

CERRITOS COLLEGE

UNDOCU / AB540 STUDENTS

Welcome to Cerritos College! We are excited to be a part of your academic journey. Completing these steps will put you on a path to success at Cerritos College and beyond!

Steps to Success

- **1. Apply to Cerritos College -** Complete an application for admissions online at https://www.cerritos.edu/go/apply/cccapply.htm
- **2. Visit the UndocuFalcon Program at Cerritos** Meet with the UndocuFalcon Program advocate to learn more about available resources. For more information visit www.cerritos.edu/ab540
- 3. Submit AB540 / AB2000 / SB68 California Non-Resident Tuition Exemption If you meet the criteria for AB540 / AB2000 / SB68, you must submit the AB540 form to Admissions & Records. Find the form at www.cerritos.edu/ab540
- **4. Apply for Financial Aid** Submit a California Dream Act Application at https://dream.csac.ca.gov/. You can also submit the California Promise Grant (Fee Waiver) to the Financial Aid office. Download the form at www.cerritos.edu/fee-waiver
- 5. See a Counselor Meet with an UndocuCounselor to assist with your educational plan and goal setting every semester to ensure you are on track to meet your goals. For an appointment, call (562) 860-2451, ext. 2090
- **6. Enroll** After receiving your enrollment appointment, enroll in classes online at <u>my.cerritos.edu</u>

Mission

Cerritos College values its diverse student population and is committed to providing all students with high quality, comprehensive instructional programs and support services that improve student success and offer clear pathways to achieve personal, educational, and career goals. In doing so, the college develops in students, the knowledge, skills, and values that prepare them to be productive participants in the global community.

DREAM / AB540 STUDENTS

MAY BE ELIGIBLE FOR THE FOLLOWING PROGRAMS

California College Promise Grant (Fee Waiver)

This program waives the \$46 per unit enrollment fees and tuition for eligible California Residents or AB540 / AB2000 / SB68 eligible students. To apply for the California College Promise Grant (Fee Waiver):

- Submit a California Dream Act Application at https://dream.csac.ca.gov/ OR
- Submit a California College Promise Grant Application to the Financial Aid office. Download the form at www.cerritos.edu/fee-waiver

Cal Grant

To apply for the Cal Grant and Student Success completion Grant, complete both steps by March 2nd (date may vary):

- 1. Submit a CA Dream Act Application at https://dream.csac.ca.gov/
- 2. Submit a GPA Verification Form and have a minimum GPA of 2.0 Note: you must be enrolled in a minimum of 6 units in order to receive Cal Grant funds

Cal Grant B - Four years of eligibility

- o provides up to \$1,672 for books, supplies and living expenses
- o Tuition assistance at the university level (Note: save 2 years for your time at **University**)

Cal Grant C - Two years of eligibility

Provides up to \$1,094 for books, supplies, and living expenses

Check the status of your Cal Grant at https://mygrantinfo.csac.ca.gov/ or call 1 (888) 224-7268

Student Success Completion Grant

To qualify for this program, you must be:

- a Cal Grant B or Cal Grant C recipient
- enrolled in a minimum of 12 to 14.5 units per semester to receive \$1,298 or 15 units or more per semester to receive the maximum amount of \$4,000.

Join the UndocuFalcon Scholars Program

Located at the Equity Center in the Santa Barbara Building, program participants can receive:

- Financial aid & scholarship application assistance
- Mental health services
- Immigration services (CHIRLA)

- Workshops & Information sessions
- Computer lab & printing services
- Culturally sensitive academic counseling

CONTACT US:







Join the Undcou.L.E.A.D.E.R.S. Club! Get involved & build community. Open to all students.



