

EL CAMINO COLLEGE
STUDENT PROFILE

Fall 2016

Demographic and Enrollment Characteristics Summary

The Student Profile features a selection of demographic and enrollment characteristics of the Fall 2016 student body. A summary of many of the characteristics featured in this report is provided below; additional course enrollment variables also are provided.

Pages 4 through 15 provide more detailed information and analysis by topic. A three-year study of these common variables is available in a separate report.

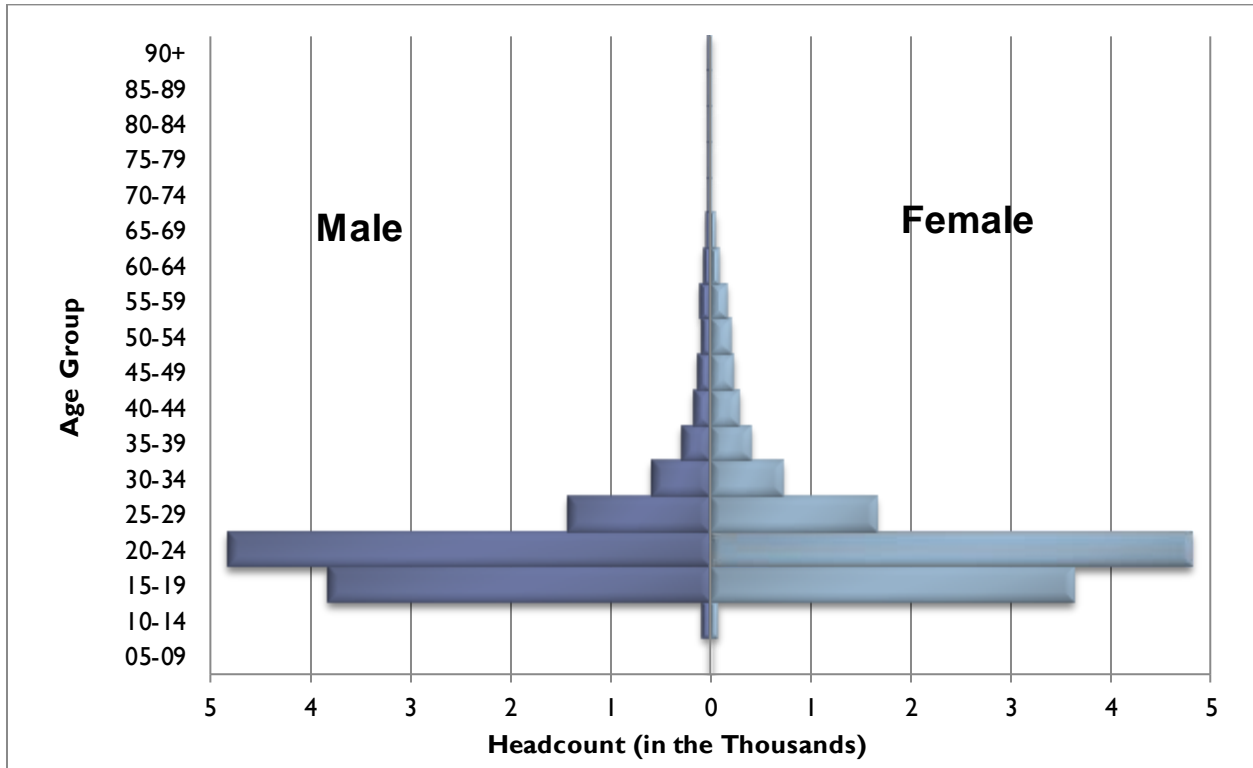
Category	Characteristic	Fall 2016	
		n	%
<i>All Students</i>		24,092	<i>100.0</i>
Gender	Female	12,446	51.7
	Male	11,644	48.3
Age	Under Age 17	479	2.0
	17	627	2.6
	18	3,094	12.8
	19	3,428	14.2
	20	3,086	12.8
	21	2,260	9.4
	22	1,794	7.4
	23	1,367	5.7
	24	1,143	4.7
	25-29	3,092	12.8
	30-39	2,012	8.4
	40-49	824	3.4
	50-64	719	3.0
	65+	166	0.8
Ethnicity	African-American	3,378	14.0
	Amer Ind/Alaskan	43	0.2
	Asian	3,623	15.0
	Latino	12,586	52.2
	Pacific Islander	110	0.5
	White	3,130	13.0
	Two or more races	1,109	4.6
	Unknown or Declined	113	0.5
Residency	California Resident	23,097	95.9
	Out of State	223	0.9
	International	772	3.2
Enrollment Status	First-time Student	6,348	26.4
	Returning	2,682	11.1
	Continuing	14,341	59.5
	K-12 Special Admit	716	3.0

Category	Characteristic	Fall 2016	
		n	%
	<i>All Students</i>	24,092	100.0
Education Level	Not HS Grad	115	0.4
	HS Grad or Equiv .	19,563	87.5
	AA/AS Degree	1,402	6.3
	Bachelor's or Higher	1,288	5.8
Class Times	Daytime Student	12,497	51.9
	Evening Student	3,174	13.3
	Comb Day/Eve Student	5,262	21.8
	Irregular	3,159	13.0
Educational Goal	Intend to Transfer	12,033	58.7
	Degree/Certif. Only	1,226	6.0
	Retrain/Recertif.	957	4.7
	Basic Skills/GED	1,462	7.1
	Enrichment	589	2.9
	Undecided	4,233	20.6
Credit Status	Credit	24,030	99.7
	Non-Credit	62	0.3
Enrollment Level	Full-time	7,902	33.2
	Part-time	15,873	66.7
Unit Load (<i>At Census</i>)	Fewer than 6 units	6,461	27.2
	6 to 8.5 units	5,193	21.8
	8.6 to 11.5 units	4,219	17.7
	11.6 to 14.5 units	6,350	26.7
	14.6 units or more	1,552	6.5
Term Units	Credit Students	24,030	100.0
	Total Units	202,984	
	Average Units/Student	8.4	
Cumulative Units	15 units or fewer	10,028	41.6
	15.1 to 30 units	3,824	15.9
	30.1 to 60 units	5,748	23.9
	Over 60 units	4,492	18.6

Age by Gender

ECC is predominantly made up of young adults. Forty percent of enrolled students are 20 to 24 years old.

Overall, about 7% more women than men attend ECC. The largest gender differences are among working adults (ages 40-54) with smaller differences among the high school (ages 15-19) and young adult populations (ages 20-24).



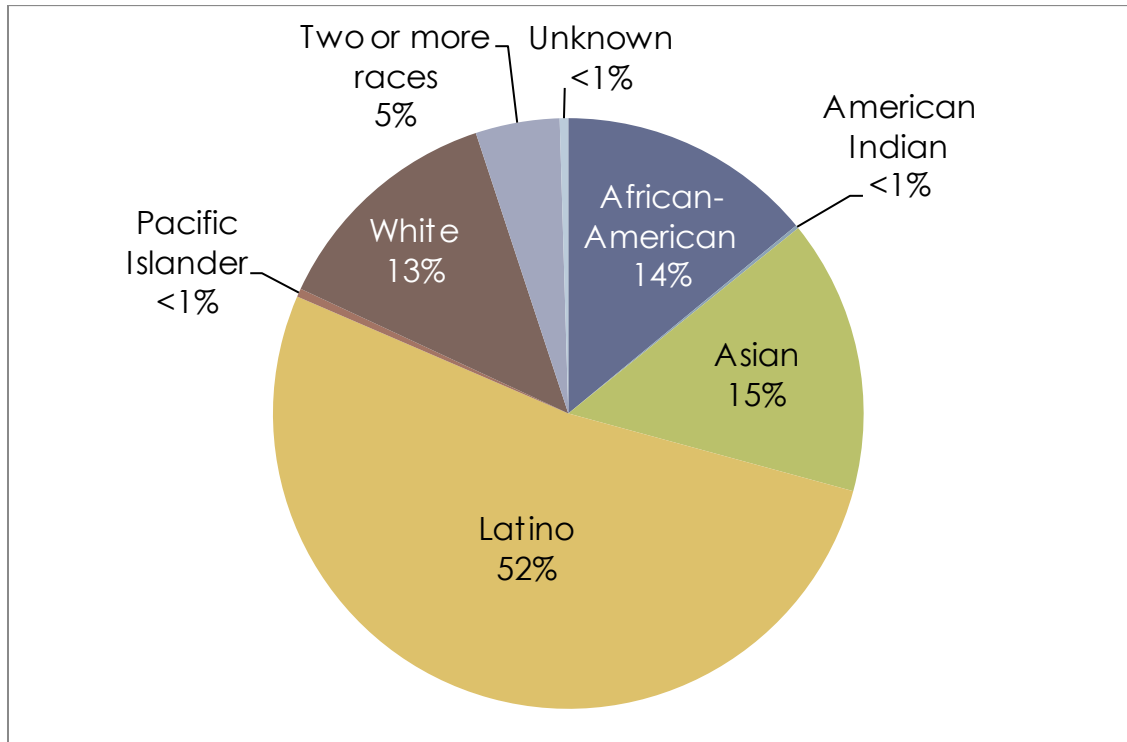
Age	Male	Female	Total
10-14	80	84	164
15-19	3,827	3,637	7,464
20-24	4,833	4,817	9,650
25-29	1,423	1,669	3,092
30-34	586	728	1,314
35-39	287	410	697
40-44	164	295	459
45-49	125	240	365
50-54	88	208	296
55-59	100	168	268
60-64	65	90	155
65-69	34	56	90
70-74	17	21	38
75-79	8	11	19
80+	7	12	19
Total	11,644	12,446	24,090

Age	Male	Female	Total
18	1,654	1,440	3,094
19	1,727	1,701	3,428
20	1,562	1,524	3,086
21	1,178	1,082	2,260
22	895	899	1,794
23	639	728	1,367
Total	7,655	7,374	15,029

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Ethnicity

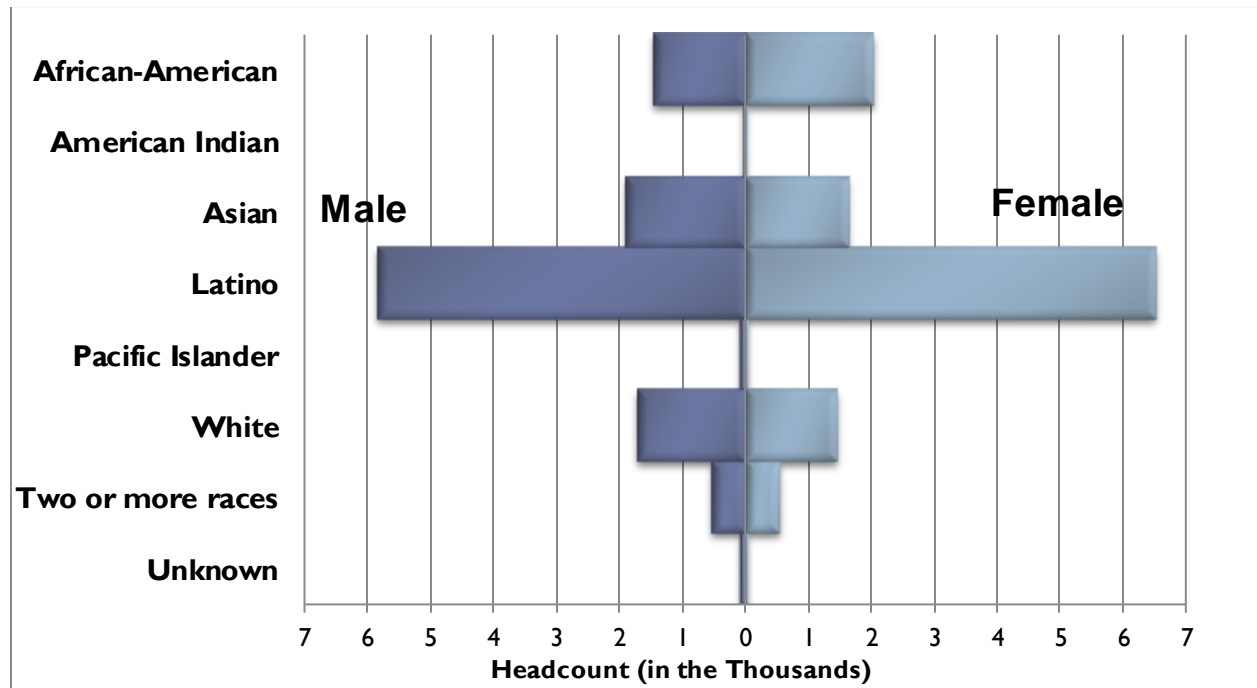
El Camino College (ECC) is a broadly diverse campus, which reflects the diversity of the district it serves. The college is considered a Hispanic-serving Institution, with Latinos representing the largest ethnic group on campus (52%). Fifteen percent of students are Asian, 14% are African-American, and 13% are White.



Ethnicity	Count
African-American	3,378
American Indian	43
Asian	3,623
Latino	12,586
Pacific Islander	110
White	3,130
Two or more races	1,109
Unknown	113
Total	24,092

Gender by Ethnicity

There are 36% more female than male African-American students that attend ECC. Looking at Latino students, there are about 13% more female than male students attending the college. On the other hand, 12% more male than female white and Asian students make up the student body.



Ethnicity	Male	Female	Total
African-American	1,434	1,944	3,378
American Indian	23	20	43
Asian	1,922	1,701	3,623
Latino	5,921	6,664	12,585
Pacific Islander	57	53	110
White	1,661	1,469	3,130
Two or more races	558	551	1,109
Unknown	68	44	112
Total	11,644	12,446	24,090

*Total does not add up to Fall 2016 enrollment total of 24,092 due to invalid entry for ethnicity and gender.

Age by Ethnicity

The table below presents point measures of age for each ethnic group¹. Overall, ECC students have an average student age of 24, a median age of 21 and a mode of 19. The mean age tends to be considerably higher than the median due to a larger population of older-aged students. The mode ranges between 19 and 20, depending on the ethnic group.

In general, the American Indian/Alaskan Native, White, and unknown race tend to be older, while Latinos and students indicating two or more races are relatively younger than the ECC student population as a whole.

Age by Ethnicity Descriptive Statistics

Ethnicity	Count	Mean	Median	Mode
African-American	3,378	26.7	22	19
Amer Ind/Alaskan	43	27.2	23	19
Asian	3,623	24.4	21	19
Latino	12,586	22.7	21	19
Pacific Islander	110	23.8	20	20
White	3,130	27.8	22	19
Two or more races	1,109	23.0	21	19
Unknown	113	30.3	25	19
Total	24,092	24.3	21	19

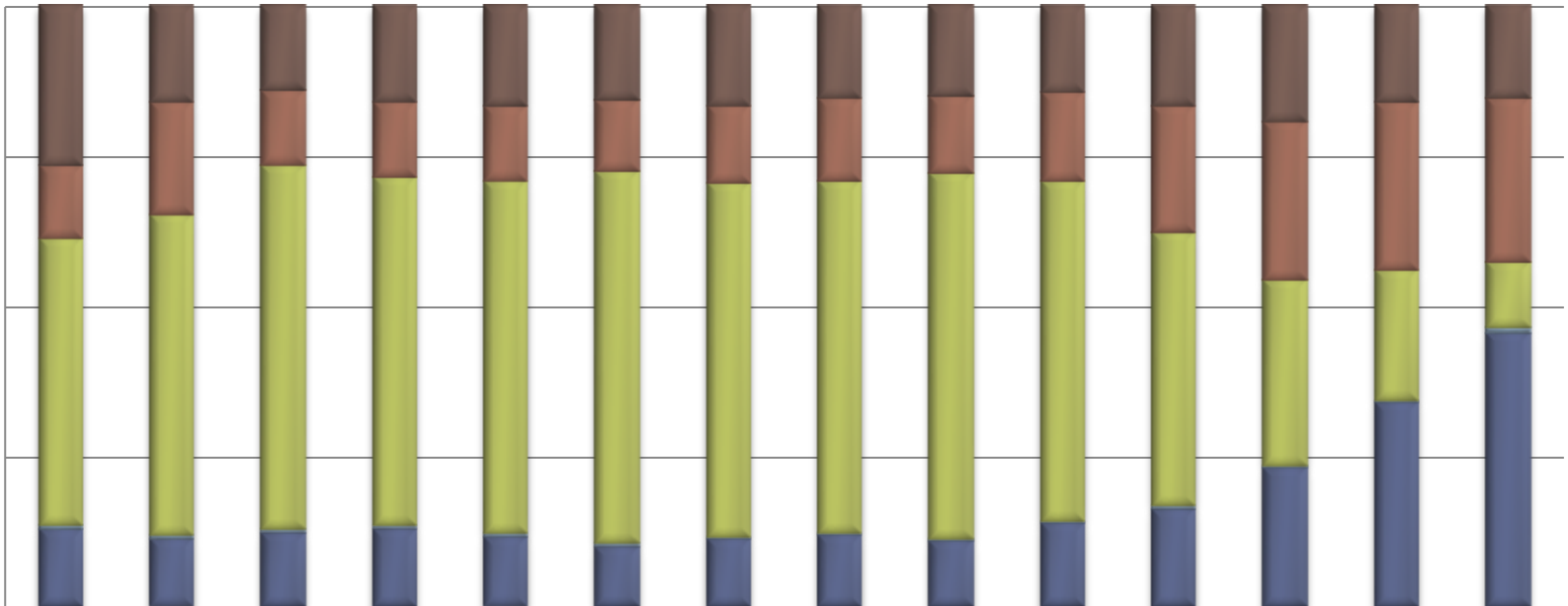
Age Distribution by Ethnicity (following page)

As suggested above, most ethnic groups at El Camino College represent varying percentages of the student body relative to age or age group. White students are more likely to be older while Latino students are more likely of traditional college ages and in their 20's and 30's. Less-pronounced variability is found among other ethnic groups.

The chart on the following page represents the *percentage* of students from each ethnicity within each age or age group. Smaller groups (American Indian/Alaskan Native) and unidentifiable groups (two or more races and unknown) were excluded from the chart but are found in the statistics table above.

¹ Definitions of descriptive statistics used to measure age: **mean** age is the average age, or the single age that best describes the ECC student body; **median** age is the age at which 50% of the ECC population lies above and below; and **mode** age is the single most common age.

Age Distribution by Ethnicity



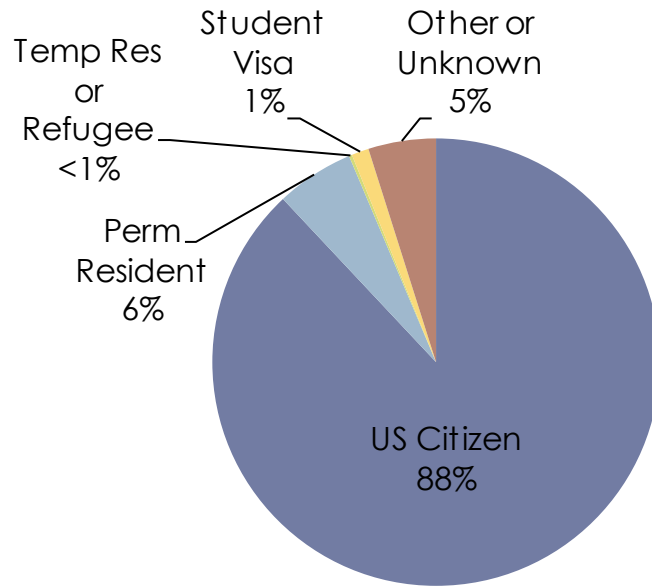
	<17	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25-29	30-39	40-49	50-64	65+
Asian	25%	15%	13%	15%	16%	15%	16%	14%	14%	14%	16%	18%	15%	15%
African-Amer	11%	17%	12%	12%	12%	11%	12%	13%	12%	14%	20%	25%	27%	26%
Latino	44%	49%	57%	55%	56%	59%	56%	56%	58%	54%	43%	30%	21%	11%
Pac Islander	1%	1%	0%	0%	1%	1%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%
White	12%	10%	12%	12%	11%	9%	11%	11%	10%	13%	15%	22%	32%	43%

*This chart shows the percentage of each age group represented by the major ethnic groups at El Camino College. For example, 19 year-olds are 15% Asian, 12% African-American, 55% Latino and 12% White, compared with 30 to 39 year-olds who are 16% Asian, 20% African-American, 43% Latino and 15% White.

Citizenship and City of Residence

The majority of students at El Camino College are U.S. citizens. Ninety-six percent of all students are officially California residents, and out of state residents comprise nearly 1%. The remaining 3% of the student body are international students from over 68 countries.

Forty-six percent of ECC students reside in the El Camino Community College District. Forty percent of students reside within 7.5 miles of the college while 14% live beyond a 7.5-mile radius of El Camino College.



City of Residence

In District	n	%
Torrance	4,299	17.8%
Hawthorne	2,317	9.6%
Inglewood	1,149	4.8%
Lawndale	1,105	4.6%
Redondo Beach	1,183	4.9%
Lennox	491	2.0%
Manhattan Beach	249	1.0%
El Segundo	181	0.8%
Hermosa Beach	154	0.6%
In District Total	11,128	46.2%
Out of District (within 7.5 -mile radius)		
Los Angeles	4,409	18.2%
Gardena	2,272	9.6%
Carson	1,333	5.5%
Compton	896	3.6%
Lomita	317	1.3%
Harbor City	305	1.2%
Out of District Total (within 7.5-mile radius)	9,532	39.6%
Out of District (beyond 7.5 mile radius)		
	3,432	14.2%
Grand Total	24,092	

Disability Status

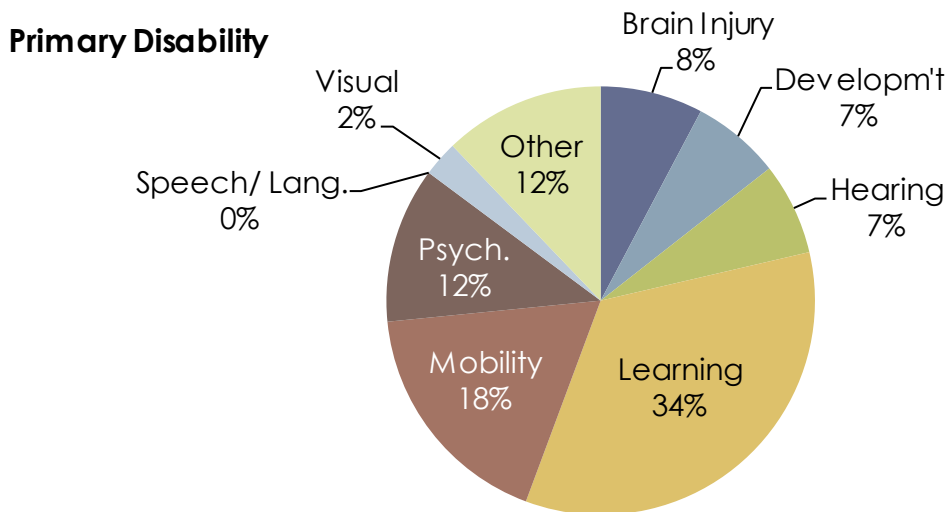
About 3% of El Camino College students have a registered disability, with more females registering with disabilities than males. The most common disability is learning disability, representing about 34% of disabilities registered, followed by mobility impairment at 18%.

Disability Status by Gender

Status	Female		Male		Total	
	n	%	n	%	n	%
Registered Disability	431	3.5	318	2.7	749	3.1
No Disability Registered	12,015	96.5	11,326	97.3	23,341	96.9
Total	12,446		11,644		24,090	

Primary Disability by Gender

Primary Disability	Female		Male		Total	
	n	%	n	%	n	%
Acquired Brain Injury	31	7.2	27	8.5	58	7.7
Developmental Delayed Learner	26	6.0	24	7.5	50	6.7
Hearing Impaired	26	6.0	26	8.2	52	6.9
Learning Disability	147	34.1	110	34.6	257	34.3
Mobility Impaired	89	20.6	44	13.8	133	17.8
Psychological Disability	57	13.2	31	9.7	88	11.7
Speech/Language Impaired	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Visually Impaired	9	2.1	11	3.5	20	2.7
Other Disability	46	10.7	45	14.2	91	12.1
Total	431		318		749	

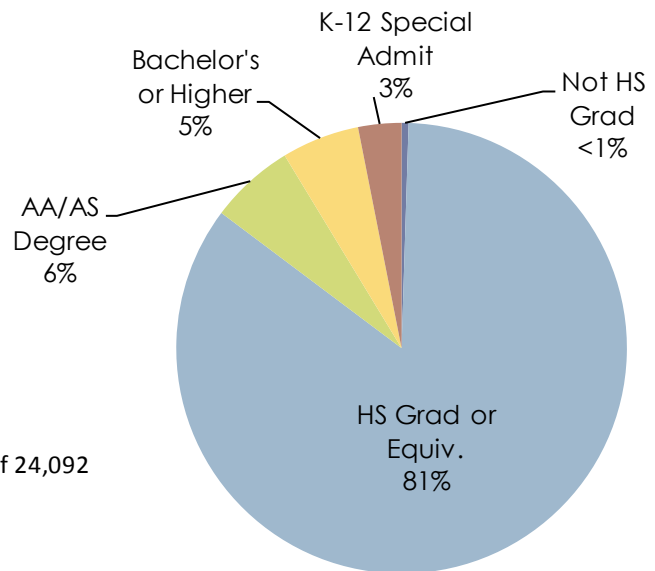


Education Level

About 81% of ECC students have at least a high school diploma or equivalent. An additional 12% of students have an Associate degree or higher. Less than 1% of students are not high school graduates, while 3% are still in high school.

Education Level	Count
Not HS Grad	115
HS Grad or Equiv.	19,563
AA/AS Degree	1,402
Bachelor's or Higher	1,288
K-12 Special Admit	716
Total	23,084

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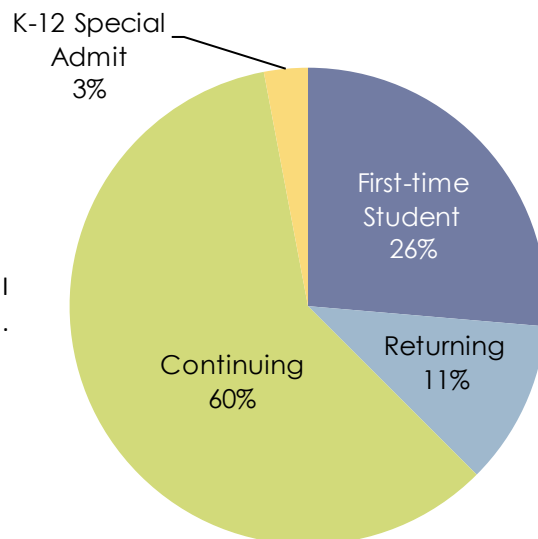


Enrollment Status

Sixty percent of ECC students are continuing students. Eleven percent of students are returning after taking time off from their education at ECC. Twenty-six percent of students are new to ECC.

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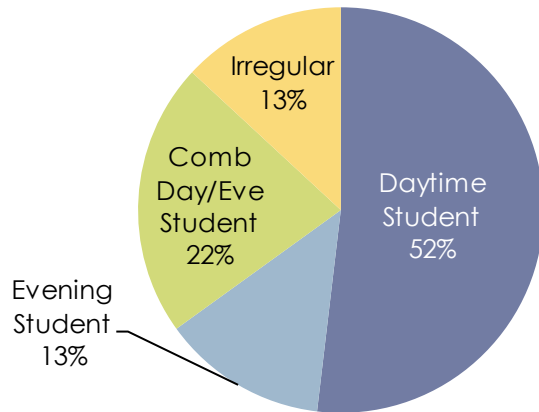
Campus Enrollment Patterns

Courses at El Camino College are offered 7 days a week and during both daytime and evening hours to serve its district community. Fifty-two percent of students enroll in at least one daytime class, while 13% enrolled exclusively in evening classes. There are about 22% of students enrolled in a combination of day and evening courses. The “irregular” percentage includes students enrolled exclusively in distance education courses.

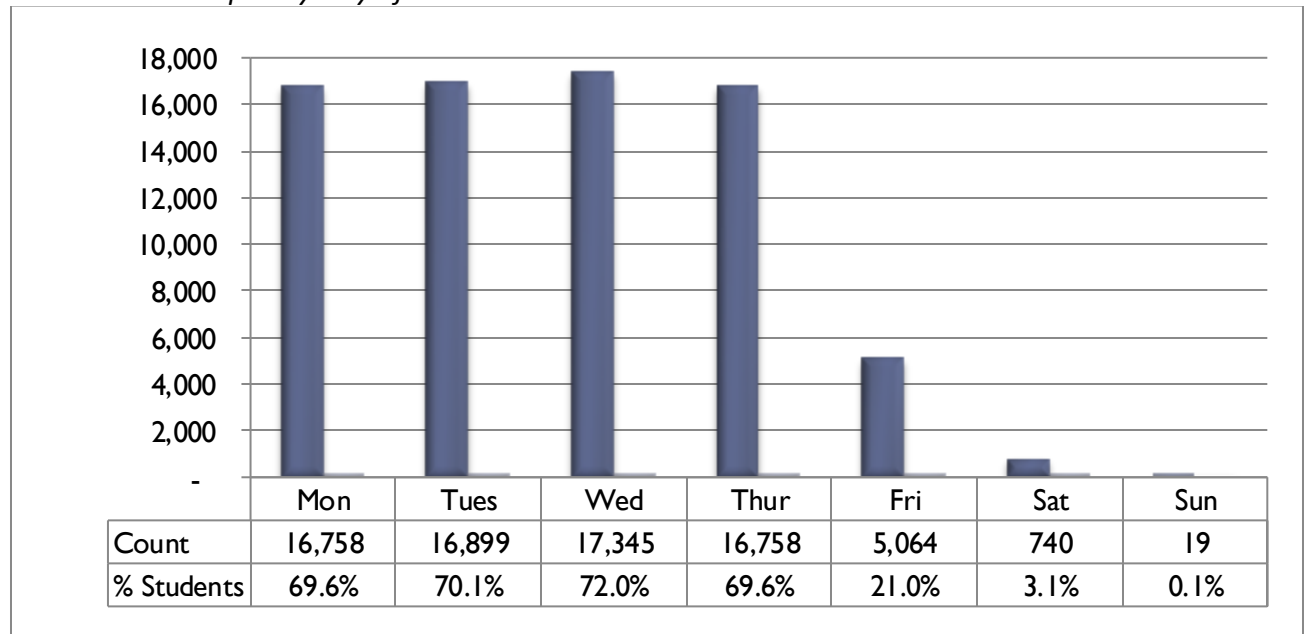
On average, 16,940 students are on campus attending classes Monday through Thursday, with less than half of that number attending on Fridays.

Day/Evening Attendance

Class Times	Count
Daytime Student	12,497
Evening Student	3,174
Day/Eve Student	5,262
Irregular	3,159
Total	24,092

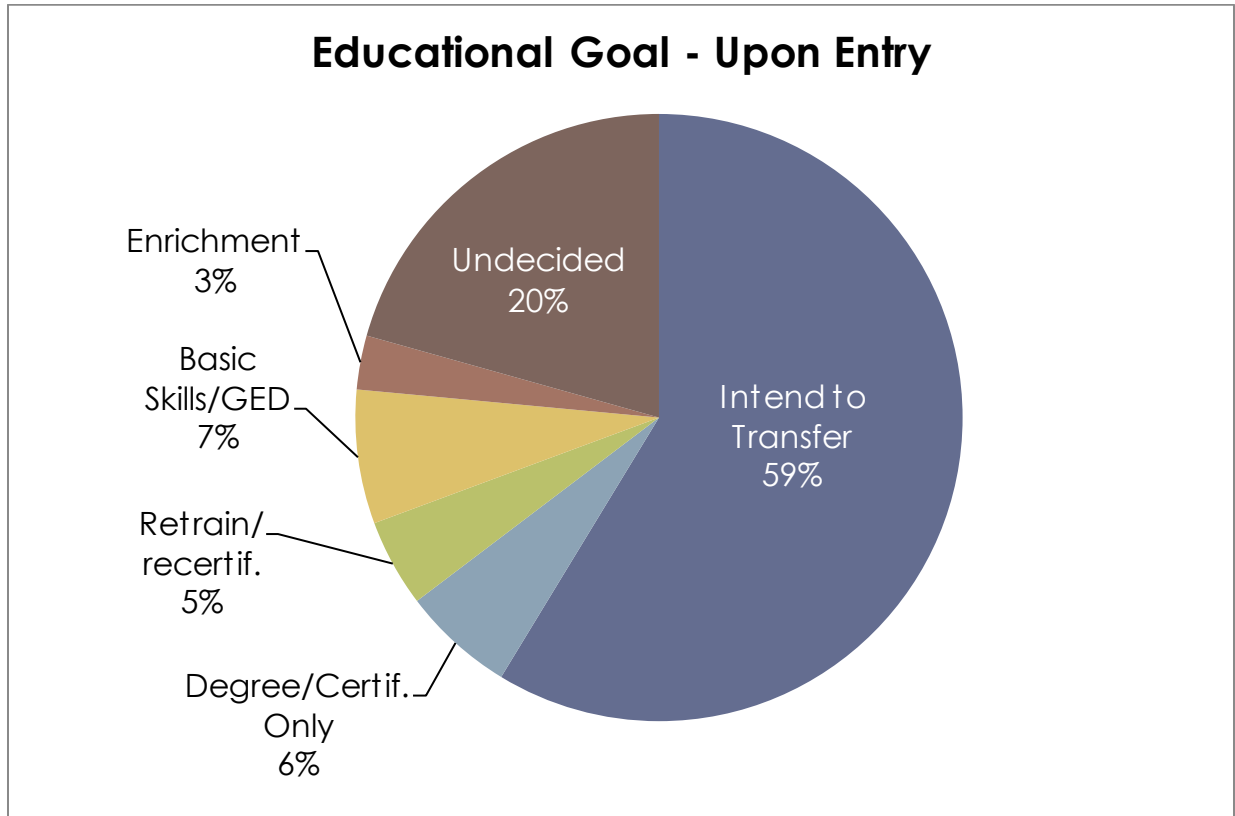


Students on Campus by Day of the Week



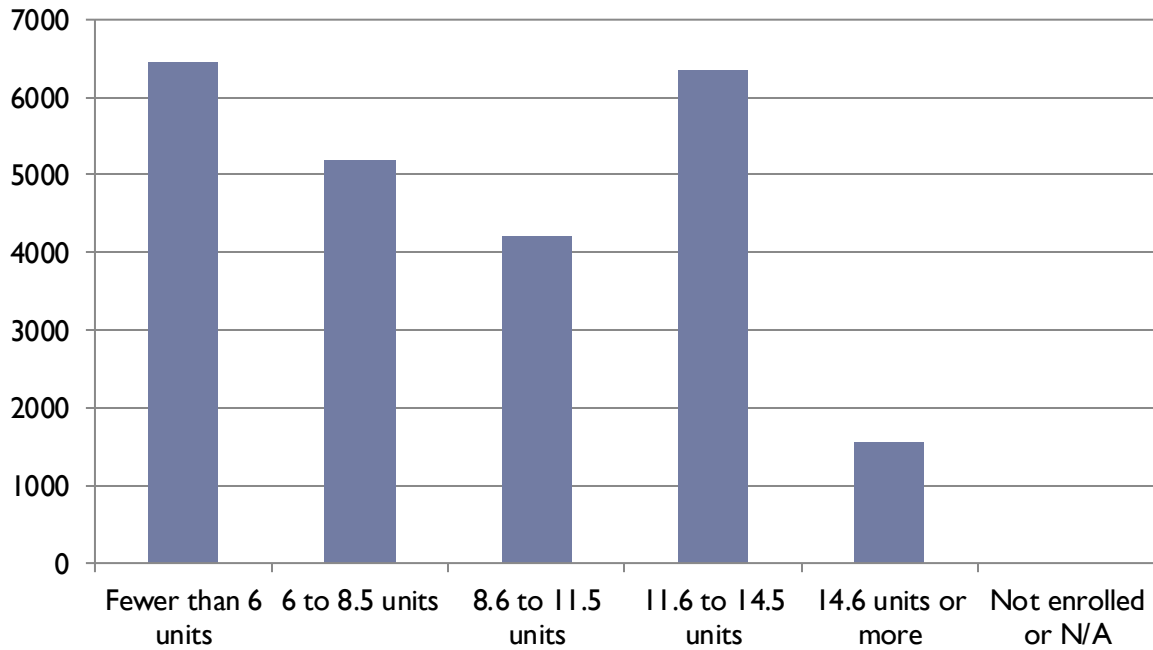
Matriculation Educational Goal

The educational goal of enrolled students is captured on the initial application and may change over the course of a student's career. The largest percentage of students (59%) indicated an intention to transfer to a 4-year institution as their goal. Twenty percent of students indicated that they are undecided about their educational goal. Another 11% intend to earn a degree or certificate or be retrained or recertified in their respective fields.

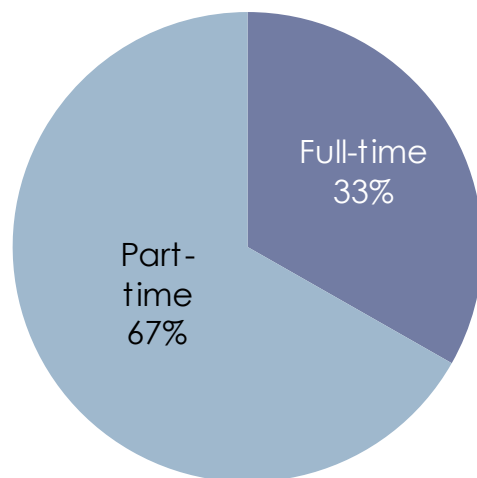


Unit Load

Thirty-three percent of students enrolled full-time (defined as carrying 12 units or more). Of the 67% of part-time students, 41% of those students are enrolled in fewer than 6 units.



Unit Load	Count	%
Fewer than 6 units	6,461	27.2
6 to 8.5 units	5,193	21.8
8.6 to 11.5 units	4,219	17.7
11.6 to 14.5 units	6,350	26.7
14.6 units or more	1,552	6.5



Student Retention and Success

Student academic performance within a term can be measured in several ways. The most common methods are student *retention* (completing a course, regardless of final grade), *success* (completing a course with a C/Pass or better) and Grade Point Average (*GPA*).

Success and retention along with a course grade distribution are provided in the table below. In Fall 2016, students were retained at a rate of over 80%. About 69% succeeded by receiving a C/Pass or better in a course. The overall average term GPA is **2.70**.

Course Grade Distribution, Success and Retention Rates

Grade	Count	%	Rate
A	18,178	28.4	Success: 68.8%
B	13,195	20.6	
C	8,992	14.0	
P (pass)	3,723	5.8	
D	2,765	4.3	Retention: 83.2
F	5,251	8.2	
NP (not pass)	1,176	1.8	
Withdrawal	10,766	16.9	Term GPA: 2.70
Total	64,046	100	

