



Spring 2021  
Community College  
Courses Opportunities

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**Who:** Juniors and seniors from DVC, DVD, and DVS

**What:** College courses at Da Vinci, through El Camino College. Courses meet transfer requirements for all Cal State and U.C. campuses, as well as most private colleges and universities.

**Why:** Get a start on your college credits! It looks great on your college applications.

**Cost:** Free! The state of California and Da Vinci Schools pick up the costs, including text book fees. Donations to help cover the cost of the textbooks from families that are able to are appreciated.

**Where:** Classes will be held virtually and are asynchronous on canvas, the El Camino College student portal due to COVID-19.

**BIOL 15 - Environmental Aspects of Biology  
(Asynchronous Online Class)**

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Basic ecological and biological principles and concepts are emphasized in the study of the structure and function of ecosystems. Major ecological problems such as overpopulation, resource depletion and food production are related to endangered species and habitat degradation. Environmental pollution of air and water resources is considered in local areas as well as national and international situations. Air quality and global warming issues are considered. Students are encouraged to participate in local activities addressing environmental problems and restoring and improving local habitats.

*3 units; 3 hours lecture*

*Transfer CSU, UC*

*Strat Date: Tuesday, February 16, 2021*

*Professor: Travis Ramp*

**BUS 25 - Introduction to Business  
(Asynchronous Online Class)**

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This course is a survey of organization and management factors influencing the establishment, location, and operation of businesses. This course emphasizes the functional area of accounting as well as the legal framework within which business activities are conducted. The course also emphasizes the principles of Total Quality Management (TQM) in a multicultural and globalized environment.

*3 units; 3 hours lecture*

*Transfer CSU, UC*

*Strat Date: Tuesday, February 16, 2021*

*Professor: Demoner, G.*

<b>ESTU 3 - The Chicano in Contemporary United States Society (Asynchronous Online Classes)</b>	<b>POLI 1 - Governments of the United States and California (Asynchronous Online Classes)</b>
<p>This course introduces the student to the complexity and diversity of contemporary Chicano society in the United States. The impact of American values on the socialization of Mexican Americans will be assessed with particular emphasis on political, economic, social, cultural and educational institutions.</p> <p><i>3 units; 3 hours lecture</i></p> <p><i>Transfer CSU</i></p> <p><i>Strat Date: Tuesday, February 16, 2021</i></p> <p><i>Professor: Nathan Lopez</i></p>	<p>This course is a survey of the concepts, theories, and functions of the American political system. The basic principles of the United States Constitution and the government of California will be examined. Emphasis will be placed on the formal and informal influences of federalism on national and state governments.</p> <p><i>3 units; 3 hours lecture</i></p> <p><i>Transfer CSU, UC</i></p> <p><i>Strat Date: Tuesday, February 16, 2021</i></p> <p><i>Professor: Ellen Coleman</i></p>

**If you are interested please see your school counselor to sign up.** Please note that these are college courses, taught by college instructors. All students must show their counselor and administrators the academic skills and accountability necessary to be in these courses. Students must abide by the college policies, including regarding absences and tardies.