

# CalWORKs Newsletter





"Life starts all over again when it gets crisp in the fall."

- F. Scott Fitzgerald

## Support from Application to Graduation

# We want to hear from you! How is your Fall 2023 semester going?

Reaching out for assistance can make your college experience easier. CalWORKs students are encouraged to explore the resources, services and support groups available to you.

We look forward to serving you!

#### Call:

(951) 571-6154

#### Office:

Humanities Building, Second Floor, Room 223A

#### Virtual:

Webpage: mvc.edu/calworks Zoom Meeting ID: 95065168618

#### **Hours:**

Monday - Thursday: 8 am - 4:30 pm, Friday: 8 am - Noon

### Services We Offer

- Financial aid, academic, personal, and career counseling
- Student Education Plans
- Priority registration
- Computer lab with internet/printing capability
- Career pathway planning
- Assistance with resume, cover letters and interviewing
- Educational and occupational assessments
- Referrals to campus and community resources



CalWORKs student receiving educational supplies after priority registration.

### **Laptop Loans**

Eligible CalWORKs students can borrow a laptop from the CalWORKs program for a semester at a time. You can check out a laptop each semester, there is no limit. Your eligibility must be confirmed and a new agreement must be signed each and every semester.

If interested, follow this process:

- Send an email to "calworks@mvc.edu" stating that you would like to loan out a laptop and provide your First Name, Last Name, Student ID. Your eligibility will be confirmed.
- If confirmed eligible, you will receive an email with an Agreement and Signature request. Sign the agreement. Once the agreement is completed, you will receive a

- second email saying your laptop is ready for pick-up at the CalWORKs office.
- Mid-semester check of your laptop: bring in the laptop in so that CalWORKs staff can inspect it. This date is listed on your agreement.
- The laptop is DUE BACK on the last day of the semester. This date is listed on your agreement.

Eligibility Requirements: Current Proof of Cash Aid on file with the MVC CalWORKs office, Enrolled in at least one unit at MVC, Have a verified Unmet Financial Need.

FIRST COME, FIRST SERVED. WHILE SUPPLIES LAST.

## **Community Resources**

### Free and Low Cost Legal Aid

#### Inland Empire Latino Lawyer Association

2060 University Ave., Suite 113 Riverside, CA 92507 **Phone:** (951) 369-3009

#### **Riverside Legal Aid**

4129 Main Street, Suite 101 Riverside, CA 92501 **Phone:** (951) 682-7968

#### **Safe Family Justice Center**

3900 Orange Street Riverside, CA 92501 **Phone:** (951) 955-6100

### **Utility Assistance**

Catholic Charities is offering utility assistance and additional resources. Please contact for more information on services Contact number: (951) 689-1803 Address: 3020 Madison St., Riverside, CA 92504



## \$250 Stipend MovaLearns

Moreno Valley residents who are currently enrolled in classes at MVC may be eligible to receive a monthly cash stipend.

For more info, call (951) 413-3460

# **Dental Services** at Moreno Valley College

Services are provided for adults and children.

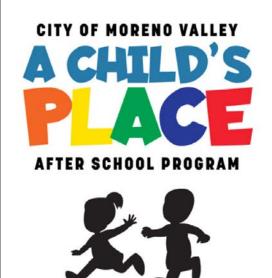
Call to schedule an appointment.

**Phone:** (951) 571-6435 **Webpage:** mvc.edu/dental-clinic

# Free College Fund 1st - 12th grade students

All participants receive a seed deposit in a CalKIDS account to help pay for future education after high school.

For eligibility, visit calkids.org.



Armada Elementary 25201 John F. Kennedy Dr. -Room #25 (951) 485-8365 LIC 334809653

Creekside Elementary 13563 Heacock Street -Room #32 (951) 697-8968 LIC 334816836

Rainbow Ridge Elementary 15950 Indian Street -Portable P-1 (951) 485-9846 LIC 334803516

Sunnymead Elementary 24050 Dracaea Avenue -Portable P-3 (951) 653-6537 LIC 334818292

August	Thursday August 31	Raising a Money Smart Child (Co-hosted by Credit.org)	Virtual	12:50 - 1:50 pm
September	Thursday September 7	CalWORKs Orientation/ Continuing Student Update	In-Person	10 am - 12:30 pm
	Tuesday September 12	Supporting Your Children's Wellness and Behaviors (Co-hosted by MVC Health Services)	Virtual	1 - 2 pm
	Wednesday September 13	CalWORKs Orientation/ Continuing Student Update	Virtual	Noon - 2:30 pm
	FRIDAYS	Student Parent Group: Peer-Led	Virtual & In-Person 1x/month	9:30 - 10:30 am
	Thursday September 14	Writing Your Scholarship Success Essay #1	Virtual	12:50 - 1:50 pm
	Wednesday September 20	Lunch with Terrie: Book Club	In-Person SAS #120/121	12:30 - 1:30 pm
	Wednesday September 27	Lunch with Terrie: Book Club	In-Person SAS #120/121	12:30 - 1:30 pm
	Thursday September 28	Essential Couponing (Co-hosted by Credit.org)	Virtual	12:50 - 1:50 pm
October	Tuesday October 3	Get to Know Your Personality (Co-hosted by MVC Health & Wellness)	Virtual	1 - 2 pm
	Wednesday October 4	Lunch with Terrie: Book Club	In-Person SAS #120/121	12:30 - 1:30 pm
	Wednesday October 11	Lunch with Terrie: Book Club	In-Person SAS #120/121	12:30 - 1:30 pm

# CalWORKs Workshops

For more information, visit our workshop webpage: mvc.edu/calworks-events

October (continued)	Wednesday October 11	CalWORKs Halloween Costume Drive Family Event	In-Person SAS #120/121	2 - 6 pm
	Thursday October 12	Writing Your Scholarship Success Essay #2	In-Person HM #319 (PC lab)	12:50 - 1:50 pm
	FRIDAYS	Student Parent Group: Peer-Led	Virtual & In-Person 1x/month	9:30 - 10:30 am
	Wednesday October 18	Career Spotlight on Nursing	Hybrid- Lib #205	11 am - 1 pm
	Wednesday October 18	Lunch with Terrie: Book Club	In-Person SAS #120/121	12:30 - 1:30 pm
	Wednesday October 25	Lunch with Terrie: Book Club	In-Person SAS #120/121	12:30 - 1:30 pm
	Thursday October 26	Surviving The Holidays (Co-hosted by Credit.org)	Virtual	12:50 - 1:50 pm
November	Wednesday November 1	Lunch with Terrie: Book Club	In-Person SAS #120/121	12:30 - 1:30 pm
	Tuesday November 7	Communicate with Confidence: Express Your Needs	Virtual	1 - 2 pm
	Thursday November 9	Writing Your Scholarship Success Essay #3	Virtual	12:50 - 1:50 pm
	Wednesday November 15	Lunch with Terrie: Book Club	In-Person SAS #120/121	12:30 - 1:30 pm
	FRIDAYS	Student Parent Group: Peer-Led	Virtual & In-Person 1x/month	9:30 - 10:30 am
	Wednesday November 29	Lunch with Terrie: Book Club	In-Person SAS #120/121	12:30 - 1:30 pm

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<b>November</b> continued	Wednesday November 29	Step by Step: Last Minute Completing CSU/UC Applications	Virtual	12:50 - 1:50 pm
	Thursday November 30	Understanding Credit Reports & Scores (Co-hosted by Credit.org)	Virtual	12:50 - 1:50 pm
December	Tuesday December 5	Managing Holiday Stress (Co-hosted by MVC Health Services)	Virtual	1 - 2 pm
	Wednesday December 6	Career Spotlight Topic TBA	Hybrid- SAS 101	12:30 - 2:30 pm
	Wednesday December 6	Lunch with Terrie: Book Club	In-Person SAS #120/121	12:30 - 1:30 pm
	FRIDAYS	Student Parent Group	Virtual & In-Person 1x/month	9:30 - 10:30 am
	Thursday December 7	Writing Your Scholarship Success Essay #4	In-Person PSC #18 (PC lab)	11:30 am - 12:30 pm



## Basic Needs Department

#### **Helping Students Thrive**

The Moreno Valley College Basic Needs department services include food, clothing, housing, and financial resources, and summarizes the essential elements that students need to thrive. Providing access to these needs serves to support student success and well-being.

Please visit the website for more information: https://mvc.edu/student-support/health-wellness/basic-needs/

### **Monty's Market at MVC**

Free food for students, no questions asked Monty's Market seeks to alleviate student challenges by gathering donations in response to the needs of our students. We are committed to fulfill the needs of MVC lions through food distribution and support services. Distributions are free to enrolled students in need.

Monty's Market was founded by the Human Services program and is managed by MVC's Basic Needs and Wellness team.

Monty's Market assists any currently enrolled MVC student who may be experiencing hardship or food insecurity. Students may receive one bag of food, household and hygiene products per week. Walkin shopping during market hours does not require registration, while pick-up and delivery distribution does.

#### **Monty's Market Hours:**

Monday: 10 am - 3 pm Tuesday: 10 am - 5 pm Wednesday: 10 am - 3 pm Thursday: CLOSED Friday: 9 am - Noon

Phone: (951) 571-6263 Location: PSC 17A



### **Clothing Closet at MVC**

Moreno Valley College's Clothing Closet provides students with the proper and professional clothing attire needed for an interview, career fair and first jobs. These services are available to students at no cost provided they complete the application and eligibility requirements. Students may browse our selection by appointment in PSC-17.

Call (951) 571-6250 to learn more.

## Career Exploration Tools

**Vita Navis** 

### **JobSpeaker**



Vitanavis will help you better understand yourself and how your strengths, interests, and values align to educational programs and potential career paths.

mvc.edu/go/vitanavis



Jobspeaker matches a student's classes, skills, and college major with current job opportunities and career-related activities happening on- and off-campus. Students and employers are welcome to leverage this powerful tool!

mvc.edu/go/jobspeaker

## **Community Events**

### **Moreno Valley Regional Job Fair**

Regional job fair with 70+ employers from Moreno Valley and the Inland Empire.

**Dates:** 

**Thursday, September 21** 

Time:

9 am - 1 pm

**Location:** 

14075 Frederick St., Moreno Valley, CA 92553

### **Day of the Dead Celebration**

Enjoy food and drinks from vendors and view altar displays.

Date:

Friday, October 27

Time:

6 -10 pm

**Location:** 

14075 Frederick St., Moreno Valley, CA 92553



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