



Connections

Re-Entry Program

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The Re-Entry Resource Program is designed to support adult learners, 23 years or older, who are new to college or returning after a break of three or more years.

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The Inside Scoop – All things Re-Entry

To register/RSVP for our workshops, please visit the Re-Entry Program website at:

<https://www.cerritos.edu/re-entry-program/workshops-and-events.htm>



Spring Semester Giveaway

Stop by MP 201 beginning Monday, April 8 – Friday, April 12 to pick up a Re-Entry Program mini tote bag with goodies inside!



Graduation Submission!

Are you graduating this May 2024? Want to be featured in our newsletter? Let us shine a spotlight on your amazing achievement!

Click the [google form link](#) to be featured next month!



Have a quick question? Need a counseling appointment? Pop into the Re-Entry Drop-in session on [Zoom](#) every Wednesday between 4 p.m.–5 p.m.

Campus Corner

The Fall 2024 class schedule is now available. You can find it [here](#).

Fall 2024 enrollment is scheduled to begin on Monday, April 29th. Make sure to check your MyCerritos portal for your enrollment date.

Mental Health Crisis Walk-in Hours – Offered daily Monday – Friday at 11:00 a.m. and 1:00 p.m. in Student Health Services. Some reasons to attend a crisis hour appointment may include panic or excessive anxiety, experiencing or witnessing a traumatic event, extreme changes in mood, etc. See linked flyer for more information.

Undocu Support Group – Every Wednesday at 10:00 a.m. in the Living Learning Center, located in the Santa Barbara Building. View the linked flyer for more information.

Therapy Dogs in the Success Center – Tuesday, April 2, from 11:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. in the Success Center, located downstairs in the LRC. See the linked flyer for more dates and information on how to schedule a visit.

Choosing a Major Workshop – Tuesday, April 9, from 4:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. on Zoom. Explore major and career choices using a hands-on career assessment through this advanced “Choosing a Major” workshop.

Skills Identification Workshop – Thursday, April 18, from 11:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. in MP 201.

L.A. Regional Food Bank Distribution – Wednesday, April 24, from 9am – 11am in Lot 1 near Falcon Stadium. Everyone is welcome.

Career Cafe – Monday, April 29, from 2:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m. in MP 201.

Financial Aid News

The 2024–2025 Cal Grant Priority Deadline has been extended to May 2,

- You have time to submit your FAFSA or CA Dream Act application before to meet eligibility.
- **Continuing/Returning Students** - Have your FSA ID login information ready. If you had a contributor (Parent, legal guardian, etc.) listed on your FAFSA application in prior years, the contributor will be required to create an FSA ID for this upcoming application.
- How to create a parent (contributor) FSA without a Social Security Number / [Spanish](#)
- 24-25 Student Aid Estimator is available to students and families to view aid eligibility for the upcoming school year. [Click here to use the tool and see what you may be eligible for!](#)

MUST KNOW

Pell Grant is limited to 600%!

- If you are enrolled as a full-time student every year receiving 100% of Pell, then you will max out your Pell grant in **6 years**.
- Do you know how much Pell is left?
 - Check your Lifetime Eligibility Used (L.E.U) at [Student Aid Website](#)

Cal Grant is limited to 4 years!

- If you are enrolled as a full-time student every year receiving 100% of your Cal Grant, then you will max out your Cal Grant in **4 years**.
- Check your Cal Grant usage or remaining amount at [WebGrants 4 Students](#)



Financial Aid Saturday Workshops

FREE hands on **FAFSA** and **CADAA** workshops

Cal Grant Priority Deadline Extended to **MAY 2nd**

Refreshments will be provided!

- \$1,500 Cash4College Scholarship Raffle
- Financial Aid Assistance
- Scholarship Information
- Workshops in English & Spanish
- Free food & more!!!

ALL WORKSHOPS TIMES ARE:
9 a.m. – 12 p.m.
March 30 April 13 April 27

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SAP (Satisfactory Academic Progress)

- SAP standards must be met each semester to be eligible for financial aid. If you are returning, make sure your SAP status reflects as “MEETS” on your account. [Click here to view SAP STANDARDS](#). If your SAP status is “Not Met”, please contact the financial aid office.

For additional information or questions, please contact the financial aid office for assistance :)

Phone: (562) 860-2451 ext. 2397

Email: finaid@cerritos.edu

Student Support

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- [Re-Entry Program – Helpful Resources](#)
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Campus Spotlight: Spring 2024 Job Fair



Join us on Thursday, April 4th from 10 a.m. - 1 p.m. in the Student Center to meet with over 30 participating employers. Open to the public, everyone is welcome.

- Obtain Job and Internship Information
- Network with over 30 Employers
- Explore Career Leads
- Bring Copies of your Resume

For more information, to view the flyer and a list of participating employers, visit the [Student Employment website](#), call (562) 860-2451, ext. 2395 or email student-employment@cerritos.edu.

Monthly Motivation

"Believe in yourself and you will be unstoppable."

—Emily Guay



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