

WELCOME TO EAST LOS ANGELES COLLEGE



Whether you are here for the first time, or a continuing student, let me extend a warm welcome to the fall 2018 semester.

East Los Angeles College is your college. The faculty, staff, and administration welcome you and want to help you reach your goals. The resource centers (Writing Center, Math Lab, and Learning Assistance Center) are available to support your success. I encourage you to visit the resource centers and take advantage of the many workshops they have to offer.

Please visit a counselor to develop or update your Educational Plan. This is your map to guide you on the route to transfer, a career certificate, or specialized skills. If you come from a local high school, perhaps you have already taken some of our college-credit courses on your own campus. I can't stress enough that you must take charge of your education and plan ahead.

East is home to a variety of arts programs located in the Performing and Fine Arts Center. It is extraordinary that we have an on-campus museum housing a permanent collection of fine art. The Vincent Price Art Gallery has had a presence on campus for more than 50 years. In the Theatre Department, the campus has two stages and a black box to host a robust schedule of recitals as well as theatre performances by your fellow students and faculty. I encourage you take an opportunity to walk through the Vincent Price Art Gallery or visit one of the many music, dance or theatre performances.

Explore what ELAC has to offer and join the many clubs and organizations that the campus supports. No matter what you plan to achieve, we are here to help you achieve your goals.

Again, welcome to East Los Angeles College. Have a wonderful semester.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Marvin Martinez'. The signature is fluid and cursive, with a large initial 'M' and 'M'.

Marvin Martinez
President, East Los Angeles College