PRESIDENT'S OFFICE

CETYS Visit
December 9, 2024

Imperial Valley College welcomed educators and leaders from CETYS Universidad to exchange ideas and explore future collaborations.

ACADEMIC SERVICES – HEALTH & PUBLIC SAFETY DIVISION

Fall 2024 Correctional Academy Graduation

December 7, 2024

- The academy achieved a record number of trainees, with 32 trainings starting and 28 successfully graduating with several already having submitted applications with ICSO.

- Imperial Community College District was proud to have Imperial County District Attorney, George Marquez as the keynote speaker.

Incoming Trustee Martinez, Trustee Hart, District Attorney George Marquez, Trustee Armendariz, Interim Dean of H&PS Brett Houser

Instructor Joe Arambula, District Attorney George Marquez, Academy Coordinator James Vooris

ACADEMIC SERVICES

Welcome Workforce Panelists

Moderator:
Vanessa Robertson, M.A
Director of Policy and Education

Dr. John McLennan
University of Utah

Dr. Cary Lindsey
GBCGE

Efrain Silva
Imperial Valley College

Robert Vilches
UA Pipefitters

2024 Geothermal Opportunities Symposium

LINKEDIN 101
Connect to Opportunity

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On December 3rd, Dean Efrain Silva presented at the Geothermal Symposium in Salt Lake City, UT.

The CSC team hosted a workshop on LinkedIn that was open to all students. Students learned about the importance of having a LinkedIn account and were able to create their accounts.

ACADEMIC SERVICES – HEALTH & PUBLIC SAFETY DIVISION

On Friday, December 6th, IVROP held an annual Public Service Skills Showcase at Imperial Valley College.

• 75 high school students from around the valley attended.

The event featured a physical agility test, an interview, and a written exam.

Public Safety staff and students from the Correctional Academy and Police Academy contributed to the event by serving as judges during the testing and delivering a demonstration.

ACADEMIC SERVICES – HEALTH & PUBLIC SAFETY DIVISION

Registered Nurse Pinning Ceremony

December 5, 2024

The RN Class of 2024 celebrated the completion of the RN Program by 24 students.

The Pinning Ceremony represents the culmination of the nursing program, with the pin symbolizing the School of nursing from which the student graduated.

ACADEMIC SERVICES - HEALTH & PUBLIC SAFETY DIVISION

Fall 2024 Fire Academy Graduation

December 9, 2024

- The academy had 19 graduates, nine are currently working in the field and several more have submitted applications with Fire Departments around Imperial County.
- At the Graduation Ceremony, Fire Coordinator, Robert Malek recognized Trustee Hart, and Interim Vice President Warner and presented each of them along with President Johnson, with a IVC Fire Chief Helmet.
- Two cadets were also presented with special recognition: Jonathan Armenta received the Outstanding Community Service Award and Diego Favila received the Cadet of the Year Award.

Diego Favila

Robert Malek & Dr. Johnson

Jonathon Armenta

Jerry Hart & Robert Malek

Gail Warner, Robert Malek & Jerry Hart

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ACADEMIC SERVICES – HEALTH & PUBLIC SAFETY DIVISION

Fall 2024 Emergency Medical Technician - Paramedic Graduation
December 12, 2024

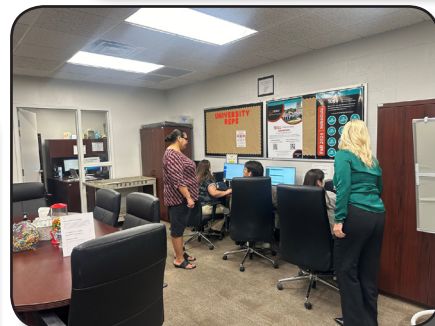Twelve paramedic interns completed the 18-month program.

After completing this program, these students will benefit not only themselves and their families but also their departments and, even more so, our community by providing a higher-quality level of pre-hospital medical care.

STUDENT SERVICES & EQUITY

Transfer Center

The Transfer Center conducted CSU/UC Admission Application Workshops from October through December 2024.

These workshops provided support to approximately 190 students, assisting them in completing their admission applications to California State Universities (CSUs) and Universities of California (UCs).

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The Lotus Living Student Housing Program hosted a Thanksgiving event for student residents, featuring a delicious Thanksgiving-style dinner.
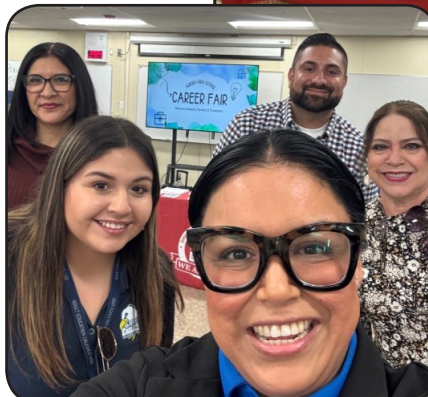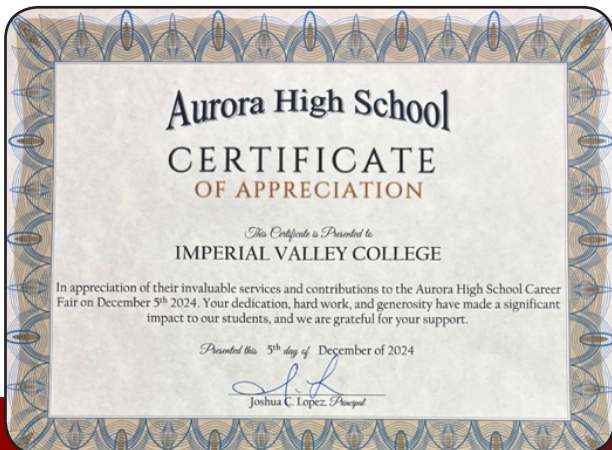
The IVC Maintenance department installed Christmas lights and decorations at the homes, creating a warm and festive holiday atmosphere for residents to enjoy within the Lotus Living Community.

STUDENT SERVICES & EQUITY

SEA Outreach
December 5, 2024

In collaboration with IVROPS, IVC Counselors hosted a Career Fair at Aurora High School to provide information to students about CTE courses, college degrees, vocational trainings and law enforcement careers.

Aurora High School
CERTIFICATE
OF APPRECIATION

This Certificate is Presented to

IMPERIAL VALLEY COLLEGE

In appreciation of their invaluable services and contributions to the Aurora High School Career Fair on December 5th 2024. Your dedication, hard work, and generosity have made a significant impact to our students, and we are grateful for your support.

Presented this 5th *day of* December of 2024

Joshua C. Lopez, Principal

STUDENT SERVICES & EQUITY – ADMISSIONS & RECORDS

Parchment: Digital Diploma Services
Metrics: Summer 2024

186
Total Electronic Diplomas Issued

52
Total Recipients Claimed their Degree

11
Shared their Degree

120
Total Electronic Certificates Issued

23
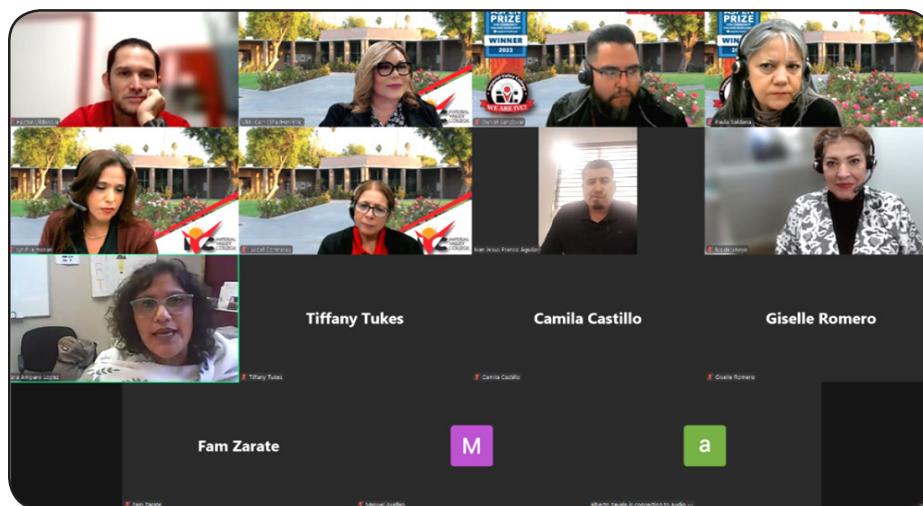Total Recipients Claimed their Certificates

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Shared their Certificate

NOTE: Metrics taken since going live on November 22, 2024.

Imperial Valley College implemented Parchment's Digital Diploma Service that delivers high quality Diploma and Certificate print outs to graduating IVC students. It also provides immediate access to digital versions of their diplomas where they can request duplicate copies online. This one-stop shop allows students to manage both their diplomas and transcripts, anywhere, anytime.

AB91 PROGRAM Q&A EVENT

On Wednesday, November 20, 2024, Admissions & Records held a Q&A Event on Zoom for prospective students interested in applying for the AB91 Program.

The AB-91 Program establishes a 4-year pilot program to allow low-income students who have residence within 45 miles of the California-Mexico border, for at least one year immediately before enrolling, to be eligible for in-state tuition rates at Imperial Valley College or another San Diego and Imperial Counties Community College Association (SDICCCA) member college, located in California.

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Student Affairs, LGBTQ+, & Undocumented Students Program - P.O.S.T Election Stress Event

Student Development

An event was held in the College Center to provide a safe and stress-free space to students and allow them to speak freely and express themselves artistically, through painting, journaling or pet therapy.

Many students and employees attended the event and took advantage of the services that were offered.

November 22nd, the Student Affairs Office- Student Development Team hosted their 4th Annual Student Leadership Conference.
This year's theme was "Empowering Students for Future Success."
Various workshops were held and the event was well attended by students.

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STUDENT EQUITY & ACHIEVEMENT

Staff and faculty from Student Equity and Achievement invited members of the IVC ESL Club for a campus tour of SDSU, followed by a visit to Balboa Park in San Diego.

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STUDENT EQUITY & ACHIEVEMENT

November 20th and 21st
ESL team attended the 2024
CATESOL Conference. There, they
connected with other ESL teams.

December 6th, Dean Barron and
Elizabeth Sanchez attended the
Basic Needs Conference.
At the conference, they identified
potential services for students and
methods for increasing information
access for staff and students.

SEA: Resilient Scholars

On Tuesday, November 26th, Resilient Scholars
in collaboration with IVROP hosted their annual
Friendsgiving Event at IVC. Students and parents
attended informative workshops tailored to age
group. They also got to enjoy a delicious meal.

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SEA: Restorative Justice

On December 5th, the Restorative Justice
Team hosted "Inside Out End of Semester
Ceremony," for students who attended and
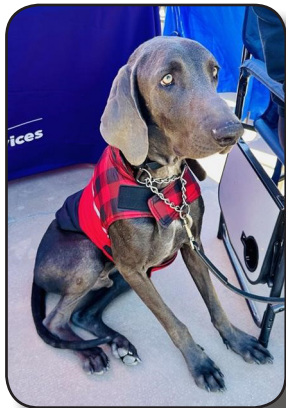completed the course throughout the semester.

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Student Health Center

The Student Health Center reached over 180 students at the Finals Stress Free Day events on November 18th and November 19th. Students had the opportunity to de-stress before finals week, with stress-free activities such as canvas painting, board games, coloring, outdoor activities, and enjoyed snacks and refreshments.

In collaboration with the IVC Library, the Student Health Center held "Destressing at the Library" day on December 4th. Over 60 students received stress-free resources and engaged in pet therapy inside the library.

STUDENT SERVICES & EQUITY

December 11, 2024
CalWORKs ASPIRE & EOPS CARE
held a
Student and Family Season
Celebration and a
Children's Gift Tree
Over 80 IVC student-parents
& 190 children were invited to
be part of the celebration.

Gifts donated by IVC Employees and GEO-Local business

Happy Holidays & a Wonderful New Year!