Bakersfield College Encourages New and Returning Students to Enroll in Classes NOW!

Students able to register for Fall 2018 classes

Bakersfield College students are able to register for Fall 2018 classes. Bakersfield College provides an excellent, affordable, and accessible opportunity for students to obtain an associate’s degree to transfer into the University of California system.

Five Steps for Enrollment and Admission

Students can start the application/admission process at www.bakersfieldcollege.edu/steps. The five basic steps include:

- completing an application (online at www.bakersfieldcollege.edu/apply)
- attending an orientation (online or in-person)
- completing assessment tests for English, Reading, and Math (in person at the Assessment Center on campus – check the website for summer hours)
- developing an Education Plan (create an outline of courses for a degree or certificate; can be done online or in person; appointment with a counselor necessary to complete Education Plan)
- registering and paying enrollment fees (online or in person) – tuition must be paid within 10 days of registration. Contact the Financial Aid office to find out what programs are available.

More detailed information about each of these steps is available on the Bakersfield College website listed above. Check the website for a listing of times and days that specific activities can be completed at the school.

Please note: Not all steps need to be completed in order to take classes. Once a student has enrolled, they can register for classes. It is highly recommended that students complete all the steps in order to get a degree from Bakersfield College. Students who attend college elsewhere and want to take a few summer classes do not need to complete all five steps. Some courses may require an assessment.

Bakersfield College offers a rigorous and supportive learning environment that fosters students’ abilities to think critically, communicate effectively, and demonstrate competencies and skills in order to engage productively in their communities and the world, while simultaneously contributing to the intellectual, cultural, and economic vitality of the communities it serves.

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