

Continuing Students

- 1 Apply for financial aid** online at FAFSA.gov a minimum of 12 weeks prior to start of the term. Renew the FAFSA application annually by March 2. Check your student assigned email for financial aid status. Financial Aid Office 209.588.5105
- 2 Check eligibility for Special Programs** including CalWorks, EOPS/CARE, DSPS, TRiO and Veterans. Locations and phone numbers of Special Programs are located on page 4, or visit the programs at gocolumbia.edu, under "Student Services."
- 3 Verify that your student e-mail account is active** in order to receive important information from the college. Refer to yosemite.edu/studentemail for step-by-step instructions. If you need assistance with your account, contact the HelpDesk at 209.588.5385 or visit the Welcome Center.
- 4 Register for classes.** Check your student e-mail for registration date and time. Login to connectColumbia to select and register for classes. For assistance, call the HelpDesk at 209.588.5385.
- 5 Pay your fees** online or at the college Business Services Office, Manzanita 10 (Sequoia beginning January 2014). All fees are due and payable at the time of registration. Within ten (10) days of registering for any classes, students must have a zero balance or they will be dropped for nonpayment of fees. Refer to page 21 for details.
- 6 Meet with your counselor and update your educational plan** each semester. This will help you to stay on track with your educational goals and create a clear and efficient pathway to your goals. Students are encouraged to regularly update their educational plan.

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