

What Is CARE?

Cooperative Agencies Resources for Education

The CARE program is a sub-program of EOPS; all CARE students must be EOPS students. The program is designed to assist single parent students with at least one child under 14 who are receiving public assistance (CalWORKS/TANF) for the student or child.

CARE students receive all "over-and-above" services of EOPS, plus provide assistance and services that is unique for these special students.

The Benefits

Depending on the availability of funds some of the specialized services that CARE may be able to provide include:

- Specialized workshops and events
- Gasoline cards and parking permits
- Academic, personal and career counseling
- CARE grants
- Referrals to outside agencies

CARE Student Qualifications

- Must be an EOPS student
- Must be 18 years or older, single, and head of household (determined by DSS)
- Must be receiving CalWORKS/TANF or have a child receiving public assistance
- Have at least one child under 14 years of age
- Enrolled full-time at Coastline

Coastline's Mission

Coastline Community College is committed to academic excellence by providing accessible, flexible, quality education to students within and beyond the traditional classroom.

To find out more...

For more information on the EOPS OR CARE Program at Coastline Community College, contact us via phone or through the web. You're also invited to visit us at our college center.

**Call (714) 241-6237
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EOPS and CARE Programs



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About the EOPS Program

Extended Opportunity Programs & Services (EOPS) was established statewide in 1969 to provide students with “over and above” services and support to assist in their success in community colleges. These “over and above” services support student retention, increase the rate of student transfers, help with transitions, and in other ways promote academic success.

Coastline’s program started in 1977– the second year after the college opened– and has been in operation since that time. Coastline remains committed to supporting the needs of students with services provided by the EOPS program.

EOPS provides services to support student retention, increase the rate of student transfers, help with student transitions, and generally promote academic success. The program strives to create a positive college experience for all who participate.

Special Services We Provide

- **Book assistance** – the EOPS book service program provides assistance for book rental and/or purchase (depending on the availability of funds).
- **Priority registration** – the program provides EOPS students with early registration, making it easier for those students who qualify and participate to get the right classes they need at the times they need them.
- **Counseling and advisement** – staff are available most days to assist with general information and advisement, and a professional educational EOPS counselor to assist with educational and career goals, including transfer help. All EOPS students must see the EOPS counselor a minimum of twice a semester to maintain good standing.
- **New student orientation** – This is a two-hour presentation by EOPS staff to give you comprehensive information on everything you need to know to begin your college career.
- **Other assistance** – Gasoline pump passes, parking permits, classroom supplies, workshops, recognition and award events.

You qualify for EOPS if you . . .

- Are a California resident
- Are considered educationally disadvantaged (determined by EOPS)
- Are enrolled full-time (12 units fall/spring, 6 units in the summer) when you are accepted into EOPS, in a plan that leads to a degree, certificate, or transfer.
- Have earned less than 40 units of appropriate coursework at all colleges attended, at the time you’re accepted into EOPS.
- You qualify for the California Board of Governor’s Fee Waiver (BOGW) either as a current recipient of public assistance (BOGG-A), meet the income requirements, or your EFC = “0” (BOGG-B).

Please note that eligibility for the program does not guarantee admission to the program. Due to drastic cuts in the budget the program will limit accepting new students to the program.

