

About the College

Irvine Valley College, since its founding in 1979, has distinguished itself as a premier college from which to transfer. Known for its outstanding quality of instruction, distinguished faculty and small college atmosphere, IVC also offers innovative occupational and professional training. More than 13,000 students currently attend IVC, including 400 international students representing over 46 countries. The College is fully accredited by the Western Association of Schools and Colleges.

Endless Possibilities

Outside the classroom, Irvine Valley College provides students with endless possibilities to get involved in learning experiences, such as:

- Participating in student government.
- Performing in jazz, wind or guitar ensembles, the Masterworks Chorale or major theatrical productions.
- Exhibiting in the College Art Gallery.
- Joining one or several of 25+ clubs that meet every interest, including the international honor society, Phi Theta Kappa, and the Chess Club.
- Participating in co-curricular programs, including the Honors Program, award-winning Model United Nations, renowned Speech and Debate team, and the Administration of Justice team.
- Watching or playing championship intercollegiate sports, including: volleyball, golf, baseball, basketball, tennis, soccer and badminton.

Further Information:

Check out www.ivc.edu or give us a call. We are here to help you get started!

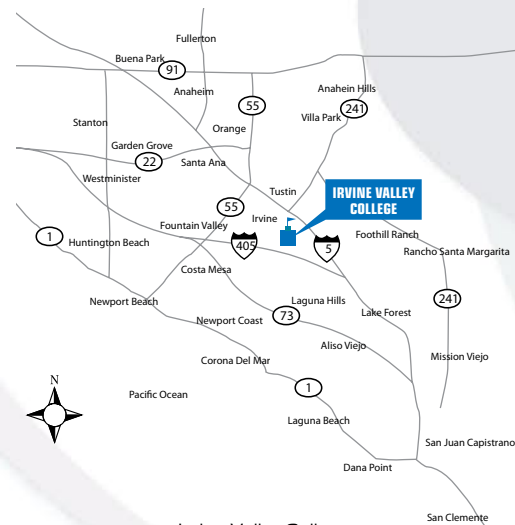
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IRVINE VALLEY COLLEGE COMPARISON CHECKLIST

	IVC	CSU	UC
Distinguished Faculty	✓	✓	✓
Small Class Size	✓		
Convenient Schedules	✓		
No SATs	✓		
Honors Programs	✓	✓	✓
Career Training	✓		
Transfer Success *	✓		
Ease of Enrollment	✓		
Active Student Life	✓	✓	✓
Low Annual Fees **	\$650	\$2,900	\$7,000
Financial Aid	✓	✓	✓
Support Services	✓	✓	✓

* About 60% of CSU grads and 40% of UC grads begin their studies at community colleges!

** For California residents. Excludes books, parking, room, board, and miscellaneous fees.



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From the Presidents to Parents and Students

"Research has shown that parents are the most influential factor in a student's decision about college. It's important you feel confident that Irvine Valley College is the right choice for your son or daughter. Our focus has always been on the success of our students. We have developed our curriculum with the strict expectation that our graduates will exceed the requirements they need to enter the university or workforce."

Glenn R. Roquemore, Ph.D.
President, Irvine Valley College

"There is something very special about the personal relationships between students and faculty at Irvine Valley College. Together we create our futures."

Nina Nawabi
President, Associated Students of IVC
Major: Pre-med
Transfer Plans: CSU Long Beach

Famous Community College Graduates Include:

- Tom Hanks—Oscar-Winning Actor
- Clint Eastwood—Actor and Oscar-winning Director
- Fred Haise—Apollo 13 Astronaut
- Eileen Collins—First Female Space Shuttle Astronaut
- Arthur Goldberg—Supreme Court Justice
- H. Ross Perot—Corporate Executive/Presidential Candidate
- Francine Neff—Former U.S. Treasurer
- Melvin Salvenson—Creator of MasterCard
- Walt Disney—Founder of Disneyland/Disney World
- Natalie Merchant—Recording Artist
- Rita Mae Brown—Author
- Brian Williams—NBC Broadcast News Anchor

Don't just take our word about the academic excellence of Irvine Valley College. Meet some of our students, and their faculty mentors, who have begun a journey through higher education as a part of the supportive IVC family, which genuinely cares about their success. Our graduates transfer to institutions worldwide and have reported success rates higher than those of other community college students.



An Honorable Advantage

Navid Nakhaee
Major: History, Honors Program
Transfer Plans: UC Berkeley or UCLA

"Since starting at IVC, I feel that I am on top of my schooling for the first time in my life. Academics weren't my priority in high school. Being a part of the Honors Program at IVC provided an environment for me to enrich myself intellectually. The faculty here are really amazing!"

Navid attended IVC while still a student at University High in Irvine. In the spring semester of his senior year he took two additional courses at IVC. Since his graduation last June he has been enrolled at the College full-time, earning an almost perfect GPA while competing on the Speech and Debate team and participating in Model UN activities.

Professor Dorothy Sherling
IVC Honors Program Director

"The Honors Program is a tremendous inspiration for me. Our students' lives are significantly changed in a positive way. Our faculty pour their energies into this program and reap the rewards of seeing students' intellectual curiosity, creativity and leadership skills both challenged and rewarded."



Bravo, Bravo!

Megan Lynne Pace
Major: Music, Vocal Performance
Transfer Plans: CSU Fullerton

"The music program is this gem. I get tons of personal attention that I wouldn't get at a four year school. The teachers here are very qualified and intelligent." Megan tries to train at least one hour a day, in between school and a part time job. She was recently selected to sing in the elite vocal competition, Opera 100, one of only 15 singers chosen from several universities and colleges.



Linda Leyrer, applied music voice teacher, and music instructor Dr. Janice Wyma:

"Megan is our little diva."

Nick Hartman
Instrument: Clarinet
Major: Music
Transfer Plans: CSU Fullerton

"Stephen Rochford is a great professor. He keeps tabs on all the music majors, looks out for us and has our best interests at heart."

Taryn Bruette
Instrument: Flute and Piccolo
Major: Communications
Transfer Plans: CSU Fullerton

"IVC is awesome and the professors are extremely helpful. You learn a lot but have fun doing it. I feel ready to go to university."



Crystal Holtzendorff
Instrument: Clarinet
Major: Business Management
Transfer Plans: CSU Northridge



"My instructors are university quality and outstanding at what they do. At IVC classes are small enough to allow a lot of interaction which provides a platform for a great learning experience. I like that almost everything can be done online because I work full-time and go to school part-time."

A new \$31 million Performing Arts Center is under construction to provide a 53,000 square-foot comprehensive learning environment for choral, theater and instrumental music students.

"I'm a big believer in city colleges and community colleges. I'm actually a product of a city college. It's had a tremendous effect on me."

—Governor Arnold Schwarzenegger on Feb. 23, 2006 as he announced the allocation of \$130 million to California community colleges



While you are registering for classes online at Irvine Valley College, you can sign up for classes at Saddleback College in Mission Viejo, too. Most class times are staggered, making the commute easy, and your parking permit is valid on both campuses.

Balancing Act: Academics and Competition

Brittney Crawford
Major: Undecided, but probably Sociology or Public Administration
Transfer Plans: Westmont College or Cal Poly, Pomona



"I came to IVC because I wanted to play basketball here. I knew I would be part of a new team and could grow with them. I also liked the small class sizes and the fact that IVC is known to be academically challenging. The faculty and coaches are terrific. They are always available and really hold students accountable. With all the help you receive from professors, coaches and tutors it is almost impossible not to have success."

Brittney is a two-year starter on the IVC women's basketball team, one of the top women's basketball programs in the state. With her sterling grade point average at Irvine High School, she would have been immediately accepted at a four-year university, but chose to attend IVC to continue her basketball career. She is now being recruited by four-year universities to take her game to the next level.

Julie Hanks
IVC Women's Basketball Coach

"We encourage our student athletes to excel and then help them to move on successfully. There's a school out there for anyone who wants to continue playing their sport, whether it's intercollegiate basketball, baseball, golf, soccer, tennis, badminton or volleyball."

