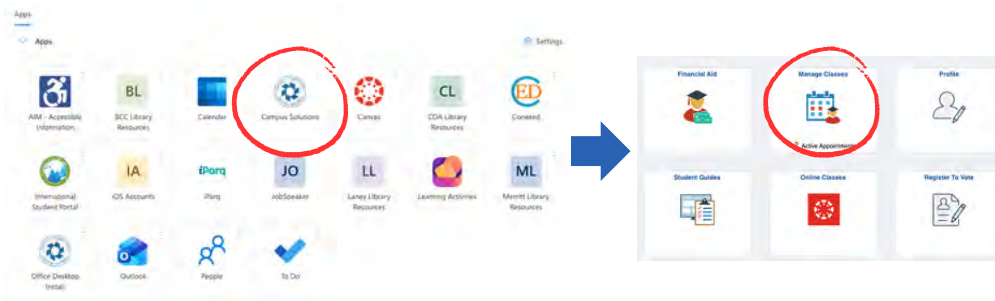
4. Select “Class Search and Enroll”
> Select the term you want to enroll into classes

5. Search for the class you want to enroll into. You can filter by college, subject area, etc.

6. When you hover your cursor over the class, the box will turn a light blue color. Click anywhere inside the box to select that course.

7. Review Class Selection

Click on “Next” in the upper right corner



Step 1 of 4: Review Class Selection

You have selected

ETHST | Introduction to Ethnic Studies

Option Status: Open

Class	Session	Meeting Dates	Days and Times	Seats
Lecture - 42845	Ten Week	10/12/2026 - 12/19/2026	To be Announced	Open Seats 11 of 38

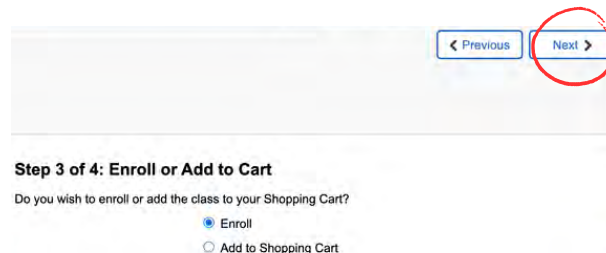
8. Review Class Preferences

If the class is full and you want to add to the waitlist, change selection from No to “Yes.” If the instructor provides you with a permission number to add into the class, you would enter it in the space under “Permission Number”. Press “Accept” in the upper right corner to continue.



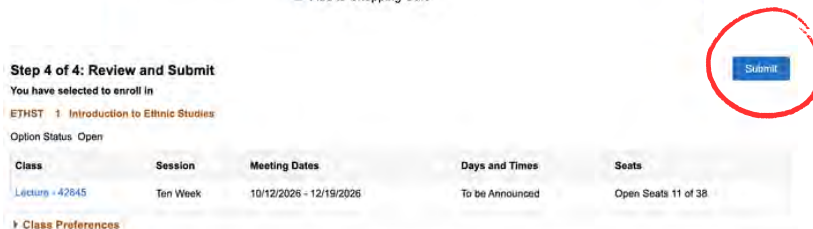
9. Enroll or Add to Cart

Select if you want to fully enroll or add the class to your shopping cart and press “Next” to continue.



10. Review and Submit

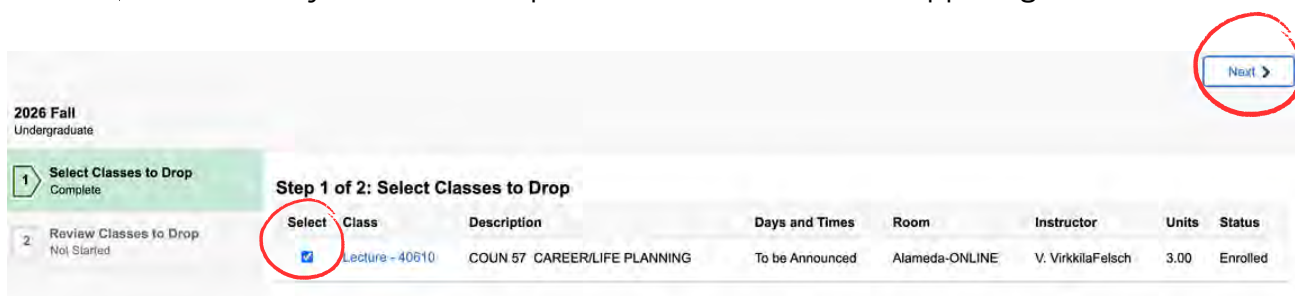
Select “Submit” to finish enrolling or adding the class to your shopping cart.



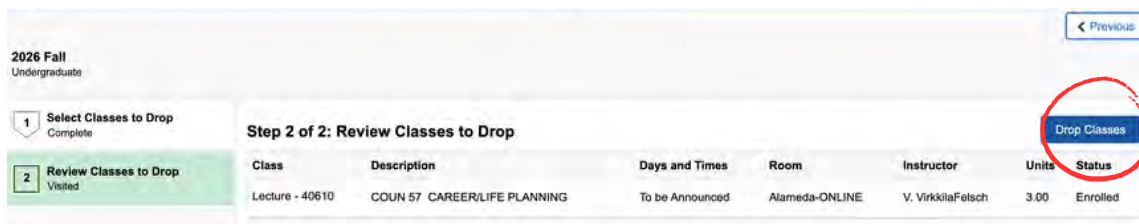
To check what classes you're enrolled in, go back to the “Manage Classes” icon (step 3)
> Select “View my Classes/Schedule”

Dropping a Class

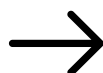
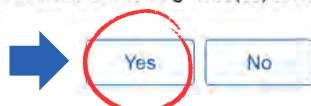
1. Follow steps 1-3 from previous page.
2. Select “Drop Classes” from the left sidebar.
3. Check off ✓ the classes you want to drop then select “Next” in the upper right corner.



4. Review classes to drop and select “Drop Classes” > Confirm YES > Class dropped confirmation



Confirm that the following class(es) are to be dropped



✓ **COUN 57 - CAREER AND LIFE PLANNING**
This class has been dropped.



CAMPUS
SOLUTIONS

Student Name: _____		Student ID: _____	
Class Code: _____ i.e. 42045	Dept. & Course #: _____ i.e. NUTR 010		Units: _____
For the: ☐ Summer ☐ Fall ☐ Spring	Term of: 20 _____	College: ☐ Alameda ☐ Berkeley ☐ Laney ☐ Merritt	
Permission #: _____	Effective Date of Add: _____	Today's Date: _____	
*Required for regular session classes only			
Instructor's Name: _____		Instructor's Signature: _____	
Student's Signature: _____		Date: _____	
OFFICE USE ONLY			
Processed By: _____			
Date: _____			
IT IS THE STUDENT'S RESPONSIBILITY TO SUBMIT THE ADD CARD TO THE CAMPUS ADMISSIONS & RECORDS OFFICE BEFORE ANY APPLICABLE DEADLINES			
Rev. 04/20/2017			

How to use a Permission Number

You may add regular session (full term) classes, where space is available, using Campus Solutions the first day of class and through Sunday of that week. After the first week of classes, you may only add a regular session class by obtaining a permission number from the instructor.

You can either:

- use the permission number to enroll online through Campus Solutions or
- fill out the ADD CARD FORM (see above image) to have Admission & Records enroll you into the class in-person (Note: if you would like to use an ADD CARD FORM, you will need the permission number and signature on an ADD CARD FORM to enroll in-person).

You are responsible for registering yourself or having Admission & Records enroll you into the class with the permission number by the last day to add for the term.

How do I obtain a permission number?

To obtain an instructor permission number you must attend a class meeting and/or e-mail the instructor. If space is available, the instructor may provide the required permission number.

How do I use the permission number to enroll?

To enroll online, log in to Campus Solutions and follow the regular enrollment steps. If a permission number is required, you will be prompted to provide it during the enrollment process (see below). To enroll in person, you will need to fill out an add card form and obtain the permission number and instructor signature.

How do wait-listed students use a permission number?

A waitlisted student needs to follow the regular enrollment process and add the permission number during Step 2 (Review Class Preferences - see below).

Do permission numbers override a course pre-requisite or enrollment hold?

No. Similar to auto-enrolling from a waitlist, permission numbers only allow you to enroll if you have met the requisites and have no holds on your account.

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1 Review Class Selection
Complete

2 Review Class Preferences
In Progress

3 Enroll or Add to Cart
Not Started

4 Review and Submit
Not Started

Step 2 of 4: Review Class Preferences

ART 46 2-D VISUAL DESIGN

Laboratory - 20013 - Wait List
Lecture - 20012 - Wait List

Add to waitlist if class is full? ☒ Yes

Permission Number ?

Enter Permission Number

Grading Basis

Graded

Add Deadlines

Please note that there are two key add deadlines for regular session (full term) classes per class:

- Last day to add without a permission number
- Last day to add with a permission number; this is also the last day to drop regular session classes to receive a refund and the last day to drop regular session classes without a “W” appearing on transcripts

In addition to regular (full term) 16-week session classes, we also offer a variety of short-term session classes that have different dates and deadlines.

To learn more about special dates and deadlines, visit:

peralta.edu/admissions/academic-calendar-finals-schedule-enrollment-calendar

Refund Information

IT IS THE STUDENT'S RESPONSIBILITY TO DROP CLASSES!

Students are expected to attend all classes in which they are enrolled. If you do not attend, or stop attending classes, and fail to personally drop by the drop deadline, you will be responsible for all tuition and fees. Not attending classes does not warrant a refund of fees. It is the student's responsibility to drop all classes which they are not attending.

For specific refund dates, please visit www.peralta.edu/admissions/student-finance/drop-refund. This includes the refund dates for Regular Session, Short-Term and Late Start Courses.

Refund Procedure for Enrollment Fees for Regular Session Classes

- A student who cancels his/her registration prior to the first day of instruction, or officially withdraws from all classes during the first two weeks of instruction, shall be entitled to a full refund less a \$10 processing fee. (This must be done whether you attend the class or not.)
- If a student pays an Enrollment Fee of less than \$10 and cancels his/her registration or withdraws from all classes before the deadline, the processing fee shall equal the Enrollment Fee.
- No refund of the Enrollment Fee will be made to any student who withdraws from classes after the first two weeks of instruction.
- A student may request a refund up to the end of the following term in which the refund was due. After that time, the student will not be eligible for the refund.
- To apply for an enrollment fee refund, email an Application for Refund Request form at the Cashier's Office website.
<https://www.peralta.edu/admissions/student-finance/drop-refund>
- Once the request is submitted, refund processing time is 4 to 6 weeks (after last day to add classes) during peak periods and 2 to 3 weeks during off peak periods.

Note: Students will receive a full refund for any class canceled by the college.

Refund Procedures for Health Fee

This fee is non-refundable unless all classes are dropped on or before the last day to drop regular session classes and receive a refund.

Refund Procedure for Non-Resident Tuition and Capital Outlay Fee

A 100% refund of Nonresident Tuition and Capital Outlay Fee (minus a \$10 processing fee) will be made for any class in which the student withdraws through the Last Day to Drop Regular Session Classes And Receive a Refund.

Refund Procedure for Short-Term, Late Start and Open-Entry/Open-Exit Classes

A student enrolled in a short-term class will receive a 100% re-fund (minus a \$10 processing fee for residents) if he/she officially withdraws within the first 10% of the class length. No refunds will be issued after the first 10% of the class length. For specific dates, please visit www.peralta.edu and search Refund Drop Deadline Schedule. This includes the refund dates for regular session courses and short/late start courses.

Refund Procedure for Variable Unit Classes

No refund shall be made for variable units not earned by the student. The State-mandated Enrollment Fees will be fully refunded if an action of the college (e.g. class cancellation) prevents a student from attending class. A student may, upon request, obtain a refund up to the end of the following term in which the refund was due. After that time the student will not be eligible for the refund. Please note: Instructors may drop students who do not attend the first class meeting but students are ultimately responsible for dropping themselves from any course they are not attending.

The Peralta Community College District participates in the State of California Chancellor's Office Tax Offset Program (COTOP). Past due accounts may be submitted to COTOP by the Peralta Community College District. This enables the State of California Franchise Tax Board to appropriately intercept any tax refunds, lottery winnings or unclaimed property that might be owed to you.

Wait List FAQs- Frequently Asked Questions

During registration, if you try to register for a class that is full ("CLOSED"), you will be given the option to add to the waitlist for that class until the waitlist fills. Remember, being on a waitlist does not guarantee you a seat in a class. If seats become available, those on the waitlist will be enrolled in the order they were added to the list.

Important: Passport will allow you to get on a waitlist, however, you will not be enrolled if you have any holds, time conflicts, repeat or prerequisite errors, duplicate courses, excessive units, or any type of registration error.

Can anybody get on a Waitlist?

Anyone can get on a waitlist if the waitlist for the class is available, but you will ONLY be enrolled in the class if:

1. You meet the class prerequisites
2. The class time does not conflict with another
3. You are not enrolled in another section of the same course
4. You have no repeat errors or holds on your record
5. The class units do not exceed your maximum allowed.

When the daily process runs and space in the class is available, if you are on the waitlist but do not meet the criteria above, instead of being automatically enrolled in the class you will remain on the waitlist.

Who gets into a class from a waitlist?

If one seat becomes available, students will automatically be enrolled in the class in the order in which they were added to the waitlist as long as there are no errors or enrollment restrictions.

How do I know if I got into a class?

If you are auto enrolled from the waitlist, you will be notified by email to your Peralta email account. Be sure to activate and monitor your Peralta emails during the registration period.

When do I pay for the class?

Fees will be assessed after you enroll in a class and must be paid 2 weeks before the beginning of the term. If you do not pay your fees, you may be dropped from the class for non-payment. If you add after this deadline, you are required to pay the fees immediately or a hold WILL be placed on your account and your debt will be sent to collections. Students on a waitlist should monitor their Peralta email closely for enrollment notification.

What is the first day I can waitlist?

Waitlists become available when a class reaches its enrollment capacity. Waitlisted classes are displayed in the online schedule of classes with a yellow triangle icon.

What is the last day I can be added to a waitlist?

You can be added to a waitlist until the day before classes begin.

What prevents me from adding to a waitlist?

- Enrollment appointment date/time has not yet been reached
- The last day to add to the waitlist has passed
- Class is not yet closed
- Waitlist is at its capacity
- You have reached the limit for waitlisted units (waitlisted and enrolled units cannot exceed 10 units in summer, and 18 units in fall and spring)

Can I be on the Waitlist for more than one section of the same class?

Yes. You will be automatically enrolled in the section that becomes available first, depending on your position on the waitlist for each section.

How can I tell if a class has a waitlist?

Waitlisted classes are marked by a yellow triangle in the online schedule of classes.

If an enrolled student drops a class and a seat opens up, do waitlisted students get the opportunity to enroll first?

Yes. When a class is marked as closed only students from the waitlist can be enrolled. Before the first day of classes, a daily process runs to automatically enroll students from the waitlist. If all waitlisted students are successfully enrolled in the class and there are still seats available, the class will reopen. However, if all students from the waitlist are moved to the class filling the class to capacity, the class will remain closed and the waitlist will re-open. If by the first day of class you are still on the waitlist, you will need to attend the first class meeting and obtain a permission number from your instructor in order to enroll in the class.

How do instructors know who is on the waitlist?

Class waitlists are available to instructors through class rosters.

Can a student be both enrolled and waitlisted for different sections of the same class?

Yes, but they cannot be enrolled in both. A student can be enrolled in the open section of a class and at the same time be on the waitlist for a different section of that same class (maybe the waitlisted section was their first choice, but it has reached capacity). However, a student will not be auto enrolled in the waitlisted section when a seat becomes available, even if they are eligible. In this instance, they will need to drop themselves from the section they are currently enrolled.

How will I move from the waitlist into the class?

During the registration period before classes begin, you are automatically enrolled as space becomes available. After classes begin, instructors are required to issue permission numbers. You use the class permission number to enroll in the class via Campus Solutions or by going to the Admissions and Records office at the college.

Is there a limit to the number of units that can be waitlisted?

Yes. Your waitlisted units and enrolled units cannot exceed 10 units in summer and 18 units in fall and spring.

Are waitlisted units counted into my total units for the term?

No. Enrolled units and waitlisted units are counted separately. Waitlisted courses are not counted towards full-time status or calculated for fees.

Will I be charged the enrollment fee when I add to the waitlist?

No. You are only charged the appropriate fees when you are officially enrolled in the class.

Can I drop myself from a waitlist?

Yes. You can drop yourself from a Waitlist using Drop Classes in Campus Solutions.

Can I see my position on a waitlist?

You can view your waitlist position in Campus Solutions. Click the Manage Classes tile and review the information in the View My Classes section.

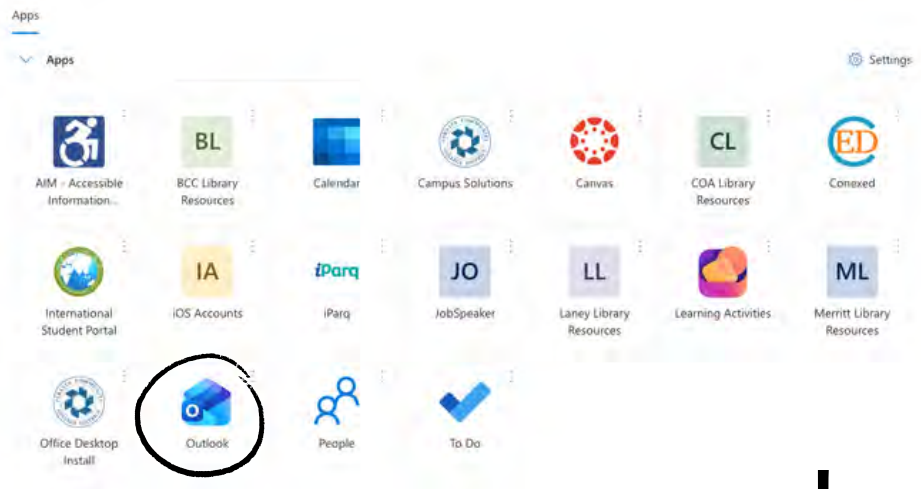


How to Forward Your Peralta Email

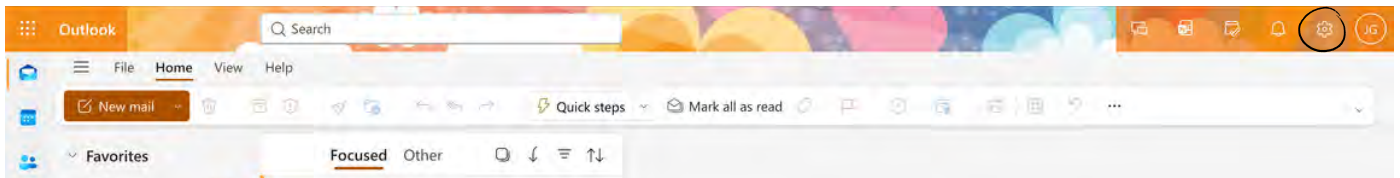


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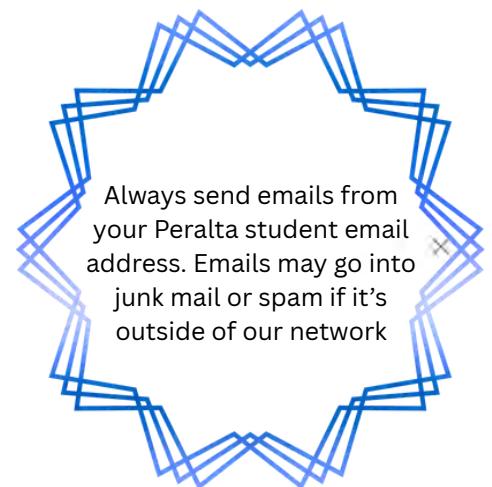
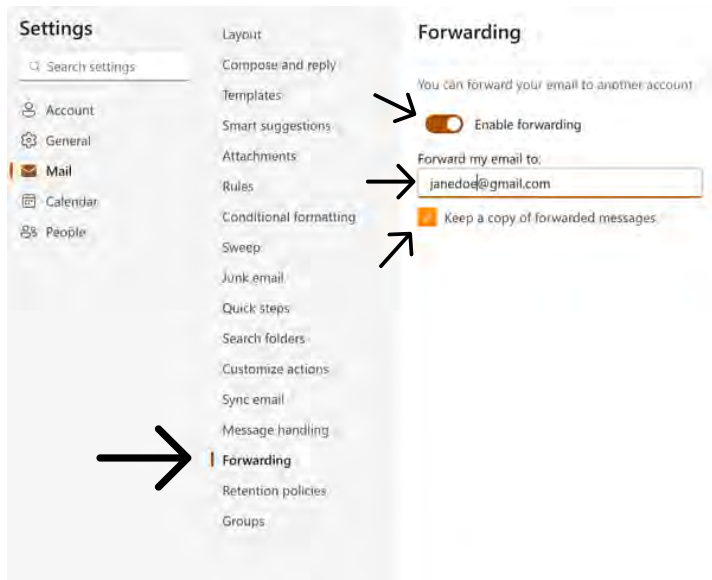
2. Click on the “Outlook” app.



3. Click on the Settings Icon in the upper right corner.



4. Scroll down to “Forwarding” and click on it.
5. Click on “Enable forwarding.”
6. Add your Email in the “Forward my email to” box.
7. Check the box for “Keep a copy of forwarded messages.”
8. Click Save.



How to Calculate Your Grade Point Average (GPA)



The cumulative GPA is computed by dividing the total number of units a student has attempted into the total number of grade points the student has earned:

$$\frac{\text{Total Grade Points}}{\text{Total Semester Units Attempted}} = \text{Grade Point Average (GPA)}$$

Letter Grade Value Point Value

A	=	4.0
B	=	3.0
C	=	2.0
D	=	1.0
F	=	0

Non-Letter Grades

W	MW
EW	I
P	NP
IP	RD



These non-letter grades have no point value and are not counted in units attempted when calculating your GPA.

Time to Calculate Your GPA!

<u>Course</u>	<u>Grade</u>	<u>Points</u>	<u>Attempted</u>	<u>Points X Attempted Units =</u>
ENGL C1000	B	3	4 units	<u>Total Grade Points</u>
STAT C1000	A	4	4 units	3 X 4 = 12 points
MUSIC 10	P	0	0 units	4 X 4 = 16 points
BIOL 10	C	2	4 units	0 X 0 = 0 points
HIST 7A	W	0	0 units	2 X 4 = 8 points
PSYC C1000	F	0	3 units	0 X 0 = 0 points
			<u>15 units</u>	0 X 3 = 0 points
				<u>36 grade points earned</u>



$$\frac{\text{36 grade points earned}}{\text{15 semester units attempted}} = \text{2.40 GPA}$$

PERALTA BUS SHUTTLE SERVICE

Eligibility to Ride

- ✓ Must be a current student for the current semester
All current students are eligible (including non-credit and dual enrollment students)
- ✓ A valid Peralta College's Student ID is required

To access the bus, students should show the driver their Student ID and use their smartphone to create a "Smart-tag" QR code to log their presence on the bus. Each student will have their own unique Smart tag QR Code for accessing the bus.

Shuttle Schedule

- Bus service is Monday – Thursday, from 7:30am to 5:30pm to start (we hope to expand the hours of service later in the semester)
- First buses depart from Laney College at 7:30am and will depart approximately every 30 min thereafter
- Buses will wait no more than 10 minutes after a drop-off before beginning the next trip (if there are people waiting for the bus when it arrives at the drop-off point, it may depart right after loading)
- Expectation is two departures per hour throughout the day
- There will be some variability in the schedule due to traffic patterns and services provided (e.g., wheelchair access will take additional time)

Shuttle Routes

Laney College <---> College of Alameda

Laney College <---> Berkeley City College

Laney College <---> Merritt College

It is a "spoke and hub" model, with connections going through the hub at Laney. For example, if a student wants to get from BCC to Merritt, start with the BCC ---> Laney bus, and connect to the Laney ---> Merritt bus.

Visit peralta.edu/shuttle
for more information



Laney College - by the flagpole, near the intersection of Fallon and 9th street



Merritt College - at the regular bus stop on Margie Lane, just off campus drive



College of Alameda – on the cul-de-sac section of Campus Loop Road, near Cougar Village and Building H

Berkeley City College shuttle location – in front of the main entrance on Center Street

Safety Services

Peralta Safety Services is responsible for protecting the lives and property of students, employees, and visitors. Our mission is to preserve the peace, maintain order, and enforce state, federal, and local laws. Our goal is to provide a safe environment so that the educational process can be conducted in an orderly and uninterrupted manner. Community safety partners focus on working with students, faculty, and staff in addressing the problems and/or concerns identified with safety and security. To contact Peralta's Security Services, please call (510) 466-7236

Campus Safety & Security Mission Statement

The District is committed to a community-based security service model focusing on personal engagement between the security team, students, faculty, staff, and administration. Peralta Campus Public Safety Services is responsible for protecting the lives and property of students, employees, and visitors. Our mission is to preserve the peace, maintain order, and enforce state, federal, and local laws. Our goal is to provide a safe environment so that the educational process can be conducted in an orderly and uninterrupted manner. Campus Public Safety partners focus on working with students, faculty, and staff in addressing the problems and/or concerns identified with safety and security. We currently have a contract with Marina Security Services that cover the 4 Peralta Colleges, plus the District Service Center (DSC). To contact Peralta's Public Safety Services, please call (510) 466-7236

Crime Prevention

Crime prevention can be enhanced by the vigilance and engagement of the entire community: faculty, staff, and students. Willingness to look out for each other and to report unusual situations and suspicious activities can improve safety and security for everyone.

Weapons Policy

The unauthorized use, possession, or storage of weapons, fireworks, or explosives is prohibited on the Peralta Community College District (PCCD) premises, at any PCCD-sponsored activity, or in vehicles parked on the premises. Weapons are defined as including, but not limited to, firearms, pellet guns, bows and arrows, martial arts equipment, switchblade knives, swords, large knives, clubs, and other blunt force instruments.

Health Services

Peralta Health Services will be at Laney College (for all PCCD students). On-site counselors will provide mental health services at each college. General service information is provided on the District Health Services website at <https://www.peralta.edu/health-services/>. Students should access individual college health services websites for scheduling and appointment times.

Annual Security Report

The Peralta Community College District (PCCD) Annual Security Report (A.S.R.) is provided in accordance with the Crime Awareness and Campus Safety Act of 1990 and subsequent amendments, which led to its renaming the Jeanne Clery Act in 1998. The A.S.R. is part of ongoing efforts to inform you of the safety programs and services available and the crimes reported to the Peralta Sheriff's Department, local police partners, and other campus security personnel. It also contains information about proactive steps you can take to help maintain a safe and secure campus for everyone. For more information about the latest Peralta Community College District Annual Security Report, please visit <https://www.peralta.edu/campus-public-safety/annual-security-report>. For more information about Peralta Public Safety Services and Crime Statistics, please visit: <https://www.peralta.edu/campus-public-safety>

Jeanne Clery Disclosure

The Jeanne Clery Disclosure of Campus Security Policy and Campus Crime Statistics Act or Clery Act, codified at USC 1092(f) as part of the Higher Education Act of 1965, is a federal law that requires all colleges and universities to keep and disclose information timely and annually about specific crime on and near their respective campuses. These crime statistics can be found in the [Peralta Community College Personal Safety Handbook](https://www.peralta.edu/campus-public-safety/personal-safety-handbooks) at <https://www.peralta.edu/campus-public-safety/personal-safety-handbooks> and also in the more comprehensive [Annual Security Report \(A.S.R.\)](https://www.peralta.edu/campus-public-safety/annual-security-report) found at <https://www.peralta.edu/campus-public-safety/annual-security-report>.

Safety Tips

- Keep vehicles, offices, classrooms, and other areas secured when practical.
- Keep valuable and/or easily portable items secured when possible
- Keep keys and emergency communication systems readily available
- Choose routes and locations that are better-lit, more familiar, and more secure when available.
- Travel, work, and study with potential assistance nearby when possible
- Analyze surroundings for opportunities to escape, hide, and obtain help and witnesses
- Analyze surroundings for potential criminal access, ambush, and activity
- Know the locations of emergency phones
- Know the locations and call numbers of emergency responders
- Practice describing people and events in a way that supports appropriate responses by others
- Opt-in for safety and security alert systems
- Notify others when working at unusual times or in unusual locations

Questions, suggestions, or concerns regarding campus safety and security may be directed to the Dispatch Office at (510) 466-7236. Your problems will be treated with confidentiality and care.

Safety Services (continued)

Parking & Traffic Regulations

New Virtual Parking Permit System

Beginning April 13, 2026, the district will transition to a virtual parking permit system (IPARQ) for employees, with student implementation scheduled for June 2026. To get the most up to date information regarding IPARQ, please visit: <https://www.peralta.edu/community-safety/iparq>

Parking permits are required at all times Monday - Sunday (except school holidays). Section 21113A of the California Vehicle Code grant the authority for the Peralta Community College District Department of Community Safety to enforce ALL Vehicle Code violations on the parking lots and roadways within the District property. In addition, the District may adopt it's own regulations, to provide adequate parking and the safe movement of pedestrians and vehicles. The following information is posted at the entrance to college parking lots:

Valid permits are required at all times (school holidays excluded.) Park in marked stalls only. Obey posted signs and markings. No parking between 11 p.m. and 5 a.m. Vehicles parked over 72 hours will be towed at owner's expense. Illegally parked vehicles will be cited or towed. Authority by 21113A CVC. No motorhome or bus parking in any lot/team buses must make arrangements with Community Safety prior to arrival.

The above regulations apply 365 days a year unless otherwise noted. Illegally parked vehicles can be cited and/or towed, even if the class is not in session. Read all signs and road markings carefully. Be sure to park only in a marked stall, clearly display your permit, and lock your vehicle. Parking permits are required Monday through Sunday (except school holidays) even if a class is not in session.

Parking Information

Under state law, all parking on a community college campus is subject to payment of a specified fee. This applies to all faculty, staff, students, and visitors. Students are allowed grace periods during the first two weeks of fall/spring and the first week of summer before citations are issued.

Parking Permits

Students will be able to purchase permits online via phone or computer (<https://peralta.thepermitstore.com/>)

Fall/Spring permits: \$35

Summer permits: \$17.50

Refunds are available if classes are dropped before the refund deadline. Permits are transferable only between vehicles registered to the purchasing student.

Daily Parking Permits

Daily tickets cost \$2 and are valid across all PCCD campuses for the day of purchase.

Student Parking Lots

Valid permits are required. Parking in staff, visitor, reserved, or disabled spaces without proper authorization will result in citation.

Visitor Parking

Visitors require a permit and can arrange a visitor permit through the person or group they are visiting.

Disabled Parking

DMV placard holders must also display a valid PCCD permit or daily permit. Unauthorized use will result in fines of \$330 or more.

Citations

Citations must be paid or contested within 21 days. Amnesty allows one citation dismissal per fiscal year if a valid permit was held at the time.

General Parking Regulations

No parking along red curbs, fire lanes, or roadways. Vehicles with 5 or more unpaid citations may be towed.

Services

Community Safety provides escorts by request.

Reasons Citations Will Not Be Dismissed

Excuses such as not seeing signs, short errands, or 'only a few minutes' are not valid grounds for dismissal.

Peralta Campus Bookstore

Peralta has teamed up with BibliU, a global leader in digital education and campus store management, to make your campus store experience even better and give you easy access to digital course materials.

What You Can Expect:

- **Affordable Pricing:** Thanks to our partnership with BibliU, you can start using your digital textbooks right away through Canvas on day one, all based on the textbook choices your instructors have provided.
- **New Store Management:** To better serve our community, we're excited to share that we're moving from individual campus stores to a convenient, centralized location. The Peralta campus store will now be operated by BibliU at the Laney campus in Building A, Room A-152. This unified store is designed to support all campuses and will be open starting August 10, Monday through Thursday, 9am to 4pm. Meanwhile, feel free to visit our new website at Peraltastore.bibliucampus.com to check out your courseware information. We believe this partnership will bring a more efficient, modern, and technology-friendly experience for everyone in the Peralta community.
 - Having Trouble Getting to Laney Campus? Take part in the [Shuttle Bus Program](#) that serves all four campuses daily from 7:30am to 5:30pm Monday through Thursday. Shuttles run to and from the Laney Campus at the flag pole located on Fallon Street near the Welcome Center and just a few doors down from the bookstore.
- **Renovated Space & Merchandise:** Get ready to rep Peralta in style! The updated store will feature a wider selection of exclusive merchandise and gear.
- **Training & Support:** BibliU provides a dedicated support website with guides and how-to videos. Additionally, the BibliU team will host open office hours during the first weeks of classes to answer any questions.
- **24/7 Customer Care:** BibliU's 24/7 [customer support team](#) is available to assist with any inquiries, so you can have confidence in accessing your course materials.

All in-person textbook pickups will be distributed at the Peralta Campus Store (located at Laney College).



LANEY COLLEGE
900 Fallon Street
Building A - Room A-152
Oakland, CA US 94606



Monday - Thursday, 9:00am - 4:00pm



Peraltastore.bibliucampus.com



Campusstore.Peralta@bibliu.com



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SCHOLARSHIP SEASON

The Annual Peralta Colleges Foundation **scholarship application season begins October 1st** and **ends March 1st**. Information sessions are available in October and February to support students and bridge a path to completing an application.

All applications are reviewed by faculty, staff, administrators and community leaders. Awards are distributed by late May



ABOUT PCF

Funded by private donor contributions, the Peralta Colleges Foundation (PCF) manages over 100 scholarships with the sole purpose to provide students of Berkeley City College, College of Alameda, Laney College and Merritt College with an excellent opportunity to help them cover their academic costs and other expenses as they persist toward a timely graduation.

We know the scholarships that PCF funds are pivotal in creating meaningful opportunities for students of all ages, including helping undocumented, underprivileged and unhoused students achieve their dreams. Since our inception in 1971, the Peralta Colleges Foundation has enhanced the intellectual, cultural, and educational needs of our students, faculty and staff, by providing scholarships, supporting the professional development of faculty and staff, and fostering innovation in the educational programs.

333 East 8th Street, Oakland CA 94606
510 587 – 7809
www.peraltafoundation.org

DONATE TODAY

You can make a difference in the lives of Peralta Students. Please consider donating to increase the number of scholarships we award to students in need. Any size donation makes a difference!

To make a donation either visit our donation platform or scan the QR Code.

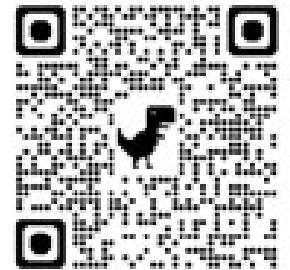
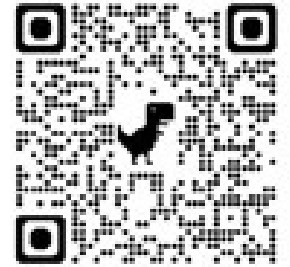
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PeraltaSafety



Introducing [PeraltaSafety](#), a new app by the Department of Community Safety.

PeraltaSafety is our tool for resources to keep our Peralta Community safe.

- **Instant Emergency Alerts** – Get real-time safety notifications directly to your phone.
- **One-Tap Emergency Assistance** – Quickly share your device location with Community Safety while dialing 911 in an emergency.
- **Virtual Safety Escort** – Share your location with Community Safety for added peace of mind.
- **Safety Resources at Your Fingertips** – Access important safety tips, emergency procedures, and campus maps.

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**Peralta Community
College District**

PERALTA COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT 333 EAST EIGHTH STREET
OAKLAND, CA 94606 [PERALTA.EDU](#)

Policy Overview

Peralta Community College District is committed to maintaining a safe, inclusive, and respectful environment for all students, employees, and visitors. Below are brief summaries of key district policies. To view the full Board Policies and Administrative Procedures, visit: peralta.edu/boardoftrustees/bp-ap

Policy/Procedure: 3410 **Nondiscrimination**

In Brief: Peralta Colleges provide equal access to all programs, employment, and activities without discrimination based on race, gender, sexual orientation, disability, age, religion, or other protected characteristics. Complaint procedures and protections are established under state and federal law.

- ◆ [BP 3410 Nondiscrimination \(PDF\)](#)
- ◆ [AP 3410 Nondiscrimination \(PDF\)](#)

Policy/Procedure: 3430 **Prohibition of Unlawful Harassment**

In Brief: The District prohibits harassment based on protected characteristics and defines examples such as verbal, physical, visual, or environmental misconduct. Procedures are in place to investigate complaints and maintain a respectful, inclusive environment.

- ◆ [BP 3430 – Prohibition of Harassment \(PDF\)](#)
- ◆ [AP 3430 – Prohibition of Unlawful Harassment \(PDF\)](#)

Policy/Procedure: 3433 **Prohibition of Sexual Harassment (Title IX)**

In Brief: The District bans all forms of sexual harassment, intimidation, and violence under Title IX. Retaliation against anyone reporting or participating in a complaint is strictly prohibited, and violations may result in disciplinary action.

- ◆ [BP 3433 – Prohibition of Sexual Harassment \(Title IX\) \(PDF\)](#)
- ◆ [AP 3433 – Prohibition of Sexual Harassment \(Title IX\) \(PDF\)](#)

Policy/Procedure: 3540 **Sexual and Other Assaults on Campus**

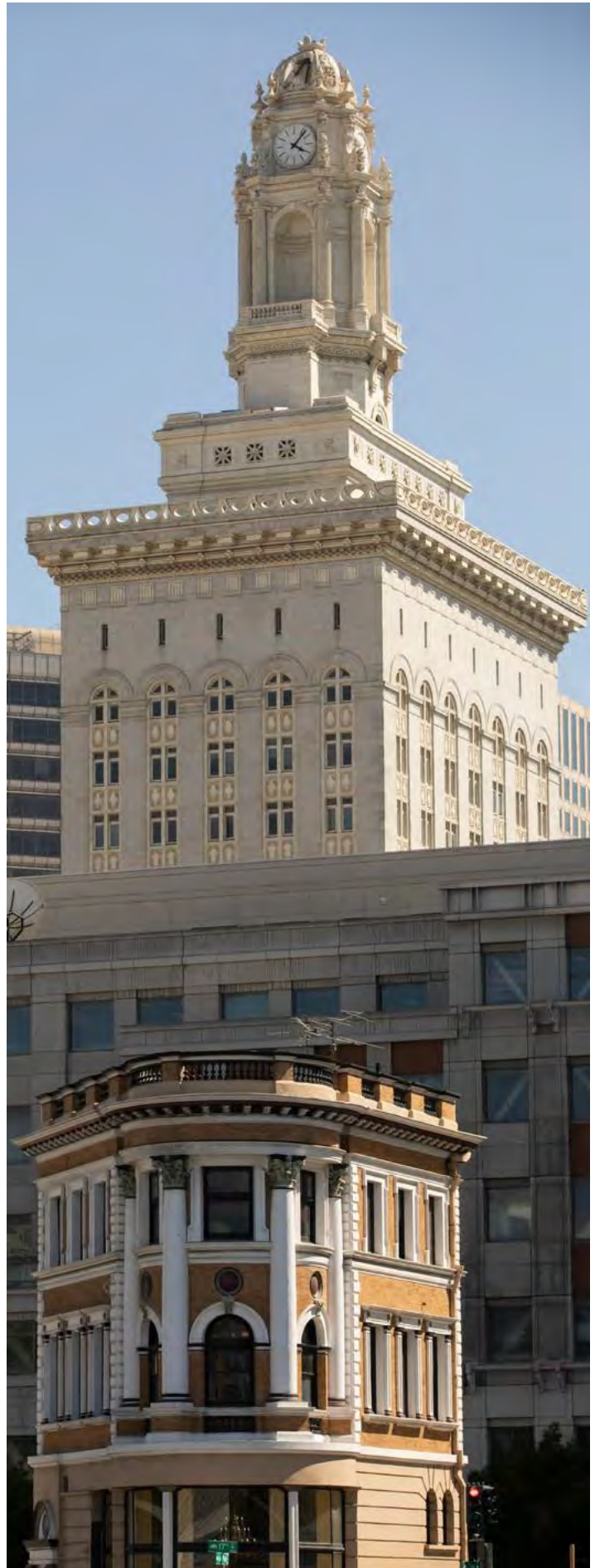
In Brief: The District provides education and response procedures for sexual assault, dating violence, domestic violence, and stalking. Students and employees have access to confidential support, reporting options, and accommodations under Title IX and state law.

- ◆ [BP 3540 – Sexual and Other Assaults on Campus \(PDF\)](#)
- ◆ [AP 3540 – Sexual and Other Assaults on Campus \(PDF\)](#)

Use of Photography at Peralta

Peralta Colleges may photograph or record students and visitors on campus or at District events for marketing and promotional purposes.

- ◆ To opt out, submit a written request to:
Department of Marketing, Communication & Public Relations
333 East 8th Street, Oakland, CA 94609





Academic Calendar Fall 2026 Semester



August	10	M	Drop for Non-Payment of Tuition and Enrollment Fees
August	20-21	Th-F	Professional Days-No Instruction
August	24	M	Day and Evening Instruction Begins
August	29	S	Saturday Instruction Begins
August	30	Su	Last Day to Add Regular Session Classes without Permission Number or Add Card
September	7	M	Labor Day – Holiday Observance
September	7	M	Last Day To Drop Regular Session Classes And Receive a Refund. Note: Short-term and open-entry classes must be dropped within 10% days of the first class meeting to receive a refund.
September	15	T	Last Day to Drop Regular Session Classes Without a “W” Appearing on Transcripts
September	15	T	Last Day to Add Regular Session Classes with an Instructor Issued Permission Number (In person or online)
September	15	T	Census Rosters Due- Instructors Verify Enrollment in Classes
October	13	T	Professional Day- No Instruction
October	16	F	Last Day to File Petitions for AA/AS Degree, AA-T/AS-T Degree, and/or Certificate
November	2	M	Second Census (60%) Due for Noncredit Online Classes
November	11	W	Veteran’s Day – Holiday Observance
November	20	F	Last Day to withdraw from Regular Session Classes and Receive a “W”. All outstanding fees are due even if classes are dropped on this day.
November	20	F	Attendance Rosters Due – Instructors Verify Enrollment in Classes
November	26-29	Th-Su	Thanksgiving – Holiday Observance
December	12	S	Last Day to File for PASS/NO PASS Grading Option for Regular Session Classes
December	13-19	Su-S	Final Examinations
December	19	S	Saturday Instruction Ends
December	19	S	Fall Semester Ends
December	26	S	Grade Rosters/Rollbooks Due

NOTE: Add, Drop, and Refund deadlines may vary for Short-Term and Open-Entry, Open-exit Classes. Saturday classes begin August 29th and meet every Saturday except November 28th. Saturday classes end December 19th.

Dates are subject to change, see the online Academic Calendar for the latest information:
<https://www.peralta.edu/admissions/academic-calendar-finals-schedule-enrollment-calendar>

Student Education Plan



Confused about what classes to take and when to take them?



Unsure what major and general education classes you need?



Want to know how long it will take for you to get your certificate, degree, and/or transfer?

SCHEDULE A COUNSELING APPOINTMENT TO CREATE YOUR

COMPREHENSIVE STUDENT EDUCATION PLAN (SEP)

**A COMPREHENSIVE SEP IS A
SEMESTER-BY-SEMESTER PLAN
WHICH WILL INCLUDE:**

- Which classes you need to take
- The order you need to take them in
- How soon you'll be able to reach your goals



**BOOK A
COUNSELING
APPOINTMENT
TODAY!**

[ALAMEDA.EDU/COUNSELING](https://alameda.edu/counseling)

FALL 26 WEEKLY SCHEDULE

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TUESDAY

WEDNESDAY

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24 • Day and Evening Instruction Begins for Fall 2026 31	25	26



August 2026

THURSDAY

FRIDAY

SATURDAY/SUNDAY

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		• Last Day to Add Regular Session Classes without Permission Number or Add Card

AUGUST | 2026



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24 MONDAY

- Day and Evening Instruction Begins for Fall 2026

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28 FRIDAY

29 SATURDAY

- Saturday Instruction Begins

30 SUNDAY

- Last Day to Add Regular Session Classes without Permission Number or Add Card

SEP 2026

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SEPTEMBER | 2026

“An investment in yourself pays the highest interest.”

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September 2026

THURSDAY

FRIDAY

SATURDAY/SUNDAY

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ROSH HASHANAH
(Begins at sundown)

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YOM KIPPUR (Begins at sundown)

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SEPTEMBER | 2026



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MONDAY

LABOR DAY – HOLIDAY
OBSERVANCE
NO INSTRUCTION

• Last Day To Drop Regular Session
Classes And Receive a Refund.

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TUESDAY

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WEDNESDAY

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THURSDAY

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FRIDAY

ROSH HASHANAH
(Begins at sundown)

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SATURDAY

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SUNDAY

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SEPTEMBER | 2026

“Balancing everything isn’t easy, but neither is giving up.”

14 MONDAY

15 TUESDAY

- Last Day To Drop Regular Session Classes And Receive a Refund.
- Last Day to Drop Regular Session Classes Without a “W” Appearing on Transcripts
- Last Day to Add Regular Session Classes with an Instructor Issued Permission Number (in-person or online)

16 WEDNESDAY

17 THURSDAY

18 FRIDAY

19 SATURDAY

20 SUNDAY

YOM KIPPUR
(Begins at sundown)

SEPTEMBER | 2026



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21 MONDAY

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FIRST DAY OF AUTUMN

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OCTOBER | 2026

“Be patient with yourself—you’re evolving.”

28 MONDAY

29 TUESDAY

30 WEDNESDAY

1 THURSDAY
OCTOBER

2 FRIDAY

3 SATURDAY

4 SUNDAY

**MONDAY****TUESDAY****WEDNESDAY****5****6****7****12**

• Professional Day- No Instruction

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October 2026

THURSDAY

FRIDAY

SATURDAY/SUNDAY

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• Last Day to File Petitions for AA/AS Degree,
AA-T/AS-T Degree, and/or Certificate

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HALLOWEEN

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OCTOBER | 2026



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OCTOBER | 2026

“Becoming who you are takes courage—keep going.”

12 MONDAY

13 TUESDAY

• Professional Day- No Instruction

14 WEDNESDAY

15 THURSDAY

16 FRIDAY

• Last Day to File Petitions for AA/
AS Degree, AA-T/AS-T Degree,
and/or Certificate

17 SATURDAY

18 SUNDAY

OCTOBER | 2026



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OCTOBER | 2026

“Believe in your ability to build the life you want.”

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MONDAY

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TUESDAY

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THURSDAY

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FRIDAY

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SATURDAY

HALLOWEEN

SUNDAY

NOVEMBER

DAYLIGHT SAVING
TIME ENDS



MONDAY

TUESDAY

WEDNESDAY

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9	10	11 VETERAN'S DAY – HOLIDAY OBSERVANCE - NO INSTRUCTION
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November 2026

THURSDAY

FRIDAY

SATURDAY/SUNDAY

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19	20 • Last Day to withdraw from Regular Session Classes and Receive a "W". All outstanding fees are due even if classes are dropped on this day. • Attendance Verification Roster Due—Instructors Verify Enrollment	21 22
26 THANKSGIVING DAY • Thanksgiving Break	27 • Thanksgiving Break	28 • Thanksgiving Break • No Saturday Instruction 29 • Thanksgiving Break

NOVEMBER | 2026



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NOVEMBER | 2026

“Big dreams require small daily actions.”

9 MONDAY

10 TUESDAY

11 WEDNESDAY

VETERAN'S DAY –
HOLIDAY OBSERVANCE -
NO INSTRUCTION

12 THURSDAY

13 FRIDAY

14 SATURDAY

15 SUNDAY

NOVEMBER | 2026



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NOVEMBER

- Last Day to withdraw from Regular Session Classes and Receive a "W". All outstanding fees are due even if classes are dropped on this day.
- Attendance Verification Roster Due—Instructors Verify Enrollment

21 SATURDAY

22 SUNDAY

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DEC 2026	28	29	30	31			

NOVEMBER | 2026

“College isn’t just about finding answers — it’s about discovering yourself.”

23

MONDAY

24

TUESDAY

25

WEDNESDAY

26

THURSDAY

THANKSGIVING DAY

- Thanksgiving Break

27

FRIDAY

- Thanksgiving Break

28

SATURDAY

- Thanksgiving Break
- No Saturday Instruction

29

SUNDAY

- Thanksgiving Break



MONDAY

TUESDAY

WEDNESDAY

	1	2
7	8	9
14 • Final Examinations	15 • Final Examinations	16 • Final Examinations
21 FIRST DAY OF WINTER	22	23
28	29	30



December 2026

THURSDAY

FRIDAY

SATURDAY/SUNDAY

3	4 CHANUKAH <i>(Begins at sundown)</i>	5 6
10	11	12 • Last Day to File for PASS/NO PASS Grading Option for Regular Session Classes 13 • Final Examinations
17 • Final Examinations	18 • Final Examinations	19 • Final Examinations • Saturday Instruction Ends • Fall Semester Ends 20
24	25 CHRISTMAS DAY	26 KWANZAA <i>(Begins)</i> • Grade Rosters/Rollbooks Due 27
31		

DECEMBER | 2026



DEC 2026	M	T	W	T	F	S	S
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MONDAY

NOVEMBER

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TUESDAY

DECEMBER

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WEDNESDAY

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THURSDAY

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FRIDAY

CHANUKAH (Begins at sundown)

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SATURDAY

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SUNDAY

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DECEMBER | 2026

“Confidence grows every time you keep going.”

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MONDAY

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TUESDAY

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WEDNESDAY

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THURSDAY

11

FRIDAY

12

SATURDAY

• Last Day to File for PASS/NO PASS Grading Option for Regular Session Classes

13

SUNDAY

• Final Examinations

DECEMBER | 2026



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14 MONDAY

• Final Examinations

15 TUESDAY

• Final Examinations

16 WEDNESDAY

• Final Examinations

17 THURSDAY

• Final Examinations

18 FRIDAY

• Final Examinations

19 SATURDAY

• Final Examinations

• Saturday Instruction Ends

• Fall Semester Ends

20 SUNDAY

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DECEMBER | 2026

“Detours don’t delay your dreams—they refine them.”

21

MONDAY

FIRST DAY OF WINTER

22

TUESDAY

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WEDNESDAY

24

THURSDAY

25

FRIDAY

CHRISTMAS DAY

26

SATURDAY

27

SUNDAY

KWANZAA (Begins)

• Grade Rosters/Rollbooks Due



Academic Calendar

Spring 2027 Semester



January	11	M	Drop for Non-Payment of Tuition and Enrollment Fees
January	18	M	Martin Luther King Jr's Birthday – Holiday Observance
January	21-22	Th-F	Professional Days-No Instruction
January	25	M	Day and Evening Instruction Begins
January	30	S	Saturday Instruction Begins
January	31	Su	Last Day to Add Regular Session Classes without Permission Number or Add Card
February	8	M	Last Day To Drop Regular Session Classes And Receive a Refund. Note: Short-term and open-entry classes must be dropped within 10% days of the first class meeting to receive a refund.
February	12-15	F-M	Presidents' Birthday - Holiday Observance
February	17	W	Last Day to Drop Regular Session Classes Without a "W" Appearing on Transcripts
February	17	W	Last Day to Add Regular Session Classes with an Instructor Issued Permission Number (In person or online)
February	17	W	Census Rosters Due- Instructors Verify Enrollment in Classes
March	12	F	Last Day to File Petitions for AA/AS Degree, AA-T/AS-T Degree, and/or Certificate
March	16	T	Professional Day- No Instruction
March 29 -	April 4	M-Su	Spring Recess
March	31	W	Farmworkers Day- Holiday Observance
April	9	F	Second Census (60%) Due for Noncredit Online Classes
April	28	W	Last Day to withdraw from Regular Session Classes and Receive a "W". All outstanding fees are due even if classes are dropped on this day.
April	28	W	Attendance Rosters Due – Instructors Verify Enrollment in Classes
May	19	W	Malcolm X's Birthday- Holiday Observance
May	22	S	Last Day to File for PASS/NO PASS Grading Option for Regular Session Classes
May	23-29	Su-S	Final Examinations
May	29	S	Saturday Instruction Ends
May	29	S	Spring Semester Ends
May	31	M	Memorial Day- Holiday Observance
June	5	S	Grade Rosters/Rollbooks Due

NOTE: Last day to drop without a "W" appearing on transcript may vary for Short-Term and Open-Entry, Open-exit Classes. Saturday classes begin January 30 and meet every Saturday except February 13th and April 3rd. Saturday classes end May 29th.

Dates are subject to change, see the online Academic Calendar for the latest information:
<https://www.peralta.edu/admissions/academic-calendar-finals-schedule-enrollment-calendar>

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Student Education Plan



Confused about what classes to take and when to take them?



Unsure what major and general education classes you need?



Want to know how long it will take for you to get your certificate, degree, and/or transfer?

SCHEDULE A COUNSELING APPOINTMENT TO CREATE YOUR

COMPREHENSIVE STUDENT EDUCATION PLAN (SEP)

**A COMPREHENSIVE SEP IS A
SEMESTER-BY-SEMESTER PLAN
WHICH WILL INCLUDE:**

- Which classes you need to take
- The order you need to take them in
- How soon you'll be able to reach your goals



**BOOK A
COUNSELING
APPOINTMENT
TODAY!**

[ALAMEDA.EDU/COUNSELING](https://alameda.edu/counseling)

SPRING 27 WEEKLY SCHEDULE

	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN
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7:00							
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MONDAY

TUESDAY

WEDNESDAY

4	5	6
11	12	13
18 MARTIN LUTHER KING JR'S BIRTHDAY- HOLIDAY OBSERVANCE - NO INSTRUCTION	19	20
25 Day and Evening Instruction Begins for Spring 2027	26	27



January 2027

THURSDAY

FRIDAY

SATURDAY/SUNDAY

	1 NEW YEAR'S DAY	2 3
7	8	9 10
14	15	16 17
• Professional Days-No Instruction 21	• Professional Days-No Instruction 22	23 24
28	29	• Saturday Instruction Begins 30 31 • Last Day to Add Regular Session Classes without Permission Number or Add Card

JANUARY | 2027



JAN 2027

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28 MONDAY
DECEMBER

29 TUESDAY

30 WEDNESDAY

31 THURSDAY

1 FRIDAY
JANUARY

NEWYEAR'S DAY

2 SATURDAY

3 SUNDAY

FEB 2027

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JANUARY | 2027

“Don’t wait for opportunity—create it.”

4 MONDAY

5 TUESDAY

6 WEDNESDAY

7 THURSDAY

8 FRIDAY

9 SATURDAY

10 SUNDAY

JANUARY | 2027



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11 MONDAY

12 TUESDAY

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14 THURSDAY

15 FRIDAY

16 SATURDAY

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JANUARY | 2027

“Dream big, start small, and stay consistent.”

18

MONDAY

MARTIN LUTHER KING JR'S BIRTHDAY-HOLIDAY OBSERVANCE- NO INSTRUCTION

19

TUESDAY

20

WEDNESDAY

21

THURSDAY

• Professional Days-No Instruction

22

FRIDAY

• Professional Days-No Instruction

23

SATURDAY

24

SUNDAY

JANUARY | 2027



JAN 2027

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25 MONDAY

• Day and Evening Instruction Begins for Spring 2027

26 TUESDAY

27 WEDNESDAY

28 THURSDAY

29 FRIDAY

30 SATURDAY

• Saturday Instruction Begins

31 SUNDAY

• Last Day to Add Regular Session Classes without Permission Number or Add Card

FEB 2027

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22	23	24	25	26	27	28

FEBRUARY | 2027

“Dreams don’t have limits—neither do you.”

1

MONDAY

2

TUESDAY

GROUNDHOG DAY

3

WEDNESDAY

4

THURSDAY

5

FRIDAY

6

SATURDAY

7

SUNDAY

RAMADAN
(Begins at sundown)



MONDAY

TUESDAY

WEDNESDAY

1

2

3

GROUNDHOG DAY

8

9

10

• Last Day To Drop Regular Session Classes And Receive a Refund

ASH WEDNESDAY

15

PRESIDENTS' BIRTHDAY - HOLIDAY OBSERVANCE - NO INSTRUCTION

16

17

• Last Day to Drop Regular Session Classes Without a "W" Appearing on Transcripts
• Last Day to Add Regular Session Classes with a Permission Number or Add Card (In person or Online)
• Census Rosters Due- Instructors Verify Enrollment in Classes

22

23

24



February 2027

THURSDAY

FRIDAY

SATURDAY/SUNDAY

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RAMADAN (Begins at sundown)

11

12

PRESIDENTS' BIRTHDAY - HOLIDAY
OBSERVANCE - NO INSTRUCTION

13

14

VALENTINE'S DAY

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FEBRUARY | 2027

COLLEGE OF
ALAMEDA

FEB 2027

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15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28

8

MONDAY

- Last Day To Drop Regular Session Classes And Receive a Refund

9

TUESDAY

10

WEDNESDAY

ASH WEDNESDAY

THURSDAY

12

FRIDAY

**PRESIDENTS' BIRTHDAY
HOLIDAY OBSERVANCE -
NO INSTRUCTION**

13

SATURDAY

14

SUNDAY

VALENTINE'S DAY

MAR 2027	M	T	W	T	F	S	S
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	15	16	17	18	19	20	21
	22	23	24	25	26	27	28
	29	30	31				

FEBRUARY | 2027

“Every assignment completed is a step closer to your goals.”

15

MONDAY

PRESIDENTS' BIRTHDAY
HOLIDAY OBSERVANCE -
NO INSTRUCTION

16

TUESDAY

17

WEDNESDAY

- Last Day to Drop Regular Session Classes Without a “W” Appearing on Transcripts
- Last Day to Add Regular Session Classes with a Permission Number or Add Card (In person or Online)
- Census Rosters Due- Instructors Verify Enrollment in Classes

18

THURSDAY

19

FRIDAY

20

SATURDAY

21

SUNDAY

FEBRUARY | 2027



FEB 2027

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MONDAY

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TUESDAY

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WEDNESDAY

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THURSDAY

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FRIDAY

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SATURDAY

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SUNDAY

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	29	30	31				

MARCH | 2027

“Every challenge you face is preparing you for something greater.”

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MONDAY

2

TUESDAY

3

WEDNESDAY

4

THURSDAY

5

FRIDAY

6

SATURDAY

7

SUNDAY



MONDAY

TUESDAY

WEDNESDAY

1

2

3

8

9

10

15

• Professional Day- No Instruction

16

ST. PATRICK'S DAY

17

22

23

24

• Spring Recess

29

• Spring Recess

30

FARMWORKERS DAY - HOLIDAY
OBSERVANCE

• Spring Recess

31



March 2027

THURSDAY

FRIDAY

SATURDAY/SUNDAY

4	5	6
		7
11	12 • Last Day to File Petitions for AA/AS Degree, AA-T/AS-T Degree, and/or Certificate	13
		14 DAYLIGHT SAVING TIME BEGINS
18	19	20 FIRST DAY OF SPRING
		21
25	26 GOOD FRIDAY	27
		28 EASTER

MARCH | 2027



MAR 2027	M	T	W	T	F	S	S
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	15	16	17	18	19	20	21
	22	23	24	25	26	27	28
	29	30	31				

8 MONDAY

9 TUESDAY

10 WEDNESDAY

11 THURSDAY

12 FRIDAY

• Last Day to File Petitions for AA/ AS Degree, AA-T/AS-T Degree, and/or Certificate

13 SATURDAY

14 SUNDAY

DAYLIGHT SAVING TIME BEGINS

APR 2027	M	T	W	T	F	S	S
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MARCH | 2027

“Every class you pass is a step closer to your goals.”

15

MONDAY

16

TUESDAY

• Professional Day- No Instruction

17

WEDNESDAY

ST. PATRICK'S DAY

18

THURSDAY

19

FRIDAY

20

SATURDAY

FIRST DAY OF SPRING

21

SUNDAY

MARCH | 2027



MAR 2027	M	T	W	T	F	S	S
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22 MONDAY

23 TUESDAY

24 WEDNESDAY

25 THURSDAY

26 FRIDAY

GOOD FRIDAY

27 SATURDAY

28 SUNDAY

EASTER

APR 2027	M	T	W	T	F	S	S
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	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
	19	20	21	22	23	24	25
	26	27	28	29	30		

MARCH | 2027

“Every class, every effort, every late night is shaping your future.”

29 MONDAY

• Spring Recess

30 TUESDAY

• Spring Recess

31 WEDNESDAY

FARMWORKERS DAY-
HOLIDAY OBSERVANCE

• Spring Recess

1 THURSDAY APRIL

• Spring Recess

2 FRIDAY

• Spring Recess

3 SATURDAY

• Spring Recess

4 SUNDAY

• Spring Recess

**MONDAY****TUESDAY****WEDNESDAY**

5	6	7
12	13	14
19	20	21 PASSEOVER <i>(Begins at sundown)</i>
26	27	28 • Last Day to withdraw from Regular Session Classes and Receive a "W". All outstanding fees are due even if classes are dropped on this day. • Attendance Rosters Due – Instructors Verify Enrollment in Classes



April 2027

THURSDAY

FRIDAY

SATURDAY/SUNDAY

• Spring Recess 1	• Spring Recess 2	• Spring Recess 3 4 • Spring Recess
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15	16	17 18
22	23	24 25
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APR 2027

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MONDAY

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TUESDAY

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WEDNESDAY

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THURSDAY

9

FRIDAY

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SATURDAY

11

SUNDAY

MAY 2027	M	T	W	T	F	S	S
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	24	25	26	27	28	29	30
	31						

APRIL | 2027

“Every expert was once a beginner who chose not to quit.”

12 MONDAY

13 TUESDAY

14 WEDNESDAY

15 THURSDAY

16 FRIDAY

17 SATURDAY

18 SUNDAY



APR 2027

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26	27	28	29	30		

19

MONDAY

20

TUESDAY

21

WEDNESDAY

PASSOVER (Begins at sundown)

22

THURSDAY

23

FRIDAY

24

SATURDAY

25

SUNDAY

MAY 2027	M	T	W	T	F	S	S
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	17	18	19	20	21	22	23
	24	25	26	27	28	29	30
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APRIL | 2027

“Every lesson learned is a step toward who you’re becoming.”

26 MONDAY

27 TUESDAY

28 WEDNESDAY

• Last Day to withdraw from Regular Session Classes and Receive a “W”. All outstanding fees are due even if classes are dropped on this day.
• Attendance Rosters Due – Instructors Verify Enrollment in Classes

29 THURSDAY

30 FRIDAY

1 SATURDAY
MAY

2 SUNDAY



MONDAY		TUESDAY		WEDNESDAY	
3		4		5 CINCO DE MAYO	
10		11		12	
17		18		19 MALCOLM X'S BIRTHDAY- HOLIDAY OBSERVANCE - NO INSTRUCTION	
24 • Final Examinations		25 • Final Examinations		26 • Final Examinations	
31 MEMORIAL DAY - HOLIDAY OBSERVANCE					



May 2027

THURSDAY

FRIDAY

SATURDAY/SUNDAY

		1
		2
6	7	8
		9 MOTHER'S DAY
13	14	15
		16
20	21	22 • Last Day to File for PASS/NO PASS Grading Option for Regular Session Classes
		23 • Final Examinations
• Final Examinations 27	• Final Examinations 28	29 • Final Examinations • Saturday Instruction Ends • Spring Semester Ends
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MAY 2027	M	T	W	T	F	S	S
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	17	18	19	20	21	22	23
	24	25	26	27	28	29	30
	31						

3 MONDAY

4 TUESDAY

5 WEDNESDAY

CINCO DE MAYO

6 THURSDAY

7 FRIDAY

8 SATURDAY

9 SUNDAY

MOTHER'S DAY

JUN 2027

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14	15	16	17	18	19	20
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28	29	30				

MAY | 2027

“Every mistake is a lesson in disguise.”

10 MONDAY

11 TUESDAY

12 WEDNESDAY

13 THURSDAY

14 FRIDAY

15 SATURDAY

16 SUNDAY



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	31						

17

MONDAY

18

TUESDAY

19

WEDNESDAY

MALCOLM X'S BIRTHDAY-
HOLIDAY OBSERVANCE -
NO INSTRUCTION

20

THURSDAY

MAY

21

FRIDAY

22

SATURDAY

• Last Day to File for PASS/NO
PASS Grading Option for
Regular Session Classes

23

SUNDAY

• Final Examinations

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	21	22	23	24	25	26	27
	28	29	30				

“Every new experience is shaping your future story.”

24

MONDAY

• Final Examinations

25

TUESDAY

• Final Examinations

26

WEDNESDAY

• Final Examinations

27

THURSDAY

• Final Examinations

28

FRIDAY

• Final Examinations

29

SATURDAY

• Final Examinations

• Saturday Instruction Ends

• Spring Semester Ends

30

SUNDAY

District Map

Campus Locations

BERKELEY CITY COLLEGE

2050 Center St
Berkeley, CA 94704

COLLEGE OF ALAMEDA

555 Ralph Appezato Memorial Pkwy
Alameda, CA 94501

LANEY COLLEGE

900 Fallon Street
Oakland, CA 94607

MERRITT COLLEGE

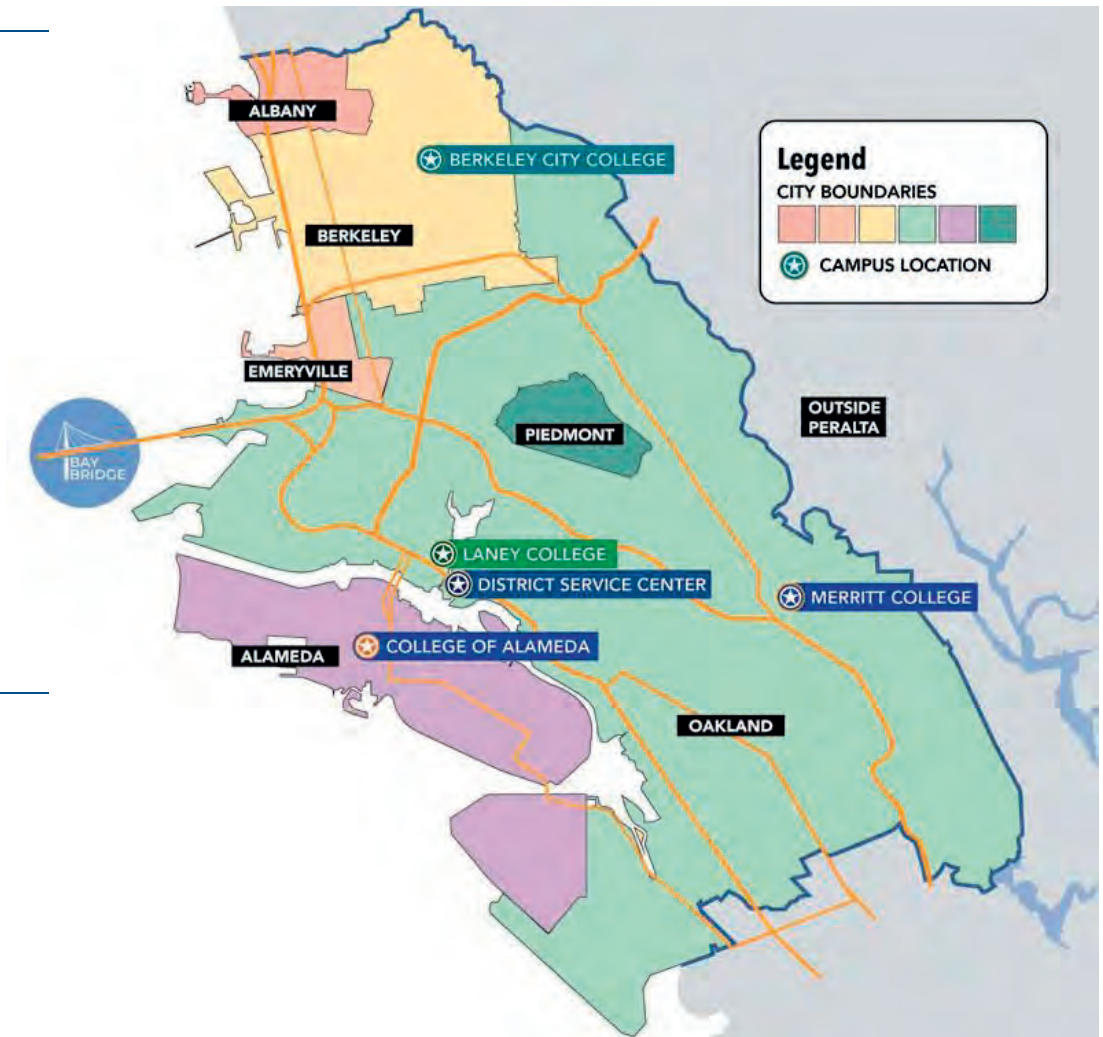
12500 Campus Dr,
Oakland, CA 94619

DISTRICT OFFICE

333 East 8th Street
Oakland CA 94606

Governing Board

Bill Withrow, Area 1
Paulina Gonzalez- Brito, Area 2
Louis Quindlen, Area 3
Nicky González Yuen, Area 4
Cindi Napoli-Abella Reis, Area 5
Dyana Delfín Polk, Area 6
Shewet Yohannes, Area 7
Student Trustee
Student Trustee
Tammeil Gilkerson, Chancellor



Peralta Community College District

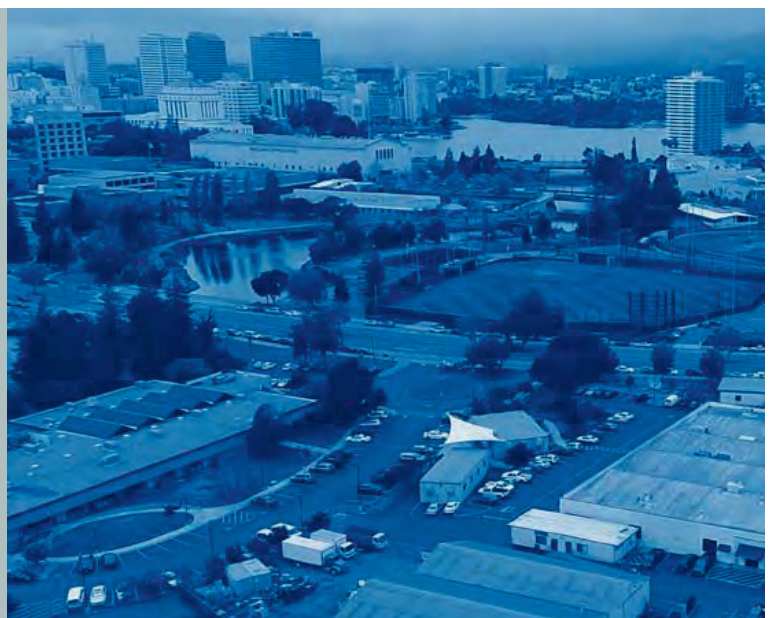
*Our immediate service area consists of the six cities within our district.
Each city is symbolized by one of the six books in the district's logo.*

Peralta Community College District

The Peralta Community College District, founded in 1964, includes Berkeley City College, College of Alameda, Laney College, and Merritt College. Serving about 30,000 students annually in northern Alameda County, these colleges offer a multicultural learning environment with two-year degrees, certificates, and university transfer programs.

Mission Statement

The Peralta Community College District is a collaborative of colleges advancing social and economic transformation for students and the community through quality education, rooted in equity, social justice, environmental sustainability, and partnerships.





- A BUILDING**
Administration, Business Office, Cashier, Office of Instruction, President's Office, Student Services, Payroll, Welcome Center, Dental Assisting
- D BUILDING**
Mental Health Services, FabLab, Student Programs, Learning Communities, Student Accessibility Services (SAS), Anthropology, Business Department
- F BUILDING**
ASCOA (Student Senate), Basic Needs Center, Student Activities & Campus Life, Lost & Found, Cafeteria (Cougar's Den)
- G BUILDING**
Gym, Men's Locker Room, Music, Dance, Woman's Locker Room, Veteran's Resource Center
- H BUILDING**
Apparel Design and Merchandising, Classrooms & Labs, Public Seating, Facilities Dept, Faculty Offices, Division 1 & Division 2 Offices
- i INFORMATION BOOTH**
- L BUILDING**
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