

LaunchBoard Region Explanation

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Regions can refer to either the seven macroregions or the fifteen microregions identified for the California Community Colleges Chancellor’s Office. The regions displaying on the LaunchBoard include:

Macroregions

- Bay Area
- Central Valley-Mother Lode
- Inland Empire-Desert
- Los Angeles-Orange County
- North-Far North
- San Diego-Imperial
- South Central Coast

Microregions

- East Bay
- Greater Sacramento
- Inland Empire
- Los Angeles
- Mid-Peninsula
- North Bay
- Northern Central Valley-Mother Lode
- Northern Coastal
- Northern Inland
- Orange County
- San Diego-Imperial
- Santa Cruz-Monterey
- Silicon Valley
- South Central Coast
- Southern Central Valley-Mother Lode

Understanding the Data in the Groupings

Regional groupings de-duplicate redundant records. For example, a student may attend multiple colleges within a region. In the regional grouping, the student would only appear once. This means that if you added up data for each college within a region, the number of “distinct students” may be lower than the sum of each college’s “distinct students.” However, the figure for course sections will be the same in the regional grouping as the number you would get if you added up the sections for all colleges in the region.

The following pages show the macroregion and microregion designations for each college, as well as college listings by macroregion and microregion.

Listing by College

Community College	District	Microregion	Macroregion
Allan Hancock College	Allan Hancock	South Central Coast	South Central Coast
American River College	Los Rios	Greater Sacramento	North/Far North
Antelope Valley College	Antelope Valley	South Central Coast	South Central Coast
Bakersfield College	Kern	Southern Central Valley-Mother Lode	Central/Mother Lode



Community College	District	Microregion	Macroregion
Barstow College	Barstow	Inland Empire	Inland Empire/Desert
Berkeley City College	Peralta	East Bay	Bay Area
Butte College	Butte	Northern Inland	North/Far North
Cabrillo College	Cabrillo	Santa Cruz-Monterey	Bay Area
Calbright College	California Online	Unassigned	Unassigned
Canada College	San Mateo	Mid-Peninsula	Bay Area
Cerritos College	Cerritos	Los Angeles	Los Angeles/Orange County
Cerro Coso Community College	Kern	Southern Central Valley-Mother Lode	Central/Mother Lode
Chabot College	Chabot-Las Positas	East Bay	Bay Area
Chaffey College	Chaffey	Inland Empire	Inland Empire/Desert
Citrus College	Citrus	Los Angeles	Los Angeles/Orange County
City College of San Francisco	San Francisco	Mid-Peninsula	Bay Area
Clovis Community College	State Center	Southern Central Valley-Mother Lode	Central/Mother Lode
Coastline Community College	Coast	Orange	Los Angeles/Orange County
College of Alameda	Peralta	East Bay	Bay Area
College of Marin	Marin	North Bay	Bay Area
College of San Mateo	San Mateo	Mid-Peninsula	Bay Area
College of the Canyons	Santa Clarita	South Central Coast	South Central Coast
College of the Desert	Desert	Inland Empire	Inland Empire/Desert
College of the Redwoods	Redwoods	Northern Coastal	North/Far North
College of the Sequoias	Sequoias	Southern Central Valley-Mother Lode	Central/Mother Lode
College of the Siskiyous	Siskiyous	Northern Inland	North/Far North
Columbia College	Yosemite	Northern Central Valley-Mother Lode	Central/Mother Lode
Compton College	Compton	Los Angeles	Los Angeles/Orange County
Contra Costa College	Contra Costa	East Bay	Bay Area
Copper Mountain Community College	Copper Mountain	Inland Empire	Inland Empire/Desert
Cosumnes River College	Los Rios	Greater Sacramento	North/Far North
Crafton Hills College	San Bernardino	Inland Empire	Inland Empire/Desert
Cuesta College	San Luis Obispo	South Central Coast	South Central Coast
Cuyamaca College	Grossmont-Cuyamaca	San Diego-Imperial	San Diego/Imperial Counties



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Cypress College	North Orange	Orange	Los Angeles/Orange County
De Anza College	Foothill-Deanza	Silicon Valley	Bay Area
Diablo Valley College	Contra Costa	East Bay	Bay Area
East Los Angeles College	Los Angeles	Los Angeles	Los Angeles/Orange County
El Camino College	El Camino	Los Angeles	Los Angeles/Orange County
Evergreen Valley College	San Jose-Evergreen	Silicon Valley	Bay Area
Feather River College	Feather River	Northern Inland	North/Far North
Folsom Lake College	Los Rios	Greater Sacramento	North/Far North
Foothill College	Foothill-Deanza	Silicon Valley	Bay Area
Fresno City College	State Center	Southern Central Valley-Mother Lode	Central/Mother Lode
Fullerton College	North Orange	Orange	Los Angeles/Orange County
Gavilan College	Gavilan	Silicon Valley	Bay Area
Glendale Community College	Glendale	Los Angeles	Los Angeles/Orange County
Golden West College	Coast	Orange	Los Angeles/Orange County
Grossmont College	Grossmont-Cuyamaca	San Diego-Imperial	San Diego/Imperial Counties
Hartnell College	Hartnell	Santa Cruz-Monterey	Bay Area
Imperial Valley College	Imperial	San Diego-Imperial	San Diego/Imperial Counties
Irvine Valley College	South Orange	Orange	Los Angeles/Orange County
Lake Tahoe Community College	Lake Tahoe	Greater Sacramento	North/Far North
Laney College	Peralta	East Bay	Bay Area
Las Positas College	Chabot-Las Positas	East Bay	Bay Area
Lassen College	Lassen	Northern Inland	North/Far North
Long Beach City College	Long Beach	Los Angeles	Los Angeles/Orange County
Los Angeles City College	Los Angeles	Los Angeles	Los Angeles/Orange County
Los Angeles Harbor College	Los Angeles	Los Angeles	Los Angeles/Orange County
Los Angeles ITV	Los Angeles	Los Angeles	Los Angeles/Orange County
Los Angeles Mission College	Los Angeles	Los Angeles	Los Angeles/Orange County
Los Angeles Pierce College	Los Angeles	Los Angeles	Los Angeles/Orange County
Los Angeles Southwest College	Los Angeles	Los Angeles	Los Angeles/Orange County
Los Angeles Trade-Tech College	Los Angeles	Los Angeles	Los Angeles/Orange County



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Los Angeles Valley College	Los Angeles	Los Angeles	Los Angeles/Orange County
Los Medanos College	Contra Costa	East Bay	Bay Area
Madera College	State Center	Southern Central Valley-Mother Lode	Central/Mother Lode
Mendocino College	Mendocino-Lake	Northern Coastal	North/Far North
Merced College	Merced	Northern Central Valley-Mother Lode	Central/Mother Lode
Merritt College	Peralta	East Bay	Bay Area
MiraCosta College	Mira Costa	San Diego-Imperial	San Diego/Imperial Counties
Mission College	West Valley-Mission	Silicon Valley	Bay Area
Modesto Junior College	Yosemite	Northern Central Valley-Mother Lode	Central/Mother Lode
Monterey Peninsula College	Monterey	Santa Cruz-Monterey	Bay Area
Moorpark College	Ventura	South Central Coast	South Central Coast
Moreno Valley College	Riverside	Inland Empire	Inland Empire/Desert
Mt. San Antonio College	Mt. San Antonio	Los Angeles	Los Angeles/Orange County
Mt. San Jacinto College	Mt. San Jacinto	Inland Empire	Inland Empire/Desert
Napa Valley College	Napa Valley	North Bay	Bay Area
Norco College	Riverside	Inland Empire	Inland Empire/Desert
North Orange Adult	North Orange	Orange	Los Angeles/Orange County
Ohlone College	Ohlone	East Bay	Bay Area
Orange Coast College	Coast	Orange	Los Angeles/Orange County
Oxnard College	Ventura	South Central Coast	South Central Coast
Palo Verde College	Palo Verde	Inland Empire	Inland Empire/Desert
Palomar College	Palomar	San Diego-Imperial	San Diego/Imperial Counties
Pasadena City College	Pasadena	Los Angeles	Los Angeles/Orange County
Porterville College	Kern	Southern Central Valley-Mother Lode	Central/Mother Lode
Reedley College	State Center	Southern Central Valley-Mother Lode	Central/Mother Lode
Rio Hondo College	Rio Hondo	Los Angeles	Los Angeles/Orange County
Riverside City College	Riverside	Inland Empire	Inland Empire/Desert
Sacramento City College	Los Rios	Greater Sacramento	North/Far North
Saddleback College	South Orange	Orange	Los Angeles/Orange County
San Bernardino Valley College	San Bernardino	Inland Empire	Inland Empire/Desert
San Diego Adult	San Diego	San Diego-Imperial	San Diego/Imperial Counties



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San Diego City College	San Diego	San Diego-Imperial	San Diego/Imperial Counties
San Diego Mesa College	San Diego	San Diego-Imperial	San Diego/Imperial Counties
San Diego Miramar College	San Diego	San Diego-Imperial	San Diego/Imperial Counties
San Francisco Centers (2019-20 last year of MIS data)	San Francisco	Mid-Peninsula	Bay Area
San Joaquin Delta College	San Joaquin Delta	Northern Central Valley-Mother Lode	Central/Mother Lode
San Jose City College	San Jose- Evergreen	Silicon Valley	Bay Area
Santa Ana College	Rancho Santiago	Orange	Los Angeles/Orange County
Santa Barbara City College	Santa Barbara	South Central Coast	South Central Coast
Santa Barbara Continuing (2014-15 last year of MIS data)	Santa Barbara	South Central Coast	South Central Coast
Santa Monica College	Santa Monica	Los Angeles	Los Angeles/Orange County
Santa Rosa Junior College	Sonoma	North Bay	Bay Area
Santiago Canyon College	Rancho Santiago	Orange	Los Angeles/Orange County
Shasta College	Shasta-Tehama- Trinity	Northern Inland	North/Far North
Sierra College	Sierra	Greater Sacramento	North/Far North
Skyline College	San Mateo	Mid-Peninsula	Bay Area
Solano Community College	Solano	North Bay	Bay Area
Southwestern College	Southwestern	San Diego-Imperial	San Diego/Imperial Counties
Taft College	West Kern	Southern Central Valley-Mother Lode	Central/Mother Lode
Ventura College	Ventura	South Central Coast	South Central Coast
Victor Valley College	Victor Valley	Inland Empire	Inland Empire/Desert
West Hills College Coalinga	West Hills	Southern Central Valley-Mother Lode	Central/Mother Lode
West Hills College Lemoore	West Hills	Southern Central Valley-Mother Lode	Central/Mother Lode
West Los Angeles College	Los Angeles	Los Angeles	Los Angeles/Orange County
West Valley College	West Valley- Mission	Silicon Valley	Bay Area
Woodland Community College	Yuba	Greater Sacramento	North/Far North



Listing by Macroregion

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Bay Area	Berkeley City College Cabrillo College Cañada College Chabot College City College of San Francisco College of Alameda College of Marin College of San Mateo Contra Costa College De Anza College Diablo Valley College Evergreen Valley College Foothill College Gavilan College Hartnell College Laney College Las Positas College Los Medanos College Merritt College Mission College Monterey Peninsula College Napa Valley College Ohlone College San Francisco Community College Centers San Jose City College Santa Rosa Junior College Skyline College Solano Community College West Valley College
Central Valley-Mother Lode	Bakersfield College Cerro Coso Community College Clovis College College of the Sequoias Columbia College Fresno City College Madera College Merced College Modesto Junior College Porterville College



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Inland Empire	<p>Barstow College Chaffey College College of the Desert Copper Mountain Community College Crafton Hills College Moreno Valley College Mt. San Jacinto College Norco College Palo Verde College Riverside City College San Bernardino Valley College Victor Valley Community College</p>
Los Angeles-Orange County	<p>Cerritos College Citrus College Coastline Community College Cypress College East Los Angeles College El Camino College El Camino College Compton Center Fullerton College Glendale College Golden West College Irvine Valley College Long Beach City College Los Angeles City College Los Angeles Harbor College Los Angeles Mission College Los Angeles Pierce College Los Angeles Southwest College Los Angeles Trade-Technical College Los Angeles Valley College Mt. San Antonio College North Orange Adult Division Orange Coast College Pasadena City College Rio Hondo College</p>



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North-Far North	American River College Butte College College of the Redwoods College of the Siskiyous Cosumnes River College Feather River College Folsom Lake College Lake Tahoe Community College Lassen College Mendocino College Sacramento City College Shasta College Sierra College Woodland College Yuba College
San Diego-Imperial	Cuyamaca College Grossmont College Imperial Valley College MiraCosta College Palomar College San Diego City College San Diego Continuing Education San Diego Mesa College San Diego Miramar College Southwestern College
South Central Coast	Allan Hancock College Antelope Valley College College of the Canyons Cuesta College Moorpark College Oxnard College Santa Barbara City College Ventura College
Unassigned	CalBright College



Listing by Microregion

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East Bay	Berkeley City College Chabot College College of Alameda Contra Costa College Diablo Valley College Laney College Las Positas College Los Medanos College Merritt College Ohlone College
Greater Sacramento	American River College Cosumnes River College Folsom Lake College Lake Tahoe Community College Sacramento City College Sierra College Woodland College Yuba College
Inland Empire	Barstow College Chaffey College College of the Desert Copper Mountain Community College Crafton Hills College Moreno Valley College Mt. San Jacinto College Norco College Palo Verde College Riverside City College San Bernardino Valley College Victor Valley Community College
Los Angeles	Cerritos College Citrus College East Los Angeles College El Camino College El Camino College Compton Center Glendale College Long Beach City College Los Angeles City College Los Angeles Harbor College Los Angeles Mission College Los Angeles Pierce College



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Mid-Peninsula	<p>Cañada College City College of San Francisco College of San Mateo San Francisco Community College Centers Skyline College</p>
North Bay	<p>College of Marin Napa Valley College Santa Rosa Junior College Solano Community College</p>
Northern Central Valley-Mother Lode	<p>Columbia College Merced College Modesto Junior College San Joaquin Delta College</p>
Northern Coastal	<p>College of the Redwoods Mendocino College</p>
Northern Inland	<p>Butte College College of the Siskiyous Feather River College Lassen College Shasta College</p>
Orange County	<p>Coastline Community College Cypress College Fullerton College Golden West College Irvine Valley College North Orange Adult Division Orange Coast College Saddleback College Santa Ana College Santiago Canyon College</p>
San Diego-Imperial	<p>Cuyamaca College Grossmont College</p>



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Santa Cruz-Monterey	<p>Cabrillo College Hartnell College Monterey Peninsula College</p>
Silicon Valley	<p>De Anza College Evergreen Valley College Foothill College Gavilan College Mission College San Jose City College West Valley College</p>
South Central Coast	<p>Allan Hancock College Antelope Valley College College of the Canyons Cuesta College Moorpark College Oxnard College Santa Barbara City College Ventura College</p>
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Unassigned	<p>Calbright College</p>