



### How To Enroll

**STEP 1** Apply online at [www.cabrillo.edu](http://www.cabrillo.edu) (click on “WebAdvisor Self-Service”) or apply in person by visiting the Admissions and Records offices.

**STEP 2** You will receive registration information in the mail, including your time to begin registering.

**STEP 3** Contact the Learning Community of your choice directly, speak to a Cabrillo counselor, or contact the Learning Communities Center (LCC).

### Who May Enroll

Cabrillo College is open to anyone 18 years of age or older, or anyone with a high school diploma or proficiency certificate. High school students also may attend classes at Cabrillo on a limited basis with the permission of their high school principals.

### Nondiscrimination Policy

Cabrillo Community College does not discriminate on the basis of ethnic group identification, national origin, religion, age, sex, race, color, physical or mental disability, or sexual orientation in any of its policies, procedures, or practices. This nondiscrimination policy covers admission and access to, and treatment and employment in, the college’s programs and activities, including vocational education programs. Limited English language skills will not be a barrier to admission to and participation in vocational education programs.

### Plan De Acción No Discriminatoria

Cabrillo Community College no discrimina a base de identificación con grupos étnicos, nacionalidad de origen, religión, edad, sexo, raza, color, incapacidad mental o física ni orientación sexual en ninguna de sus reglamentaciones, procedimientos o prácticas. Este plan de acción no discriminatoria incluye la admisión y el acceso a los programas y actividades, y el tratamiento y el empleo en los mismos, incluyendo la educación vocacional. Tener limitadas destrezas en el idioma inglés no constituirá una barrera para ser admitido o participar en los programas de educación vocacional.

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# Learning Communities



**Learning Communities Center (LCC)**  
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[www.cabrillolearning.org](http://www.cabrillolearning.org)

## Learning Community Mission

- Build relationships
- Enhance academic skills
- Be successful in college courses
- Reach career and/or transfer goals



*“The biggest change I noticed in myself is that I’m now having meaningful conversations. Now it is easy for me to set the tone of a conversation and take it to a deeper level.” —Dahlia*



## What is a LEARNING COMMUNITY?

A Learning community is a fun, exciting, and supportive learning environment where students:

- Take a combination of classes that focuses on a special “theme”
- Build friendships
- Work closely in teams and operate as a tight-knit “cohort” group
- Interact with supportive students and faculty
- Learn college/academic survival skills

## Why should I BECOME PART OF ONE?

Research shows that most students who participate in a Learning Community:

- Pass their courses
- Have better long-term success
- Take more college credits overall
- Earn higher GPAs
- Accomplish their career and/or transfer goals
- Develop lasting friendships and bonds



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## Students say...

*"This learning environment helped create a special bond between the students in my cohort. And the bond I felt with my classmates was crucial for building my confidence. Having supportive classmates and teachers gave me the strength to succeed. I just started my third twelve-unit semester at Cabrillo College and I have been getting all A's."* —Robert



*"Everything we learned about listening and communication is very important to help us succeed in life. Recognizing my learning styles has let me find out who I am and how I learn best. Being able to find yourself again is a good feeling."* —Maura



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## The Puente Project (PUENTE)

Puente is open to all students that desire to transfer to a four year college or university. Learn about the US Latino experience and social justice. For fall and spring semesters, take English courses, explore academic counseling, and work with a career-related mentor.  
831 . 479 . 6541



Visit [cabrillolearning.org](http://cabrillolearning.org) for more information about Cabrillo's Learning Communities.

## The Academy for College Excellence (ACE)

In just one semester you will become a successful full-time student, learn skills that professional careers require, identify your strengths and goals, acquire leadership skills, and develop academic and career plans. Classes include English (with an option to accelerate to English 1A), Social Justice Research Methods, Computer Applications, and Movement or math. ACE creates a supportive and engaging learning environment that will inspire you to want to come to college and succeed.  
831 . 477 . 3340



## Students Transitioning in Academics and Reaching Success (STARS)

STARS offers you either a 2-week Summer Bridge program or a 1-2 day orientation prior to the start of the year and continues through fall and spring of your first year. Students take math and English, learn college survival skills, explore career options, take courses required for transfer or your AA/AS degree, and get extra help in math.  
831 . 477 . 3340

## Reading and English Academic Learning (REAL)

Read and write in a fun, supportive learning environment. REAL students take the two following linked courses: English 255 and Reading 255. Become an effective reader and writer while getting the support and encouragement you need to succeed in college.  
831 . 479 . 6400

## The Accelerated Medical Assisting Program (AMAP)

The Accelerated Medical Assisting Program provides a path to a career as a Certified Medical Assistant. The courses provide a strong foundation in essential skills employers have identified to be a successful MA. This full-time program begins with the development of the math and writing skills required and then positions the student for success in subsequent courses. The program is open on a first come, first served basis, resulting in a Medical Assistant certificate and completion of externship hours within 4 semesters.  
831 . 479 . 6248