



West Valley College



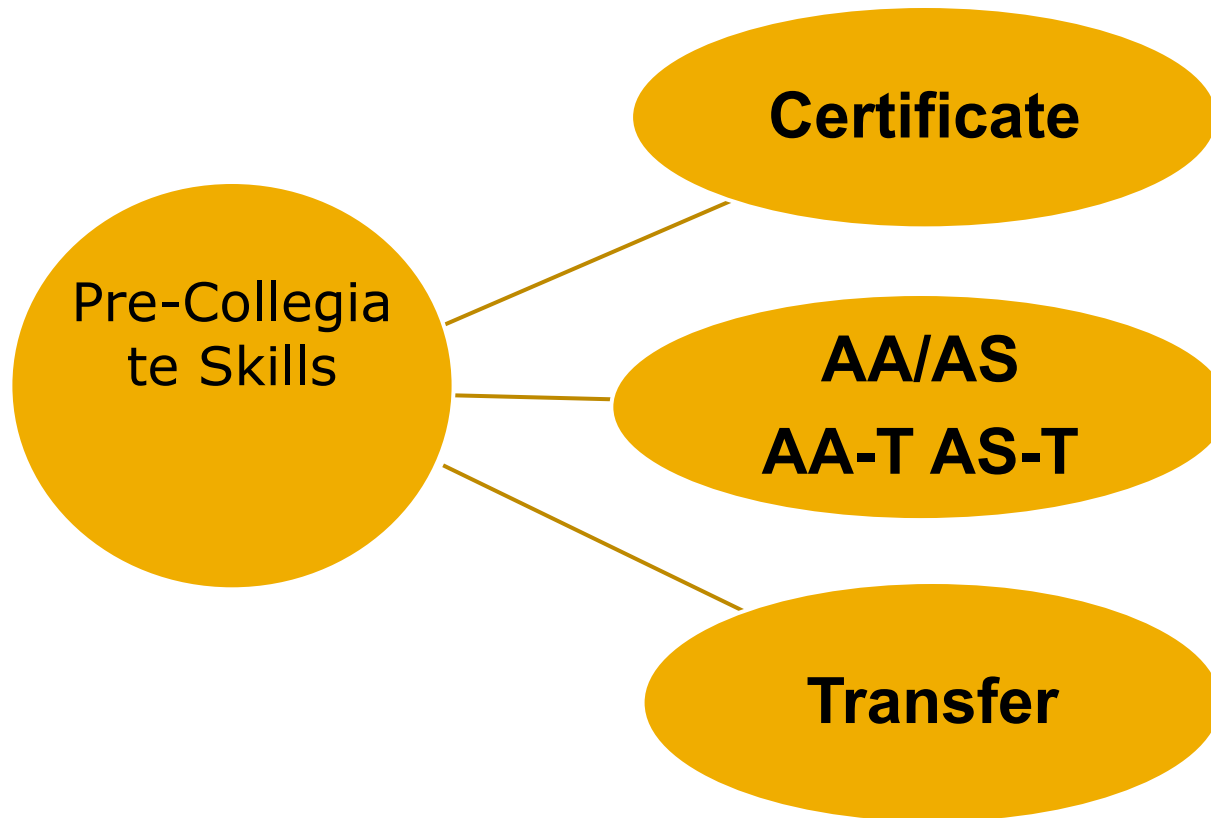


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Mission:

- West Valley College Community supports students along their pathways to reach transfer and career goals in an environment of academic excellence.

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ADT Degrees



AB 705

No more
placement
exams

Guided Self
Placement

New Math
& English
support

AB 705 Support

- Just-In-Time Support Classes
- DESP Support Labs
- Tutoring
 - Success Center
 - Math Resource Center
 - TRIO

Academic Expectations

- Maintain a 2.0 GPA
- Effective time management
- Successful completion of classes
- Study 2-3 hours outside of class for each hour in class
- Identify and use free on-campus resources when needed

Disability and Educational Support Program West Valley College



Services Offered

1. Counseling Services
2. Learning Disability Services
3. Alternate Media/Assistive Technology Services
4. Support Services

Counseling Services

- Academic Counseling
 - For degrees and transferring.
- Personal Counseling
 - Disability Management and liaison to college and community resources.
- Career
 - Individual counseling to facilitate career decision making.



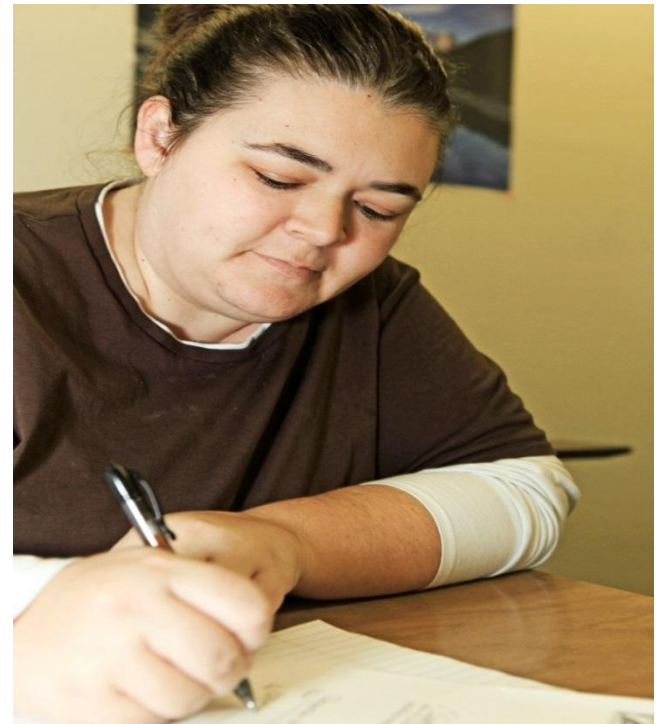
Learning Disability Services

- Assessment
 - Assessment for Learning Disabilities
- Courses
 - Basic Writing
 - Basic Math
 - Learning Strategies
 - Support Classes for College Math and English Courses



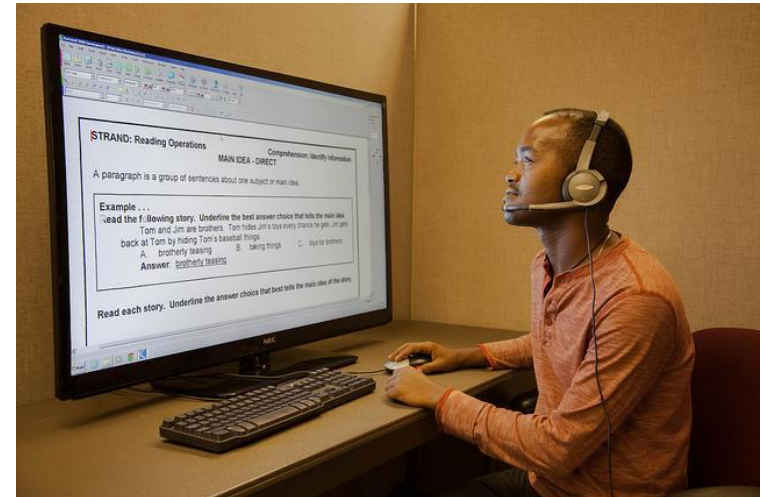
Support Services

- note takers
- test assistance
- real-time captioners
- sign language interpreters
- special equipment loan:
for ex: recorder; calculator
- adaptive furniture



Alternate Media/Assistive Technology Services

- ▣ Text to Speech Software
- ▣ Textbooks in Digital Format
- ▣ Equipment Loan: for ex. Smart Pens; iPads
- ▣ Drop-in Computer Lab for Students



Adapted Physical Education

- Non-credit PE courses are offered for students with temporary or permanent disability



Courses Offered

- Learning Strategies Course
- Basic Skills Courses in Reading, Writing, Math
- Adapted Physical Education

LRSV 001

Disability and
Educational Support
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Learning Strategies for College and Life

- Test taking skills
- Note-taking to increase effectiveness in and out of the classroom
- Transfer CSU: Area E & UC elective
- WVC Degree Applicable



LRSV 941C

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Effective Essay Writing

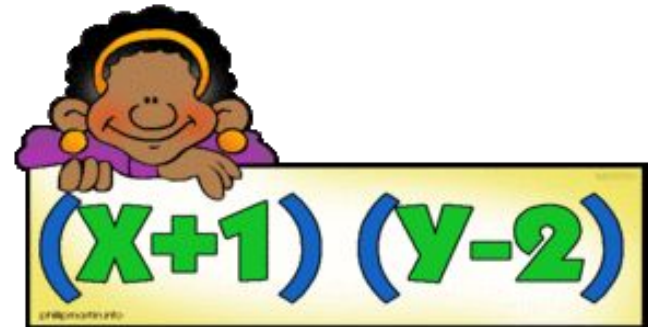
- Students learn essay development and organization
- Equivalent to Eng 905
- Upon successful completion: students move on to English 1A



LRSV 945

Elementary Algebra Skills & Strategies

- Focuses on beginning algebra skills
- Equivalent to Math 903
- Successful completion moves on to college math classes



LRSV 943A

Writing Support Lab A

- For students enrolled in English 1A
- Learning strategies where reading and writing difficulties are stressed



LRSV 931B

Math Support

- Helping students enrolled in Math 945 & 106.
- Learning strategies for algebraic and other mathematical course work.



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