

Education

BUTTE COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE

Butte College is a two-year community college that provides Associates of Art degree, Associates of Science degrees, and Certificates. The college is open to anyone who is over 18 years of age, including new and returning students, and high-school students. There is Financial Aid for those who qualify, as well as programs to help those who are economically and academically disadvantaged.

PROGRAMS:

Transfer Degree and Major Programs

Students who are wishing to transfer to a University can take G.E. courses that meet the requirements to transfer. They can also take major courses that would apply to their major at a University. These programs guarantee course equivalency between Butte College and most four-year universities.

Career and Technical Education Programs

These programs are design to prepare the students for a career or an occupation. The programs offer training in selected career fields. Many of the Certificates of Achievements combined with G.E. courses can lead to an Associate's Degree. There are specialty courses that offer re-certification in many fields.

Certificate of Achievements:

Students in these programs want to take all their courses in specialized employment preparatory courses. They can enter the workforce after they received their certificate or take additional courses to receive an Associate's Degree.

Other Certificates

There are other certificates that are given to students who are taking short-term courses or short-term programs.

LOCATION:

3536 Butte Campus Dr, Oroville, California 95965
530-895-2511
www.butte.edu

SERVICES

Financial Aid Office: 530-895-2311 M-F 7:30-3

- Provides financial aid help to students who qualify. Types of financial aid available are grants, loans, work-study programs, and scholarships. Fee waivers include the BOG (Board of Governors'), Remedial Course Fee Waiver, and Part-time High-school Student Fee Waiver.

Partners for Formerly Incarcerated People

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EOPS (Extended Opportunity Program and Services): 530-895-2555 M-F 8-5

- Provides services to students who are economically and academically disadvantaged. Services include priority registration, textbook credits, education equipments such as calculators, counseling, tutoring, emergency loans, application fee waivers to universities, assistance with childcare expenses, copier services, and low-cost computer purchase program.

CARE (Cooperative Agencies Resources Education): 530-895-2555 M-F 8-5

- CARE is a program through EOPS that provides services to single parents receiving CalWORKS or TANF. Additional support is given to these students so that they can obtain their degree and/or marketable job skills. Students are assisted with childcare expenses, workshops, counseling, free cap and gown, free refurbished computers, and referrals to community-base services.

ESL CLASSES (English as a Second-language) 530-895-2872

- English-classes are offered in the evening at the Chico Center, Gridley High School, Durham Elementary, and Orland High. Morning classes are offered at the Main Campus. The Butte Vocational ESL are offered at the Community Employment Centers in Oroville and Chico in the mornings and Chapman Elementary and Gridley High in the evenings.

CAS (Center for Academic Success) 530-895-2386

- CAS teaches skills and strategies to help students achieve their academic goals. Services include tutoring, workshops, skills-building courses, drop-in computer labs, group study, and individual study guide sessions.

CAREER SERVICES: 530-895-2340 M-F 8-5 PM

- Provides services and programs to assist students in career life planning. The Career Center assist students in counseling, career planning workshops, life planning courses, computer lab, occupational research, and a career library.

JOB PLACEMENT AND COOPERATIVE EDUCATION:

- Programs within the Career Center that assist students in employment by providing employers with qualified applicants, providing students job information, job search, interview assistance, and resume. Assist students in obtaining opportunities for internships.

NEW HORIZONS: 530-895-2396

- Assists single parents and displaced homemakers who are enrolled in Career and Technical Programs.

BUTTE COLLEGE CALWORKS PROGRAM:

- Serves eligible students by assisting them to complete their educational goals, find meaningful employment, and successful transition to the workforce.

CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY, CHICO

CSU, Chico is a four year university located in Chico, CA. It provides education programs for first-time students, continuing students, returning students, international students, and graduate students. There are over 300 under-graduate and graduate academic programs offered. Financial Aid is available for those who qualify.

PROGRAMS:

College of Agriculture

College of Behavioral and Social Sciences

College of Business

College of Communication and Education

College of Engineering, Computer Science, and Construction Management

College of Humanities and Fine Arts

College of Natural Science

School of Graduate, International, and Interdisciplinary Studies

Regional and Continuing Education

LOCATION:

400 WEST FIRST STREET

CHICO, CA 95926

530-898-4428

www.csuchico.edu

SERVICES:

FINANCIAL AID: 530-898-6451

- Provide financial assistance to those who qualify. Types of aid include Federal Pell Grant, Cal Grant, Scholarships, Loans, and Work-Study.

CENTER FOR REGIONAL AND CONTINUING EDUCATION:

- Provide programs in development and management, professional continuing education, relic ensure certification, distanced education and online program development. Course can be taking for credit or non-credit.

CAREER CENTER: 530-898-5253

- Assist students and Alumni in career development through career fairs, assistance with resumes and cover letters, assistance with finding internships, provide students with job search tool, and assist students with choosing a major.

EOP (Educational Opportunity Program):

- Provides services to economically disadvantage students and first-time college students.

DISABILITY SUPPORT SERVICES:

- Increase access for students with disabilities

MESA (MATHEMATICS ENGINEERING AND SCIENCE ACHIEVEMENT PROGRAM):

- A program that serves educationally disadvantaged students with an emphasis on students from groups with low rates of college eligibility so that they can excel in the math and science field in four-year institutions.

STUDENT LEARNING CENTER:

- Provide a variety of workshops, such as note-taking and test-taking strategies

STUDENT HEALTH CENTER

- Outpatient medical care clinic that provides medical care to students

BUTTE COUNTY REGIONAL OCCUPATIONAL PROGRAM (ROP)

In collaboration with local schools and businesses, ROP prepares people for work by assisting youths and adults in developing marketable skills, work ethics, job training, and guidance. Classes are taught by skilled instructors and provide students with real work experience through internships.

LOCATION:

2491 CARMICHAEL DRIVE
CHICO, CA
530-879-7457
<http://www.bcoe.org/rop/>

SERVICES:

- Job skills
- Job skills upgrading
- Skilled instructors
- Career guidance,
- On the job experience
- Certificate of Proficiency
- Preparation of state/national board certifications

BUTTE COUNTY LIBRARY-LITERACY AND READING PROGRAMS

Provides programs such as adult reading, family literacy, and bilingual literacy programs

LOCATION:

1820 MITCHELL AVE
OROVILLE, CA 95966
530-538-7525

FOUR WINDS INDIAN EDUCATION CENTER

Assist Native Americans through services such as family literacy and GED preparation, teen pregnancy prevention, cultural classes, and obesity prevention

LOCATION:

2345 FAIR STREET
CHICO, CA 95928

OROVILLE ADULT EDUCATION

An educational and technical center that provides academic and vocational programs to youths and adults who want to succeed.

LOCATION:

78 TABLE MOUNTAIN
OROVILLE, CA 95966
www.oroilleadulted.com

SERVICES:

- **ACADEMIC PROGRAMS:** High school Diploma, GED program, computer applications, job readiness, ESL program, Adult Basic Education, Career Exploration.
- **VOCATIONAL PROGRAM:** Includes Office Technology, Computer Repair, A+ Certification, Medical Assistant, Certified Nurse Assistant, Accounting Clerk, Administrative Assistance, Business Apps, CAD, Welding.
- **ESL/VESL/CITIZENSHIP:** Class is for everyone, regardless of legal status and are open to all level.
- **ARTS/HOBBIES:** Programs are design for those who want to learn or master arts and crafts.
- **DANCE/FITNESS:** Classes to increase a healthier lifestyle.

PARADISE ADULT SCHOOL

The school offers the opportunities for adults to obtain the coursework that is equivalent to the high-school diploma. Students will study independently.

LOCATION:

622 PEARSON RD
PARADISE, CA 95969
530-872-6440
www.bcoe.org/home/districts/paradise.htm

THERMALITO FAMILY INVOLVMENT AND LITERACY CENTER

The center provides family literacy programs and parent education classes for those involved. They also provide adult education, ESL classes, GED prep courses, and after school programs for children. The center has a resource library that can be access.

LOCATION:

2075 POPLAR AVE
OROVILLE, CA 95966
530-538-2950

CHICO BEAUTY COLLEGE

The school is an affiliation of Butte College. It provides training in the field of cosmetology.

LOCATION:

1356 LONGFELLOW DRIVE
CHICO, CA 95926
530-343-4201

ONLINE EDUCATION

University of Phoenix
www.phoenix.edu

DeVry University
www.choosedevry.com

Remington College
www.remingtoncollegeonline.edu

Everest College
www.everestonline.edu

ITT Technical Institute
www.itt-tech.edu

Greenville Technical College
www.college-online.com

AIU
www.aiuniv.edu

Westwood College
www.westwood.edu

*If you want to do your own search online, you can go to www.onlinedegrees.com