

# Student Services Brochure 2025

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LA COLLEGE





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# GETTING STARTED College Students



## WELCOME CENTER

**WLAC.edu/Welcome-Center**  
**TLC 120 - 1st Flr | (310) 287-7251**

The Welcome Center supports new students with the college application, English/math placement, orientation and enrollment support. Contact us to reserve a seat in small group or individual advising session.

## ADMISSIONS & RECORDS

**WLAC.edu/Admissions**  
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Services include transcripts and enrollment verifications, residency corrections as well as graduation petitions and other academic petitions.

## ADULT EDUCATION & NONCREDIT STUDENT SERVICES

**WLAC.edu/Academics/College-Career Learning Center - HLRC 1st Flr**  
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**WLAC.edu/Admissions/Veterans**  
**Visit Admissions | (310) 287-4370**  
**email: Veteran@WLAC.edu**

Contact us if you, your spouse, or one of your parents served in the U.S. Armed Forces and are eligible to file a benefits claim for the Montgomery GI Bill, Post 9/11 GI Bill, Selected Reserve, Reserve Educational Assistance Program (REAP), Dependent Veterans or V.A. Vocational Rehab.

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# Financial Aid & Resources

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[WLAC.edu/Student-Services/spr/CDC](http://WLAC.edu/Student-Services/spr/CDC)

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## WLAC \$0 TUITION PROMISE PROGRAM

[www.WLAC.edu/Promise-Programs](http://www.WLAC.edu/Promise-Programs)

Welcome Center - TLC 1st Flr | (310) 287-7251

email: [Promise@wlac.edu](mailto:Promise@wlac.edu)

The Promise Program provides free tuition for high school graduates, of any age or income, who are first-time college students. To qualify, students must commit to a full-time class load, apply for FAFSA or CA Dream Act, and complete our Summer Transition Program.

## FINANCIAL AID

[www.WLAC.edu/Financial-Aid](http://www.WLAC.edu/Financial-Aid)

SSB 210 | (310) 287-4532

email: [FinancialAid@wlac.edu](mailto:FinancialAid@wlac.edu)

Financial Aid provides services relating to Federal and State Financial Aid Programs. Knowledgeable staff determine eligibility for Grants (*funds that don't have to be paid back so long as you remain enrolled in the appropriate number of classes*), Tuition Fee Waivers, Work Study, Scholarships, and Student Loans. For help with FAFSA or CA Dream Act, visit the Welcome Center.

## FREE MARKET & WARDROBE

[WLAC.edu/Student-Services/spr/Basic-Needs](http://WLAC.edu/Student-Services/spr/Basic-Needs)

FA 104 | (310) 287-4487

The free market and wardrobe or "Wildcats Den," are part of our Office of Basic Needs. The Den is stocked with snacks, drinks, pantry staples, and hygiene essentials - all free and open to any student in need, no questions asked. The Den also offers free new and gently used professional attire to help you look and feel your best. Come by, take what you need, and focus on what really matters - your success.

## FRESH SUCCESS

[WLAC.edu/Student-Services/spr/Fresh-Success](http://WLAC.edu/Student-Services/spr/Fresh-Success)

HLRC 1st Flr | (310) 287-4404

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## STUDENT HEALTH CENTER

[WLAC.edu/Student-Services/spr/Health-Center](http://WLAC.edu/Student-Services/spr/Health-Center)

FA 103

The Student Health Center is your go-to resource for staying well and feeling your best. Services are provided by our health partner, Via Care. Whether you need a check-up, mental health support, or help managing stress, we've got you covered. In person services include medical care, mental health counseling, and a lactation room. WLAC Health also offers [TimelyCare.com/WestLACollege](http://TimelyCare.com/WestLACollege) for 24x7 mental health support and wellness coaching. All services are free for students who have paid their health fee.

## College Hour

*From Noon - 1:00 pm on Tuesdays  
& Thursdays, classes take a break.*

*Get connected. Get involved.  
Or just get lunch with friends.*

**Find events at [WLAC.edu/Westweek](http://WLAC.edu/Westweek)**



# Student Communities [link to programs at WLAC.edu/Offices/](http://www.WLAC.edu/Offices/)

## ASSOCIATED STUDENTS

[www.WLAC.edu/ASO](http://www.WLAC.edu/ASO)  
FA 209

ASO plans and funds select student activities and support official student clubs. ASO offers great opportunities to develop leadership skills, make friends and enrich your college experience beyond the classroom. ASO members receive discounts and benefits, including eligibility for WLAC Foundation Scholarships.

## ATHLETICS

[WestLACollegeAthletics.com](http://WestLACollegeAthletics.com)  
PEC | (310) 287-4513

WLAC Athletics is known for developing professional Hall of Fame players, superior academic achievements and outstanding university transfer rates. Contact us if you want to compete for the Wildcats in Women's basketball, cross country, soccer, softball, track & field and volleyball; or in Men's football, basketball, baseball, cross country, and track & field. West is a member in good standing with the California Community College Athletic Association, Southern California Football Association and the Western State Conference.

## CALWORKS / GAIN

[WLAC.edu/Student-Services/spr/CalWorks](http://WLAC.edu/Student-Services/spr/CalWorks)

FA 204 | (310) 287-4261

CalWORKs / GAIN offers temporary financial assistance, vocational/job skills training, and other support services to student parents receiving CalWORKs (Cash Aid) who have at least one child under the age of 18. In partnership with the Los Angeles Department of Public Social Services (LA DPSS), we help ease the college journey by assisting with referral forms, enrollment verifications, academic/career planning and advising, university transfer, priority registration, CalWORKs grants, and resource referrals. Our goal is to assist students transition from welfare to long-term self-sufficiency and gainful employment.

## CENTER FOR CLIMATE CHANGE EDUCATION

[WLAC.edu/Climate-Change](http://WLAC.edu/Climate-Change) | FA 203

email: [CAclimatecenter@wlac.edu](mailto:CAclimatecenter@wlac.edu)  
The Center brings together students, faculty and staff with an interest in learning about and advocating for social justice with regard to climate change and environmental issues. Students in any major can apply for paid on-campus and off-campus internships, participate in campus events and enjoy field trips.

## COLLEGE 2 CAREER

[WLAC.edu/Student-Services/C2C](http://WLAC.edu/Student-Services/C2C)  
SSB 320 | (310) 287-4287

C2C educational programs and mentoring help students with intellectual disabilities build personal and professional skills leading to employment by the completion of the program. C2C students earn noncredit and credit certificates and work experience in on- and off-campus internships.

## DISABLED STUDENTS PROGRAMS & SERVICES

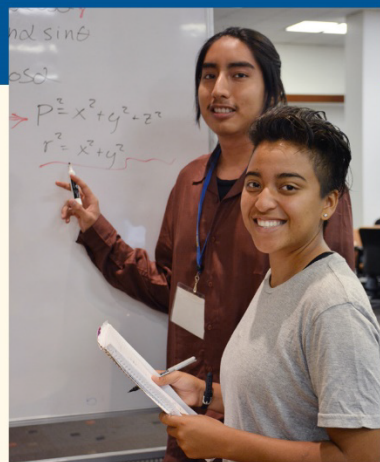
[www.WLAC.edu/DSPS](http://www.WLAC.edu/DSPS)  
SSB 320 | (310) 287-4450

DSP&S is designed to ensure students with physical or learning disabilities have equal access to all educational offerings at the college. The program facilitates equal opportunity through the provision of appropriate support services, curriculum, instruction, and assistive technology.

## DREAM RESOURCE CENTER (DRC)

[WLAC.edu/Student-Services/spr/Dream-Center](http://WLAC.edu/Student-Services/spr/Dream-Center)  
SSB 1st Flr I | (310) 287-4310  
[dreamcenter@wlac.edu](mailto:dreamcenter@wlac.edu)

The DRC provides a safe and confidential space for all undocumented students. The DRC strives to provide wrap around services to support course



# Academic Support Services

## COUNSELING

[www.WLAC.edu/Counseling](http://www.WLAC.edu/Counseling)  
SSB 350 | (310) 287-7242

The Counseling Division assists students in making decisions regarding educational, career, and personal concerns. Counseling is available for educational, transfer and career exploration. These services are provided by professional counselors through individual counseling, group workshops, and referrals to resources on and off campus. Your counselor will help you identify the path to complete a certificate, Associate Degree, and/or University Transfer.

## COLLEGE & CAREER PREPARATION DIVISION (CCPD)

### Adult Education Program - Noncredit

[WLAC.edu/Academics/College-Career](http://WLAC.edu/Academics/College-Career)  
HLRC 1st Flr | (310) 287-4404

CCPD assists students with navigating college systems and finding answers. Our division offers FREE noncredit classes and certificate programs (ESL, GED / HSE, Basic Skills, Academic Preparation, CTE - Vocational Education, and Workforce Preparation) for

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and degree completion by providing academic advising, free legal services, book vouchers, a laptop lending library, and support to complete the CA Dream and CA College Promise Grant.

### EXTENDED OPPORTUNITY PROGRAMS & SERVICES (EOPS)

[WLAC.edu/EOPS](http://WLAC.edu/EOPS)

SSB 330 | (310) 287-4317

EOPS helps keep student on track and progressing by providing extended in-person counseling, online counseling, book vouchers, priority registration, tutoring, transfer assistance and other services. Participants are first generation, economically and educationally disadvantaged college students.

EOPS also has specialized services for current and former Foster Youth and Students who are parents:

**CAFYES, NextUp and Guarding Scholars** serve current and former foster youth. To promote academic success, participants receive all or some combination of: vouchers for textbooks, supplies, transportation, and food; free tutoring, referrals to housing, and a dedicated Life Coach who helps to ensure student personal and emotional well-being.

**CARE** program assists single parents who are head of household receiving cash aid through CalWORKs or TANF. Services including book vouchers, meal vouchers, study time grants, specialized workshops, supplies and much more.

### RISING SCHOLARS

[WLAC.edu/Rising-Scholars.edu](http://WLAC.edu/Rising-Scholars.edu)

HRLC 120 | (310) 287-4493

Formerly incarcerated students and students otherwise justice-impacted, can find community and supportive through the Rising Scholars program. Services include: the College Readiness Academy, academic counseling and supportive services. Students learn how to transition to credit and noncredit classes, navigate the college, and access financial resources, additional support resources and job training.

### TRIO - STUDENT SUPPORT SERVICES (SSS)

[WLAC.edu/TRIO](http://WLAC.edu/TRIO)

FA 307 | (310) 287-4445

TRIO SSS offers guidance on course selections, assistance with transfer and financial aid applications, career mentoring and resume development, campus and cultural field trips, and one-on-one tutoring to help students succeed and obtain Associate Degrees and University Transfer. As a part of the TRIO SSS family, you also have access to computers with free printing, a textbook library, scantrons, and more.



students seeking an increase in literacy skills, access to higher education and employment, and strengthening self-sufficiency.

CCPD Counselors help students transition to noncredit and credit programs. Students will be able to find information on orientations, workshops, counseling services, and on-campus services. Counselors will assist you identify the path to complete a certificate.

### LEARNING CENTER & TUTORING

**Tutoring | Noncredit & Support Classes**

[WLAC.edu/Learning-Center](http://WLAC.edu/Learning-Center)

[WLAC.edu/Academic-Services/Tutoring](http://WLAC.edu/Academic-Services/Tutoring)

HLRC 1st Flr | (310) 287-4404

The Learning Center provides:

**Tutoring:** Receive drop-in or longer-term online or in-person tutoring for a variety of subjects including, but not limited to, writing, math, science, Spanish, and computer science.

**Academic Support:** Receive help with academic and occupational programs, such as documentation, grammar, critical reading, and essay structure.

**Computer Stations** are available for completing class assignments, attending online classes, and open access.

**Study Rooms** are available to use for group study sessions and to work on assignments.

**Canvas Assistance:** Access 24/7 assistance with using Canvas.

**General questions:** Get answers to general questions about the college, noncredit classes, academic programs and services.

**GED testing Lab:** Information about scheduling a GED® exam is at [GED.com](http://GED.com) or call us at (310) 287-4404.

## Cultural Communities

West has several offices and student clubs which provide community, celebration and support for members of cultural affinity groups and others. Opportunities include academic assistance, mentorship, social events, connection to resources and more. Visit their offices and websites for more information:

### BSU & Umoja

WLAC.edu/BSU  
PEC-S 128 | (310) 287-9030

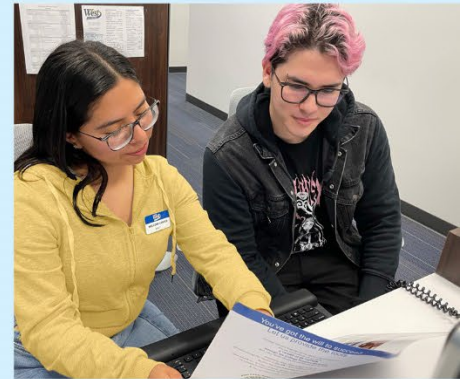
### Puente

WLAC.edu/Student-Services/  
spr/Puente  
SSB 330 | (310) 287-4527

### Student Clubs

WLAC.edu/ASO

- APDA  
(Asian Pacific Islander Desi American)
- Christian Club
- LGBTQ+



## LIBRARY

WLAC.edu/Library

HLRC 2nd Flr | (310) 287-4408

Use the Library's student computers and printers, internet access, research assistance, and book collection of approximately 67,000 print titles and 100,000 e-book titles to enhance your academic success. Remote access is available for electronic resources. For more information about library services, visit the Reference Desk on the 2nd floor of HLRC.

## TRANSFER CENTER

WLAC.edu/Student-Services/Transfer-Programs

SSB 340 | (310) 287-4542

The Transfer Center helps students efficiently and successfully move on from West to the four-year university of their choice. Students can get up-to-date information on transfer and admission requirements for public and private universities all over the country. Information on university majors and support services is also available.

## TRANSFER HONORS PROGRAM

WLAC.edu/Transfer-Programs

GC 280H

TransferHonors@wla.edu

The Transfer Honors Program (THP) provides students with the opportunity to earn honors credits for courses. Students who complete the program receive priority admission consideration to selected four-year institutions including UCLA, UCI, LMU as well as others. Additional benefits include access to our THP Counselor, helpful workshops & services, verified honors credit noted on your official transcripts, and so much more!

# You've got the will to succeed.

## Let us provide the tools.

### BOOKSTORE

[WLAC.edu/Campus-Life/Bookstore](http://WLAC.edu/Campus-Life/Bookstore)

SSB 1st Flr | (310) 287-4560

Buy books and supplies for your courses, plus snacks, West apparel and gift items. In addition to the store, you can shop online 24/7.

### BUSINESS OFFICE

[WLAC.edu/Offices/Business-Office](http://WLAC.edu/Offices/Business-Office)

SSB 230 | (310) 278-4262

Pay for tuition, fees, and parking permits by cash, cashier's check, and money order in person, or by debit/credit card online through the SIS system.

### CAREER CENTER

[WLAC.edu/Career-Center](http://WLAC.edu/Career-Center)

Job Portal: [WLAC-csm.symplicity.com](http://WLAC-csm.symplicity.com)

TLC 220 | (310) 287-4562

Text Us: (310) 848-7400

No matter where you are in your journey, the Career Center has the tools and resources to help you. We offer resources for self-assessment, career exploration, and career advising. Our team can help you identify career options, create an action plan based on your interests and values, and apply for jobs or internships that can launch your future. Ask us about how you can earn academic units for your job or internship.

### WORK EXPERIENCE PROGRAM

[WLAC.edu/Academics/Coop-Ed](http://WLAC.edu/Academics/Coop-Ed)

HLRC 1st Flr | (310) 287-7215

Email: [wlac-cooped@laccd.edu](mailto:wlac-cooped@laccd.edu)

Receive Cal State University (CSU) transferable elective college credit units for the hours you are currently working, interning, or volunteering. If you do not have a job, you can still enroll in our Work Ready Certification program and earn 0.5 units and receive job training.



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[WLAC.edu/Offices/Student-Services](http://WLAC.edu/Offices/Student-Services)

Full-time, first-time freshmen of any age who are CA Residents can qualify for **\$0 TUITION through the College Promise Program.** And, many WLAC classes are offered with Zero Cost Text Books (ZTC).

Additionally, many West students qualify for:

- \$0 Tuition through Fee Waivers or Grants \*
  - \$350 for Books through EOPS
  - A Free Laptop
  - over \$9,244+ Pell Grants \*
  - Funds \* for:  Tuition  Books  Rent  Food  Childcare  Transportation
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**www.WLAC.edu/Promise-Programs**

**Welcome Center - TLC 1st Flr | (310) 287-7251**

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Fresh Success, CalFresh participants gain education and training that will lead to better employment and a path to economic self-sufficiency. Fresh Success eligible programs include credit and noncredit career training and noncredit basic skills classes that improve one's employability (i.e. English Language Learning, high school equivalency offered through the College & Career Prep. Division).

### *Student Health Center*

**WLAC.edu/Student-Services/spr/Health-Center**

**FA 103**

The Student Health Center is your go-to resource for staying well and feeling your best. Services are provided by our health partner, Via Care. Whether you need a check-up, mental health support, or help managing stress, we've got you covered. In person services include medical care, mental health counseling, and a

lactation room. WLAC Health also offers [TimelyCare.com/WestLACollege](https://www.timelycare.com/WestLACollege) for 24x7 mental health support and wellness coaching. All services are free for students who have paid their health fee.

## College Hour

*From Noon - 1:00 pm on Tuesdays & Thursdays, classes take a break.*

*Get connected. Get involved. Or just get lunch with friends.*

**Find events at [WLAC.edu/Westweek](https://www.wlac.edu/Westweek)**

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**Student Communities link to programs at [WLAC.edu/Offices/Student-Services](https://www.wlac.edu/Offices/Student-Services)**

### Associated Students

**[www.WLAC.edu/ASO](https://www.wlac.edu/ASO)**

**FA 209**

ASO plans and funds select student activities and support official student clubs. ASO offers great opportunities to develop leadership skills, make friends and enrich your college experience beyond the classroom. ASO members receive discounts and benefits, including eligibility for WLAC Foundation Scholarships.

### Athletics

**[WestLACollegeAthletics.com](https://www.wlac.edu/WestLACollegeAthletics.com)**

**PEC | (310) 287-4513**

WLAC Athletics is known for developing professional Hall of Fame players, superior academic achievements and outstanding university transfer rates. Contact us if you want to compete for the Wildcats in Women's basketball, cross country, soccer, softball, track & field and volleyball; or in Men's football, basketball, baseball, cross country, and track & field. West is a member in good standing with the California Community College Athletic Association, Southern California Football Association and the Western State Conference.

### CALWORKS / GAIN

**[WLAC.edu/Student-Services/](https://www.wlac.edu/Student-Services/spr/CalWorks)**

**[spr/CalWorks](https://www.wlac.edu/Student-Services/spr/CalWorks)**

**FA 204 | (310) 287-4261**

CalWORKs / GAIN offers temporary financial assistance, vocational/job skills training, and other support services to student parents receiving CalWORKs (Cash Aid) who have at least one child under the age of 18. In partnership with the Los Angeles Department of Public Social Services (LA DPSS), we help ease the college journey by assisting with referral forms, enrollment verifications, academic/career planning and advising, university transfer, priority registration, CalWORKs grants, and resource referrals. Our goal is to assist students transition from welfare to long-term self-sufficiency and gainful employment.

### Center For Climate Change Education

**[WLAC.edu/Climate-Change](https://www.wlac.edu/Climate-Change) | FA 203**

**email: [CAclimatecenter@wla.edu](mailto:CAclimatecenter@wla.edu)**

The Center brings together students, faculty and staff with an interest in learning about and advocating for social justice with regard to climate change and environmental issues. Students in any major can apply for paid on-campus and off-campus internships, participate in campus events and enjoy field trips.

### College 2 Career

**[WLAC.edu/Student-Services/C2C](https://www.wlac.edu/Student-Services/C2C)**

**SSB 320 | (310) 287-4287**

C2C educational programs and mentoring help students with intellectual disabilities build personal and professional skills leading to employment by the completion of the program. C2C students earn noncredit and credit certificates and work experience in on- and off-campus internships.

## Disabled Students Programs & Services

[www.WLAC.edu/DSPS](http://www.WLAC.edu/DSPS)

**SSB 320 | (310) 287-4450**

DSP&S is designed to ensure students with physical or learning disabilities have equal access to all educational offerings at the college. The program facilitates equal opportunity through the provision of appropriate support services, curriculum, instruction, and assistive technology.

## Dream Resource Center (DRC)

[WLAC.edu/Student-Services/spr/Dream-Center](http://WLAC.edu/Student-Services/spr/Dream-Center)

**SSB 1st Flr I (310) 287-4310**

[dreamcenter@wlaac.edu](mailto:dreamcenter@wlaac.edu)

The DRC provides a safe and confidential space for all undocumented students. The DRC strives to provide wrap around services to support course and degree completion by providing academic advising, free legal services, book vouchers, a laptop lending library, and support to complete the CA Dream and CA College Promise Grant.

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## Extended Opportunity Programs & Services (EOPS)

[WLAC.edu/EOPS](http://WLAC.edu/EOPS)

**SSB 330 | (310) 287-4317**

EOPS helps keep student on track and progressing by providing extended in-person counseling, online counseling, book vouchers, priority registration, tutoring, transfer assistance and other services. Participants are first generation, economically and educationally disadvantaged college students.

EOPS also has specialized services for current and former Foster Youth and Students who are parents:

**CAFYES, NextUp and Guarding Scholars** serve current and former foster youth. To promote academic success, participants receive all or some combination of: vouchers for textbooks, supplies, transportation, and food; free tutoring, referrals to housing, and a dedicated Life Coach who helps to ensure student personal and emotional well-being.

**CARE** program assists single parents who are head of household receiving cash aid through CalWORKs or TANF. Services including book vouchers, meal vouchers, study time grants, specialized workshops, supplies and much more.

## Rising Scholars

[WLAC.edu/Rising-Scholars.edu](http://WLAC.edu/Rising-Scholars.edu)

**HRLC 120 | (310)-287-4493**

Formerly incarcerated students and students otherwise justice-impacted, can find community and supportive through the Rising Scholars program. Services include: the College Readiness Academy, academic counseling and supportive services. Students learn how to transition to credit and noncredit classes, navigate the college, and access financial resources, additional support resources and job training.

## TRIO - Student Support Services (SSS)

[WLAC.edu/TRiO](http://WLAC.edu/TRiO)

**FA 307 | (310) 287-4445**

TRIO SSS offers guidance on course selections, assistance with transfer and financial aid applications, career mentoring and resume development, campus and cultural field trips, and one-on-one tutoring to help students

succeed and obtain Associate Degrees and University Transfer. As a part of the TRIO SSS family, you also have access to computers with free printing, a textbook library, scantrons, and more.

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### Cultural Communities

West has several offices and student clubs which provide community, celebration and support for members of cultural affinity groups and others. Opportunities include academic assistance, mentorship, social events, connection to resources and more. Visit their offices and websites for more information:

#### *BSU & Umoja*

**WLAC.edu/BSU**

**PEC-S 128 | (310) 287-9030**

#### *Puente*

**WLAC.edu/Student-Services/spr/Puente**

**SSB 330 | (310) 287-4527**

#### *Student Clubs*

**WLAC.edu/ASO**

- APDA (Asian Pacific Islander Desi American)
  - Christian Club
  - LGBTQ+
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### Academic Support Services

#### *Counseling*

**www.WLAC.edu/Counseling**

**SSB 350 | (310) 287-7242**

The Counseling Division assists students in making decisions regarding educational, career, and personal concerns. Counseling is available for educational, transfer and career exploration. These services are provided by professional counselors through individual counseling, group workshops, and referrals to resources on and off campus. Your counselor will help you identify the path to complete a certificate, Associate Degree, and/or University Transfer.

#### *College & Career Preparation Division (CCPD)*

**Adult Education Program - Noncredit**

**WLAC.edu/Academics/College-Career**

**HLRC 1st Flr | (310) 287-4404**

CCPD assists students with navigating college systems and finding answers. Our division offers FREE noncredit classes and certificate programs

(ESL, GED / HSE, Basic Skills, Academic Preparation, CTE - Vocational Education, and Workforce

Preparation) for students seeking an increase in literacy skills, access to higher education and employment, and strengthening self-sufficiency.

CCPD Counselors help students transition to noncredit and credit programs. Students will be able to find information on orientations, workshops, counseling services, and on-campus services. Counselors will assist you identify the path to complete a certificate.

### *Learning Center & Tutoring*

#### **Tutoring | Noncredit &**

#### **Support Classes**

**WLAC.edu/Learning-Center**

**WLAC.edu/Academic-Services/Tutoring**

**HLRC 1st Flr | (310) 287-4404**

The Learning Center provides:

- **Tutoring:** Receive drop-in or longer-term online or in-person tutoring for a variety of subjects including, but not limited to, writing, math, science, Spanish, and computer science.
- **Academic Support:** Receive help with academic and occupational programs, such as documentation, grammar, critical reading, and essay structure.
- **Computer Stations** are available for completing class assignments, attending online classes, and open access.
- **Study Rooms** are available to use for group study sessions and to work on assignments.
- **Canvas Assistance:** Access 24/7 assistance with using Canvas.
- **General questions:** Get answers to general questions about the college, noncredit classes, academic programs and services.
- **GED testing Lab:** Information about scheduling a GED® exam is at GED.com or call us at (310) 287-4404.

### *Library*

**WLAC.edu/Library**

**HLRC 2nd Flr | (310) 287-4408**

Use the Library's student computers and printers, internet access, research assistance, and book collection of approximately 67,000 print titles and 100,000 e-book titles to enhance your academic success. Remote access is available for electronic resources. For more information about library services, visit the Reference Desk on the 2nd floor of HLRC.

### *Transfer Center*

**WLAC.edu/Student-Services/Transfer-Programs**

**SSB 340 | (310) 287-4542**

The Transfer Center helps students efficiently and successfully move on from West to the four-year university of their choice. Students can get up-to-date information on transfer and admission requirements for public and private universities all over the country. Information on university majors and support services is also available.

### *Transfer Honors Program*

**WLAC.edu/Transfer-Programs**

**GC 280H**

**TransferHonors@wlac.edu**

The Transfer Honors Program (THP) provides students with the opportunity to earn honors credits for courses. Students who complete the program receive priority admission consideration to selected four-year institutions including UCLA, UCI, LMU as well as others. Additional benefits include access to our THP Counselor, helpful workshops & services, verified honors credit noted on your official transcripts, and so much more!

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You've got the will to succeed. Let us provide the tools.

## Bookstore

**WLAC.edu/Campus-Life/Bookstore**

**SSB 1st Flr | (310) 287-4560**

Buy books and supplies for your courses, plus snacks, West apparel and gift items. In addition to the store, you can shop online 24/7.

## Business Office

**WLAC.edu/Offices/Business-Office**

**SSB 230 | (310) 278-4262**

Pay for tuition, fees, and parking permits by cash, cashier's check, and money order in person, or by debit/credit card online through the SIS system.

## Career Center

**WLAC.edu/Career-Center**

**Job Portal: WLAC-csm.symplicity.com**

**TLC 220 | (310) 287-4562**

**Text Us: (310) 848-7400**

No matter where you are in your journey, the Career Center has the tools and resources to help you. We offer resources for self-assessment, career exploration, and career advising. Our team can help you identify career options, create an action plan based on your interests and values, and apply for jobs or internships that can launch your future. Ask us about how you can earn academic units for your job or internship.

## Work Experience Program

**WLAC.edu/Academics/Coop-Ed**

**HLRC 1st Flr | (310) 287-7215**

**Email: wlac-cooped@laccd.edu**

Receive Cal State University (CSU) transferable elective college credit units for the hours you are currently working, interning, or volunteering. If you do not have a job, you can still enroll in our Work Ready Certification program and earn 0.5 units and receive job training.

## Ways to Save

Full-time, first-time freshmen of any age who are CA Residents can qualify for **\$0 TUITION through the College Promise Program.**

And, many WLAC classes are offered with Zero Cost Text Books (ZTC).

**Additionally, many West students qualify for:**

- \$0 Tuition through Fee Waivers or Grants \*
- \$350 for Books through EOPS
- A Free Laptop
- over \$9,244+ Pell Grants \*
- Funds \* for: Tuition, Books, Rent, Food, Childcare, Transportation

through Financial Aid, EOPS, CalWORKs and Fresh Success.

*\* These are NOT loan funds. You don't have pay them back so long as you remain enrolled in the appropriate number of classes*

**WLAC.edu/Offices/Student-Services**