



COLLEGE OVERVIEW

Rio Hondo College first opened its doors to the community in 1963, and has served more than one million students on its hillside campus and at satellite educational centers. More than 20,000 students enroll each semester in a wide variety of transfer preparation courses and in career and technical programs.

Today, more than 1,000 employees, including faculty members, counselors and staff, help students reach their educational goals. Rio Hondo College is committed to student success by providing resources to support student achievement and increase educational outcomes. One example is the First-Year Success Center, which offers first-time college students resources to help them thrive and succeed in the first critical year of higher education.

In May 2014, Rio Hondo College was selected as one of 24 community colleges statewide to be a Law School Pathway college in partnership with six law schools in California. In fall 2014, Rio Hondo College launched the Law School Pathway initiative and created the first cohort of students interested in pursuing legal careers. As part of this program, Rio Hondo College has already created a pre-law club, hosted a panel of attorneys and invited guest speakers including Congresswoman Linda Sanchez.

Students may select from among 18 associate degrees for transfer, 49 associate degree programs and 56 certificate programs of study.

In 2014, Rio Hondo College awarded 1,210 degrees and certificates of achievement, including degrees to new members of the health care workforce, both registered and licensed vocational nurses. Additionally, the new Certified Nurse Assistant program provided more new employees to help meet regional health care worker needs.

Rio Hondo College was recently named as one of 15 California community college granted initial approval by the California Community Colleges Board of Governors to offer a four-year degree as part of a historic statewide pilot program. The College proposed creating a Bachelors of Science degree in Automotive Technology that would position students for jobs in the automotive field and comparable posts at sea and rail transit companies. The program is anticipated to launch by 2017-18.

The College fields 14 intercollegiate athletic teams, and is home to an active student government organization that supports a vibrant college environment and sponsors an eclectic assortment of clubs and interest groups.

As Rio Hondo College enters its final phase of a major \$245 million facilities bond construction program modernizing the campus for 21st Century teaching and learning, the College is equipped and prepared to better serve students in contemporary and technologically advanced learning environments. The two satellite educational centers in South Whittier and El Monte have brought essential college classes to the more remote parts in the College service areas.



Associate Degree for Transfer

A Degree with a Guarantee.™

Associate in Science Degree for Transfer (AS-T) in:

- Administration of Justice
- Business Administration
- Early Childhood Education
- Mathematics
- Physics

Associate in Arts Degree for Transfer (AA-T) in:

- Anthropology
- Art History
- Communication Studies
- English
- History
- Journalism
- Kinesiology
- Political Science
- Psychology
- Sociology
- Spanish
- Studio Arts
- Theatre Arts

ASSOCIATE OF ARTS & ASSOCIATE OF SCIENCE DEGREES

Arts & Cultural Programs

- Animation
- Art
- Commercial Art
- Music
- Photography
- Theatre Arts

Behavioral & Social Sciences

- Chicano Studies
- Child Development
- Drug Studies
- Philosophy

Business

- Accounting
- Business Administration
- Business Marketing
- Computer Information Technology:
 - Computer Systems
 - Computer Information Technology: Microcomputer Specialist
- International Business
- Logistics Management
- Management and Supervision
- Small Business/Entrepreneurialism

Career & Technical Education

- Advanced Engine Performance
- Alternative Energy Technology
- Alternative Fuels/Advanced Transportation Technology
- Architecture
- Architectural Design & Drawing
- Automotive Collision Repair & Painting
- Automotive Technology
- Civil Design Technology
- Electronics Technology
- Engineering Design Drafting
- Heavy Equipment Technology
- Honda Professional Career Training Program Specialization (PACT)
- Welding Technology

Communications & Languages

- English and Literature
- Mass Communications: Mass Media
- Mass Communications: Print Media

Health Science & Nursing

- Nursing
- Associate Degree Nursing
- Vocational Nursing

Mathematics & Sciences

- Biology
- Environmental Science
- Environmental Technology

Public Safety

- Administration of Justice
- Corrections
- Fire Technology
- Wildland Fire Technology

General Studies

- Emphasis in Arts and Human Expression
- Emphasis in Social Behavior and Self-Development
- Emphasis in Social Sciences
- Emphasis in Science and Mathematics

BOARD OF TRUSTEES

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CERTIFICATES OF ACHIEVEMENT

Behavioral & Social Sciences

- Child Development
- Drug Studies
- Preschool Teacher

Business

- Accounting
- Business Marketing
- Computer Information Technology:
 - Computer Systems
 - Computer Information Technology: Microcomputer Specialist
- International Business
- Logistics Management
- Management & Supervision
- Retail Management
- Small Business/Entrepreneurialism

Career & Technical Education

- Advanced Engine Performance
- Advanced Engine Performance-Technician
- Alternative Energy Technology
- Alternative Fuels & Advanced Transportation Technology
- Architectural Design & Drawing - Technician
- Automotive Collision Repair & Painting
- Brake and Suspension Service
- Civil Design & Drawing
- Civil Design Technology
- Diesel Fuel & Emission Systems
- Electronics Technology
- Engine Repair
- Engineering Design Drafting – Technician
- Fuel Injection Systems
- General Automotive Service
- General Service Technician
- Geographic Information Systems
- Heavy Equipment Service Technician - Specialist
- Honda/Acura Air Conditioning and Supplemental Restraint Systems
- Honda/Acura Brakes, Suspension, and Electronic Systems
- Honda/Acura Engine Repair and Chassis Electrical Systems
- Honda/Acura Power Train and Transmission Systems
- Safety, Comfort and Convenience Systems
- Surveying, Mapping & Drawing
- Transmission Service
- Welding Technology

Communications & Languages

- Mass Communications: Mass Media
- Mass Communications: Print Media

Mathematics & Sciences

- Environmental Technology

Health Science & Nursing

- Nursing

Kinesiology, Dance, and Athletics

- Fitness Specialist

Public Safety

- Fire Technology
- Wildland Fire Technology

CAREER CERTIFICATE

Business

- Accounting for Government & Non-profit Organizations

Health Science & Nursing

- Certified Nurse Assistant Acute Care
- Home Health Aide
- Nurse Assistant Pre-Certification Training Course

Kinesiology, Dance, and Athletics

- Athletic Trainer's Aide

Public Safety

- Basic Police Training

CERTIFICATE OF SKILL PROFICIENCY

Business

- Computerized Accounting
- Income Tax Preparer

Behavioral & Social Sciences

- Human Services

Public Safety

- Emergency Medical Technician

Arts and Cultural Programs

- Game Development

MISSION STATEMENT

“Rio Hondo College is committed to the success of its diverse students and communities by providing dynamic educational opportunities and resources that lead to associate degrees, certificates, transfer, career and technical pathways, basic skills proficiency, and lifelong learning.”

STUDENT PROFILE – FALL 2014

Degrees & Certificates (2013-2014)

| PROGRAM AWARDS | TOTAL |
|----------------------------------|--------------|
| Associate Degrees | 992 |
| Chancellor-Approved Certificates | 218 |
| Total Program Awards | 1,210 |

Data Source: CCCCCO Data Mart (1/16/2015)

Enrollment Status (Fall 2014)

| STATUS | TOTAL | PERCENT |
|------------|--------|---------|
| Full-Time | 4,143 | 19.9% |
| Part-Time | 13,686 | 65.9% |
| Non-Credit | 2,942 | 14.2% |

Gender (Fall 2014)

| GENDER | TOTAL | PERCENT |
|--------|--------|---------|
| Female | 8,638 | 42.5% |
| Male | 11,698 | 57.5% |

Age (Fall 2014)

| AGE | TOTAL | PERCENT |
|------------|-------|---------|
| 18 & under | 1,679 | 8.1% |
| 19 - 24 | 9,753 | 47.0% |
| 25 - 29 | 3,236 | 15.6% |
| 30 - 34 | 1,779 | 8.6% |
| 35 - 39 | 1,159 | 5.6% |
| 40 - 49 | 1,710 | 8.2% |
| 50 & over | 1,454 | 7.0% |

Median Age: 23

Ethnicity (Fall 2014)

| ETHNICITY | TOTAL | PERCENT |
|--------------------------------|--------|---------|
| African-American | 630 | 2.37% |
| American Indian/Alaskan Native | 70 | 0.26% |
| Asian | 1,914 | 7.20% |
| Filipino | 377 | 1.42% |
| Hispanic | 18,600 | 69.99% |
| Multi-Ethnicity | 222 | 0.84% |
| Pacific Islander | 47 | 0.18% |
| Unknown | 2,085 | 7.85% |
| White Non-Hispanic | 2,630 | 9.90% |

California Community Colleges Chancellor's Office Student Enrollment Status Summary Report

Educational Goal (Fall 2014)

| GOAL | TOTAL | PERCENT |
|-----------------------------------|-------|---------|
| Vocational Degree/Certificate | 506 | 3.1% |
| 2-Year Associate Degree | 1,168 | 7.2% |
| Associate & Transfer to 4-Year | 7,539 | 46.5% |
| Transfer to 4-Year w/o Associate | 2,077 | 12.8% |
| 4-Year College Student Concurrent | 552 | 3.4% |
| Educational Development | 526 | 3.2% |
| Career Development/Job Skills | 2,017 | 12.4% |
| Undecided on Goal | 1,825 | 11.3% |

Data Source: Banner/Cognos (except as noted)

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