

# 2023-2024 FACT SHEET



GO WEST. GO FAR.

## WHY WEST LOS ANGELES COLLEGE?

West Los Angeles College, founded in 1969, sits on over 70 acres with park-like landscaping and panoramic views from Playa del Rey to Century City. Complementing the scenic surroundings is a small college feel with easy access to instructors, plentiful on-campus parking and a campus culture welcoming to students of all ages and backgrounds.

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## UNIQUELY WEST

### 2 BACHELOR'S DEGREES

West is one of only a handful of CA community colleges authorized to award Bachelor's Degrees and is #2 in most Bachelor's Degrees awarded (Dental Hygiene, Aviation Technology)

### ASPEN TOP 150 COLLEGE

Recognition awarded for 2023

### ONE-OF-A-KIND PROGRAMS

Climate Change & Environmental Studies  
Film / TV behind-the-scenes production crafts

OVER **3,200**  
**ASSOCIATE DEGREES**  
FOR TRANSFER, CSU AND UC  
TRANSFER CERTIFICATES  
AWARDED ANNUALLY

SERVING **19,000**  
**STUDENTS**  
ANNUALLY

**\$21 MILLION**  
FINANCIAL AID GIVEN TO  
STUDENTS IN 2020

## CAREER PREP

**91%** REPORT BEING VERY SATISFIED OR SATISFIED WITH THEIR TRAINING

**78%** OF OUR STUDENT BODY ARE PEOPLE OF COLOR

**71%** OF STUDENTS SECURE A JOB THAT IS CLOSELY RELATED TO THEIR FIELD OF STUDY

**49%** HISPANIC

**17%** AFRICAN AMERICAN / BLACK

**72%** OF STUDENTS FOUND A JOB WITHIN 3 MONTHS

**45%** FIRST GENERATION STUDENTS

**11** ATHLETIC TEAMS



### TOP TRANSFER DEGREES

Business Administration  
Administration of Justice  
Psychology

### TOP ASSOCIATE DEGREES

Liberal Arts & Sciences  
Health Science  
Paralegal

### TOP CERTIFICATES OF ACHIEVEMENT

Aircraft Power Plant Tech  
Airframe Maintenance Tech  
Dental Assistant Paralegal

### TOP CERTIFICATES OF COMPLETION

Workforce Preparation and Career Success  
Front Desk Representative and Hospitality  
Reservationist Skills



**APPLY TODAY**

**FREE TUITION**  
More details on the back.

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- Over 3,200 Associate Degrees For Transfer, CSU and UC Transfer Certificates Awarded Annually
- Serving 19,000 Students Annually
- \$21 Million Financial Aid Given To Students In 2020

## Career Prep

- 91% Report being very satisfied or satisfied with their training
- 71% of students secure a job that is closely related to their field of study
- 72% of students found a job within 3 months
- 78% of our student body are people of color
- 49% Hispanic 17% African American / black
- 45% First generation students
- 11 Athletic teams

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## Degrees and Certificates

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