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# Welcome

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Welcome to Río Hondo College, where dedication to our students and communities is the foundation of our educational mission.

Río Hondo College prides itself on providing unparalleled instruction and support services for all students. We stand by our students of all circumstances and backgrounds. We support all students and respectfully serve former foster youth, undocumented students, single parents, students impacted by the justice system, LGBTQ, veterans, and embrace students experiencing homelessness and food scarcity.

Whether you study on campus or online, Río Hondo College provides a rigorous and robust course of study for students who plan to transfer to four-year universities, those seeking advancement in their career fields, and those exploring new careers.

We are one of the few community colleges in California that offers a Bachelor of Science degree, a Pathway to Law School program, and nationally recognized academies in policing and firefighting. We also offer renowned programs in nursing and in alternative automotive technology.

We offer a rich array of services and resources for students who struggle with food insecurity, homelessness, and other potential barriers to achieving their goals – another element of our commitment to ensuring success for all members of our community.

A rewarding and diverse campus community completes the experience for our students who are looking to build connections with each other, stellar faculty, and dedicated staff as they develop their skills and pursue their passions.

Río Hondo faculty, staff and administrators invite you to explore all that the College has to offer and wish you the best on your educational journey!