



EOPS/CARE/CALWORKS/ FFYI PROGRAMS

CAÑADA COLLEGE

Spring 2013, Issue I

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PROGRESS REPORTS

Progress Reports provides the Program and students the opportunity to see how they are doing in their classes. If needed, it also gives an insight as to how we may be able to support students so that they can successfully complete their courses.



office as soon as possible to pick up the forms.

The Progress Reports forms were mailed out the week of February 11th. If you have not yet received them, please come by the

Submitting Progress Reports for ALL classes and on time are Program requirements. Allow your instructors enough time to complete the forms.

Progress Reports

Due: Friday, March

15, 2013 Please note:

The office closes at

12:00 P.M. on Fridays

FREE TUTORING

EOPS/CARE Students get an additional hour a week, per subject of tutoring in the Learning Center.

A total of 3 hours per week, per subject!



Drop-In Counseling Hours

Do you have a quick question but don't have a scheduled counseling appointment? Take advantage of the drop-in counseling availability! You may see one of the EOPS/CARE/CalWORKS Counselors during the following dates and times. Please note that a limited number of students can be seen during these times, so we ask that you arrive early and be patient.

Day	Date	Time
Thursday	3/14/13	11am-1pm
Wednesday	3/27/13	12-2pm
Tuesday	4/9/13	12-2pm
Thursday	4/25/13	9-11am



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EOPS/CARE Group Counseling Sessions

EOPS is now offering GROUP COUNSELING with the following selected topics. Please take advantage of these GROUP COUNSELING SESSIONS that will provide you with important information! There is no limit to the number of sessions you attend, however only ONE can be counted towards the three required EOPS counseling contacts for this semester. Please contact the EOPS Office to sign-up for any of the following sessions!



Counseling Appointment

Students are required to meet with a counselor a minimum of 3 times during the semester. If you haven't done so already please contact the EOPS/CARE/CalWORKs Office as soon as possible to schedule your appointment!

Having 2 NO SHOW appointments during the semester can make a student ineligible for EOPS/CARE/CalWORKs for the following semester.

Financial Aid Updates/ Changes: How it will Affect Your Educational Planning

Presenter: Margie Carrington, Financial Aid Director

Wednesday, March 6th / 1pm-2pm / Bldg. 13 Rm. 112

UCB Transfer Alliance Project (TAP): How The Program Assists Community College Students Be Competitive

Presenter: UCB TAP Representative

Thursday, March 28nd / 1pm-2pm / Bldg. 9 Rm. 106

UCSC Transfer Alliance Project (TAP): How The Program Assists Community College Students Be Competitive

Presenter: UCSC Representative

Thursday, April 18, 2013 / 1pm-2pm / Room Bldg. 13 Rm. 212

Financial Education: "Credit Dos & Don'ts"

Presenter: Melanie Espinueva, SparkPoint Center

Wednesday, May 1st / 1pm-2pm / Bldg. 13 Rm. 112

Transfer Success Tours

In collaboration with TRiO-SSS, Transfer Center, and Basic Skills Initiative, we are hosting 4-year university/college campus tours. Free transportation and food are provided!

Sign-up at the Welcome Center Desk in Bldg. 9 on the 1st floor.

SAN JOSE STATE

Wed, March 13, 2013

11:45am—4:00pm

UNIVERSITY OF SAN FRANCISCO

Thurs, April 25, 2013

9:00am—2:30pm



Jacqueline came to Cañada College in 2007 after being laid off from her job. Coming back to school gave her the opportunity to follow her dream of becoming a renowned author. Jacqueline has been through multiple hardships but she continues to persevere. Due to those hardships she decided to write a book, Tennis Show Pimp. Although it was published she did not get any royalties because of the faulty contract she had signed. This experience did not sway Jacqueline but only made her more determined to succeed. She has been accepted to four CSUs as a sociology major for this fall 2013. Her long term goal, is not only to write but to help other women who have also suffered through domestic violence relationships. She is an excellent student and a member of the PTK Honor Society. Over the years Jacqueline has volunteered at the Redwood City Library, EOPS, and TRiO. She is also currently a student assistant in Admissions & Records. As an EOPS, CARE, and CalWORKs student, Jacqueline is a role model for all students, especially those who are single parents. Jacqueline will be one of our CalWORKs students who will be recognized in the statewide CalWORKs Portraits of Success Handbook for 2013. Congratulations, Jacqueline!

Petitions for Certificates and Degrees

The deadline to submit petitions for certificates and degrees has been extended to Friday, March 29, 2013. If you are completing courses towards that goal this semester schedule an appointment to meet with a counselor as soon as possible. Don't wait until the last minute!

EOPS/CARE Rewards Points

The EOPS Rewards Points is NEW this semester! Students who participate in any of the outlined activities will be eligible to participate in a drawing for a \$100 EOPS Rewards Grant. Come by the EOPS Office to pick up a Rewards Point card to confirm your attendance.

- * Attend an EOPS Club meeting or activity
- * Attend a Learning Center or Library Workshop
- * Volunteer at a local non-profit
- * Attend a University/College Campus Tour
- * Attend a Transfer Center Activity
- * Volunteer to be on a Cañada student panel through our Cañada College Outreach Office



There will be up to 7 EOPS Rewards Grants awarded

Students who are identified for the \$100 Grant must comply with ALL EOPS Requirement and be in good standing will receive priority for the drawing.

**EOPS/CARE/CALWORKS/
FFYI TEAM**

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**Priority
Registration for
Summer & Fall
Classes:
April 29, 2013**

Office Hours:

Monday and Thursday

8:00 A.M.—4:30 P.M.

Tuesday and Wednesday

8:00 A.M.—7:00 P.M.

Friday

8:00 A.M.—12:00 P.M.

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Transfer and Graduation

Earning a Certificate or an Associate's Degree? Transferring this fall 2013? Come by and let us know! We would love to hear about your success and put you on our list for graduation regalia!

**Save the Date for the EOPS/CARE & CalWORKs
Recognition Celebration**

Thursday, May 16, 2013

4:30 p.m.—6:30 p.m.



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WORKSHOPS

County CalWORKs Updates

Presented by Jennifer Rogers, San Mateo County of Human Services

Tuesday, March 12, 1pm-2pm in Bldg. 13 Rm. 112

Financial Education: "How Does Your Cash Flow"

Presented by Melanie Espinueva, SparkPoint Center

Tuesday, April 16, 1pm-2pm in Bldg. 13 Rm. 112

Stress Management During Finals

Presented by Gena Rhodes, Psychologist

Tuesday, May 7, 1pm-2pm in Bldg. 13 Rm. 112

You must contact the office (650) 306-3300 to reserve your spot!!!