



THREE-YEAR REPORT to the COMMUNITY



2014-2017

Every
STUDENT is a
SUCCESS STORY



A Year of Enrollment Fees Paid

High school graduates from the Compton, Lynwood, and Paramount unified school districts who attend Compton College full time (12 units) immediately after graduation are eligible to have their enrollment fees paid for the first year at Compton College – a savings of more than \$1,800!

The Compton College Promise will begin in fall 2018 for Compton Unified School District graduates and fall 2019 for graduates of Lynwood Unified School District. We are currently in discussions with Paramount Unified School District on a Promise Program for fall 2019.

The one year of paid enrollment fees includes fall semester, winter term, spring semester and summer term at Compton College. Students can choose from a variety of educational pathways: earn an associate degree and/or certificate, transfer to a four-year college or university, or pursue job training through the Career and Technical Education program.

State Budget Includes \$11.3 Million in Transition Funding

The 2017-2018 California State Budget included \$11.3 million in funding for the Compton Community College District (CCCD) to support Compton College's transition to an accredited institution under the authority of the CCCD Board of Trustees. Included in the funding was \$4.1 million for the purchase and installation of an Enterprise Resource Planning system/Student Information System to manage admissions, registration, and financial aid for Compton College. This system will assist the college with maintaining data for students, employees, alumni, and donors. The goal is to have this student information system fully implemented at Compton College by spring 2019.

Four Years of Audits with No Findings

From 2014 through 2017, the Compton Community College District has had "ZERO" findings on its annual third-party fiscal audits.



Transfer Students

Over three years, there has been a 28 percent increase in students transferring to four-year colleges and universities, from 481 student transfers in 2014-15 to 615 student transfers in 2016-17.

Top Transfer Destinations (2016-17)

1. CSU Dominguez Hills
2. CSU Long Beach
3. CSU Northridge
4. UCLA
5. CSU Los Angeles
6. UC Irvine



Faith Minor

"Compton College has a very supportive environment. Everyone is really positive, especially the professors and administration."

Compton College's 2018 commencement student speaker transferred to CSU Dominguez Hills in fall 2018 as an administration of justice major. Regular visits to the counseling office and tutoring services helped Faith maintain an overall 4.0 GPA at Compton College.



Ricardo Garcia

"There are so many resources available at Compton College to help students succeed; all you have to do is take the first step to ask for help."

Ricardo is a sociology major who transferred to UCLA in fall 2017 as a recipient of the Chancellor's Blue and Gold Scholarship. At Compton College, he took advantage of the EOPS program, financial aid, the Transfer Center and counseling services.

New and Expanded Programs

To ensure that District residents have access to a quality education, many existing academic and student support programs were expanded or created in the past three years:

- Student Success Center - Tutoring and Supplemental Instruction (SI)
- Cosmetology Program
- First Year Experience Program
- Strong Workforce Program/Career Advancement Academy
- Debate Team
- Honors Transfer Program
- Associate Degree for Transfer Program
- Upward Bound Math and Science Program
- Mathematics, Engineering, Science Achievement (MESA)
- Guaranteed Transfer Agreements with CSU Dominguez Hills and Historically Black Colleges and Universities.
- Tartar Athletics: five women's teams and five men's teams
- Early College High School in collaboration with Compton Unified School District

Nearly 1,500 class sections are offered at Compton College, a 10 percent increase in class sections from the 2006-2007 academic year. The winter term was also re-established for students in January 2017.

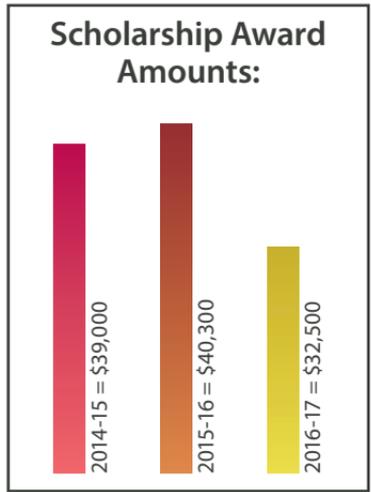
Compton College received the Dr. John W. Rice Diversity & Equity Award in 2017, recognizing its Formerly Incarcerated Student Transition (F.I.S.T.) program, which promotes student equity, diversity and access.

Student Success

Every Student is a Success Story!

In the last three years, more than 150 Compton College students have received a total of \$111,800 in academic scholarships.

Compton College's 2018 Academic Awards Tea recognized the academic achievements of three Presidential Scholars, 51 honor students, and 41 scholarship recipients for their persistence and academic achievements. Scholarships awarded by both Compton College and the Foundation for the Compton Community College District totaled \$31,600.



Financial Aid

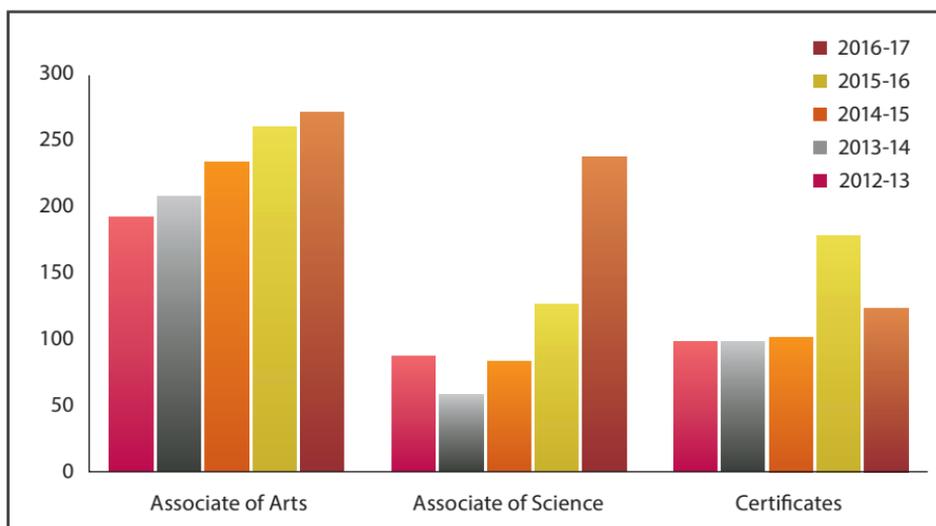
In 2014-15, 44.4 percent of students received financial aid; in 2016-17, 45.3 percent of students received financial aid. The majority was distributed through grants including the California College Promise Grant (formerly known as the BOG Fee Waiver).

Awards and Honors

More Students Earning Degrees & Certificates

From 2014 to 2017, more than 1,100 Compton College students graduated with an associate degree, and more than 400 students earned certificates through Career and Technical Education programs.

Compton College continues to award more degrees and certificates to qualified students each year. From 2014-15 to 2016-17, the number of degrees and certificates awarded increased by nearly 36 percent.



37  **DEGREE PROGRAMS OFFERED**

35  **CERTIFICATE PROGRAMS OFFERED**



Dayshawn J. Loudon

"Compton College doesn't allow your circumstances to get in the way of your education. The faculty and staff provide the tools and resources to help students succeed."

Dayshawn is a political science major who transferred to UCLA in fall 2017 as the recipient of the Chancellor's Blue and Gold Scholarship. At Compton College, he was an active member of ASB, EOPS, Youth Empowerment Strategies for Success, and utilized the Transfer Center.

The Process to Accreditation

The following are the accomplishments and the next steps in the process of establishing Compton College as an independent community college under the governing authority of the Compton Community College District (CCCD) Board of Trustees:

- Accreditation Eligibility Application submitted January 22, 2015 and approved by the Accrediting Commission for Community and Junior Colleges (ACCJC) on March 18, 2015.
- Accreditation Candidacy Application and Self-Evaluation Report submitted to the ACCJC in January 2017; a visit by the ACCJC External Evaluation Team was conducted March 6-9, 2017.
- Compton College achieved Initial Accreditation Status and Candidacy Status on June 7, 2017.
- Quality Focus Essay - Special Report was submitted to ACCJC on November 22, 2017 for review and was accepted at the ACCJC's meeting on January 10-12, 2018.
- Substantive Change Application: Change in Local Control to ACCJC was submitted for review and approval on June 1, 2018.

Next Steps:

- ACCJC Substantive Change Committee to review the Substantive Change Application: Change in Local Control document in fall 2018.
- If Substantive Change Application: Change in Local Control is approved, then the CCCD will request the California Community Colleges Chancellor to issue an Executive Order declaring that Compton College will operate as an independent college under the authority of CCCD effective June 7, 2019 at 11:59 p.m.



Facilities Report

Watch Us Grow!

The Compton Community College District grounds continue to improve thanks to funds from Measure CC and Measure C supported by voters in 2002 and 2014, respectively. Projects completed in the last three years include:

- **Student Health Center:** installation of a modular building to house the Student Health Center. Completed: March 2017
- **Music Building North Wing & Little Theater:** the \$3 million Music Building renovation project included upgrades to the 220-seat Little Theater. Completed: December 2016
- **Cosmetology Facility:** installation of a modular building in Tartar Village to house the new cosmetology program. Completed: August 2016

- **Allied Health Building:** construction on a new \$12 million, state-of-the-art Allied Health Building to house the nursing and child development programs. Completed: December 2015



- **Football Stadium and Track:** renovation of the existing football field and track and installation of new synthetic turf on the field. Completed: September 2015



Upcoming facilities projects in the planning stages include:

- **Public Safety Building:** a groundbreaking ceremony occurred in July 2018 for construction of a \$4.7 million, all-new building to house the Compton District Police Department. Estimated Completion: Fall 2019
- **Student Services/Administration Building:** a \$20.4 million facility will become a one-stop hub for all student services. The project involves the demolition of the old Library building, and renovation of the existing Administration Building. Estimated Completion: Spring 2021
- **Instructional Building 1:** The \$17.7 million project includes the removal of Row Buildings G, half of F, two-thirds of E, and Modular Buildings M1 and M2 (total of six structures) and replace them with a new, state-of-the-art instructional building. Estimated Completion: Spring 2021

- **Instructional Building 2:** this \$25.6 million project involves the removal of Row Building D, the remainder of Row E and F buildings, and construction of a second state-of-the-art instructional building on campus. Estimated Completion: Fall 2021
- **Vocational Technology Building Renovation:** the planning for the renovation of this building will begin this fall. This will be a multi-phase project designed to minimize disruption to classrooms and shop areas during construction.
- **Management Information Systems/Math Buildings Renovation:** a multi-phased project to renovate the MIS office area in preparation to increase staffing/services as part of the plan to become a fully independent college. The final phase will include renovation of the Math & Science Building.
- **Physical Education Complex Replacement and Visual and Performance Arts Project:** these projects are currently in the initial proposal phase with the State Chancellor's Office.

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Get Informed!

As Compton College completes the process to become a fully independent college under the governing authority of the Compton Community College District (CCCD) by summer 2019, please be assured that multiple measures are underway to ensure a smooth transition. We anticipate a seamless continuation of all academic and support programs provided to our students.

For more information about the Compton College transition process go to www.compton.edu/compton114 or email us at compton114@compton.edu.



Audrey Casas

"I appreciate Compton College's smaller campus because it provides a sense of family. The professors are personally invested in the students."

Audrey transferred to UC Irvine in fall 2017 as an English major. She regularly visited the counseling office and used Supplemental Instruction/peer-assisted study sessions and tutoring services.



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