



Facts About Berkeley City College

Berkeley City College, one of California’s 113 community colleges, is located at 2050 Center St. between Shattuck Ave. & Milvia Sts. in downtown Berkeley, in one of the world’s great education centers. In August 2006, the college moved to a newly constructed six-story, 165,000 square foot urban campus, only one-and-one-half blocks from the University of California at Berkeley. The college is part of the Peralta Community College District which includes College of Alameda, Laney and Merritt colleges. Model programs in American Sign Language, biotechnology, business, computer information systems, English Language and Literature, global studies, the liberal arts, multimedia arts, public and human services, social sciences, and university transfer, place Berkeley City College on the cutting edge of community college education in California. Classes convene at the college’s urban setting in downtown Berkeley and at the University of California, Berkeley. Berkeley City College also supports an Online Transfer College.

Berkeley City College students form part of a thriving college community which mirrors the Bay Area’s ethnic, cultural and socioeconomic diversity. They include single parents, full-time workers, re-entry women, career changers and high school students. Working together with Berkeley City College faculty, you create a dynamic environment where interdisciplinary education and teamwork prepare you for many career options.

At Berkeley City College, student success always is our first priority. Day, evening, online distance education, and Saturday classes ensure that students can finish any Berkeley City College job training or academic program in two years. An exceptional partnership with UC Berkeley allows students to complete a number of lower division transfer classes in evening classes held on its Berkeley campus.

A majority of Berkeley City College’s classes are held at its main campus at 2050 Center St. (between Shattuck Ave. & Milvia St.) in downtown Berkeley). The college also conducts outreach classes in community locations. BART and AC Transit stop half a block away from its Center St. campus. Evening shuttle services provide direct access to BCC classes at UC Berkeley. Parking is available evenings and Saturdays at UC and in downtown Berkeley.

Academic and career counseling, combined with strong student support services, provide you with excellent preparation for transfer to public and private universities, and for success in today’s demanding job market. Berkeley City College is one of the top transfer institutions to UC Berkeley.

A number of Berkeley City College’s classes are taught evenings and Saturdays on the UC Berkeley campus. Others are held at the college’s 2050 Center St. campus. Outreach classes are held at community locations. A diverse student population adds to the richness of BCC’s learning community. In spring 2015, approximately 7,500 students enrolled at Berkeley City College. They were 26% Caucasian; 18% African American; 18% Asian; 16% Latino; 15% Multiple Race/Ethnicity; 4% declined to state; 2% Filipino; and less than 1% Pacific Islander and American Indian/Alaska Native. Berkeley City College students’ average age is 26 years, with more than half between 19 and 24 years of age.

Apply for admission via the Peralta Community College District’s PASSPORT online registration system. Student Ambassadors who work in the college’s 1st floor Welcome Center, 2050 Center St. in Berkeley, can help prospective students to enroll.

Phone (510) 981-2852 or visit <http://berkeleycitycollege.edu> for program brochures, class schedules and enrollment information.

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Berkeley City College Welcomes You!

The following is a list of study areas described in BCC's catalog supplement and in the college's 2015-2017 catalog for which BCC awards an Associate in Art degree (AA), an Associate in Science degree (AS), a Certificate of Achievement (CA), or a Certificate of Proficiency (CP) in liberal arts, science, occupational fields, or specialized areas of study. The Associate Degrees for Transfer which include Associate in Arts for Transfer (AA-T) and the Associate in Science for Transfer (AS-T) are intended for students who plan to complete a Bachelor's degree in a similar major at a CSU campus.

American Sign Language	AA	CA		Writing, Directing, Producing for Multimedia Arts	CA	
Anthropology	AA-T			Video Arts	AA	
Art				Video Arts Level I	CA	
Art	AA			Video Arts Level II	CA	
Art History	AA-T			Advanced 3D Illustration	CP*	
Art: Figure Studies		CA		Advanced Animation	CP*	
Public Art		CA		Advanced Cinematography	CP*	
Studio Art	AA-T			Advanced Digital Imaging	CP	
Biology	AS-T			Advanced Digital Photography	CP*	
Biotechnology	AS	CA	CP	Advanced Digital Printmaking	CP	
Business				Advanced Digital Video Production	CP*	
Accounting	AA		CP	Advanced Editing	CP*	
Business Administration	AS-T			Advanced Web Design	CP	
General Business	AA	CA		Basic 3D Illustration	CP*	
Office Skills for Business		CA		Basic Animation	CP*	
Communication Studies	AA-T			Basic Digital Imaging	CP*	
Chemistry				Basic Digital Photography	CP	
Analytic Chemistry	AS	CA		Basic Digital Printmaking	CP	
Communication Studies	AA-T			Basic Editing	CP*	
Computer Information Systems				Basic Motion Graphics	CP*	
Advanced Computer Programming	AS	CA	CP	Basic Multimedia	CP*	
Advanced Windows Desktop	AS	CA	CP	Basic Web Design	CP	
Applied Computer Information Systems	AS	CA	CP	Cinematography I	CP*	
Web Programming	AS	CA	CP	Cinematography II	CP*	
Economics	AA-T			Documentary Production	CP*	
Education				Foundation for Animation	CP*	
Elementary Teacher Education	AA-T			Foundation for Multimedia	CP*	
Teacher's Aide		CA		Foundations of Video	CP*	
English				Intermediate Animation	CP*	
English	AA-T			Intermediate Digital Imaging	CP	
English Language/Writing	AA			Intermediate Digital Photography	CP	
Creative Writing/Fiction		CA		Intermediate Digital Printmaking	CP	
Creative Writing/Poetry		CA		Intermediate Editing	CP*	
Creative Writing/Playwriting and Screenwriting		CP		Intermediate Video Production	CP*	
English as a Second Language				Intermediate Web Design	CP	
ESL: High Intermediate			CP	Music Video Production	CP*	
ESL: Advanced			CP	Video Editing	CP*	
Global Studies	AA			Video Production	CP*	
History	AA-T			Writing for Multimedia	CP*	
Liberal Arts				Philosophy	AA-T	
Liberal Arts: Emphasis in Arts & Humanities	AA			Political Science	AA-T	
Liberal Arts: Emphasis in Social & Behavioral Sciences	AA			Psychology	AA-T*	
Liberal Arts: CSU General Education Breadth		CA		Public and Human Services		
Liberal Arts: Intersegmental General Education Transfer (IGETC)		CA		Community and Public Services	AA	CA
Mathematics	AS-T			Community Health Worker	AA	CA
Multimedia Arts				Social Services Paraprofessional	AA	CA
Multimedia Arts Core		CA		Public and Human Services Overview		CP
Animation and Game Design	AA			Public and Human Services Systems		CP
Animation Level I		CA		Sociology	AA-T	
Animation Level II		CA		Spanish		
Game Design Level I		CA		Spanish	AA-T	
Game Design Level II		CA		Spanish Language	AA*	
Imaging:				Spanish Language for Heritage Speakers	AA	CA
Infographic Design & Data Visualization	AA			Spanish Medical Interpreter		CA*
Imaging: Photography & Printmaking		CA				
Imaging: Information Graphics & Digital Design		CA				
Mobile and Web Design	AA					
Mobile and Web Design Level I		CA				
Mobile and Web Design Level II		CA				

**This program is being offered, but is currently undergoing revision, pending approval from the California Community Colleges Chancellor's Office. Please see a counselor for the most current program requirements.*

