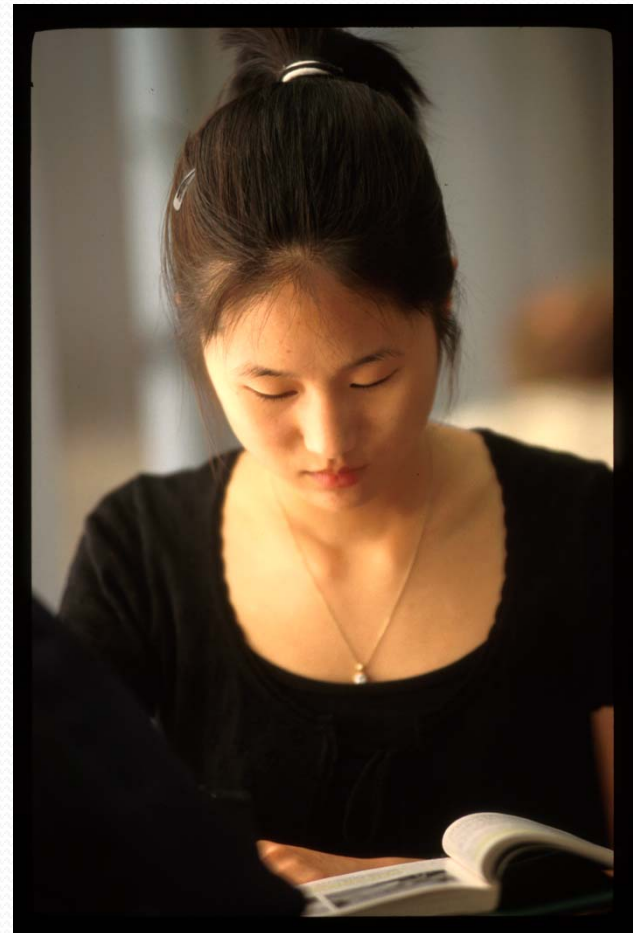


# *Advantages of Attending a Community College*

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# Introduction

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# CA Community College System

- Cerritos College, East Los Angeles College and West Los Angeles College
- 110 in California
- Serves 2.9 million students
- 11 with residential halls



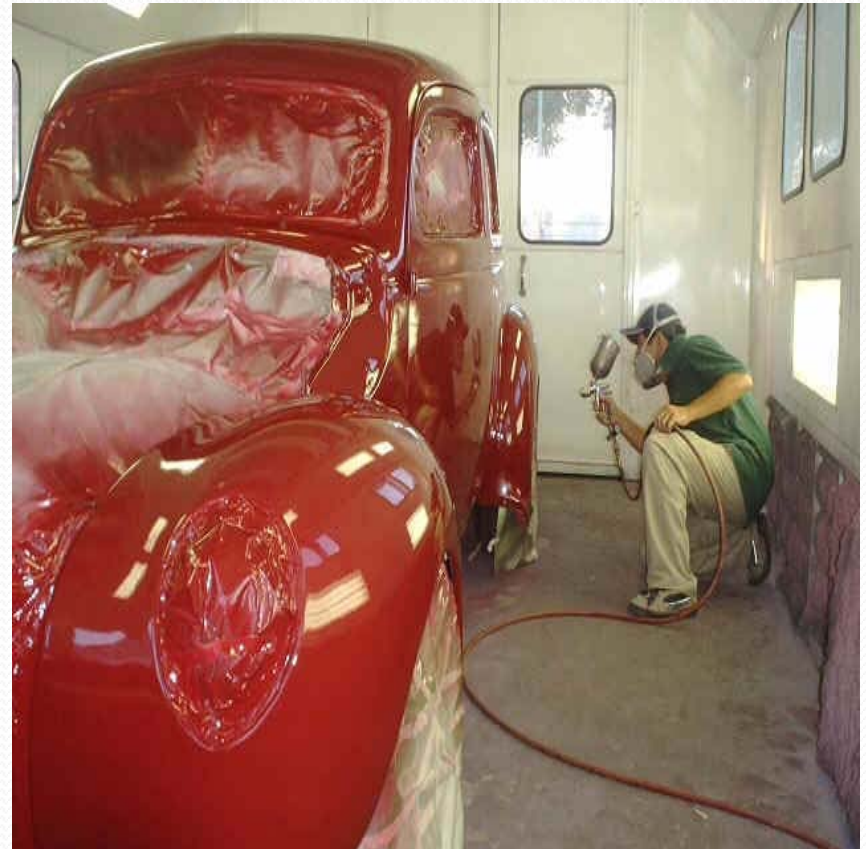
# Admission Policies



- No SAT/ACT required
- Diploma or equivalent
- 18 or over
- Diploma not required
- AB 540  
(undocumented)
- Concurrent Enrollment

# Program Options

- Undecided major
- Career fast-track
- Certificate of Achievement
- Associate in Arts/Science (AA/AS)
- Transfer



# Saving Money on Tuition

- Independent Colleges and Universities – Average \$27K
- University of California (UC) – Average \$8K
- California State University (CSU) – Average \$4K
- California Community College (CCC) - Average \$600

# Transfer Advantages

- Transition from high school
- Second chance (choice university/A-G)
- Priority #1
  - First priority (28% UC 55% CSU)
- Success rates (retention and graduation)
- Quality instruction



# Conclusion

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