EOPS/CARE/NextUp & CalWORKs Fall 2026 Dates

Program Requirements

1st Counseling Contact
July 27th - September 11th
Must be with SPS Counselor

2nd Counseling Contact
September 14th - October 23rd
Must be with SPS Counselor

3rd Counseling Contact
October 26th - December 18th
Must be with SPS Counselor

SPS Counselors: ***Lilia Franco, Diana Sanchez, Jessica Garcia, Isis Colunga, Carlos Sueldo, Victoria Sanchez***

Mandatory Fall Orientation Dates

All new and continuing students must complete the online orientation before receiving services.

June 17st- September 4th 2026

Follow the link below or scan the QR code to complete the orientation:

https://launch.comevo.com/barstow/3868

SPS Events

Attending these FOUR events will NOT qualify for benefit cards.

Welcome to Fall
August 19th
K-Building
12:30 pm-2:00pm

SPS Not-So-Spooky Halloween
October 28th
K-Building
3:00 pm-5:00pm

SPS Thanksgiving
November 18th
K-Building
3:00 pm-5:00pm

Holly Jolly
December 9th
K-Building
5:00 pm-7:00pm

SPS Special Event

Spring 2027 Priority Registration
November 2nd - 3rd
K-Building
9:00am - 4:00pm

Academic Calendar Fall 2026

Campus closed/No services

Classes Begin August 10, 2026
Labor Day September 7, 2026
Fall Break October 12 - 18, 2026
Veterans Day November 11, 2026
Thanksgiving Holiday November 26 - 29, 2026
Finals December 12 - 18, 2026
Winter Break December 19, 2026 - January 3,2026
New Year's Day January 1, 2027

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Contact Information
EOPS/CARE - eops@barstow.edu
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CalWORKs - calworks@barstow.edu
(760) 252-2411 ext. 7255

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SPS/Career Workshops

Select any topic to receive credit for SPS and/or Career Workshop

August 26th

Getting Ready for Fall
Hybrid: B-17
Zoom Meeting ID:
843 7870 5663
Passcode: 835572
3:45pm - 4:45pm

September 29th

Success Strategies for First-Generation College Students
Hybrid: B-17
Zoom Meeting ID:
843 7870 5663
Passcode: 835572
12:30pm - 1:30pm

October 21st

What is Transfer?
Hybrid: B-17
Zoom Meeting ID:
843 7870 5663
Passcode: 835572
12:30pm - 1:30pm

November 10th

Graduation & the Next Steps
Hybrid: B-17
Zoom Meeting ID:
843 7870 5663
Passcode: 835572
3:45pm - 4:45pm

Zoom Link: https://barstow-edu.zoom.us/s/88385392693

Additional Workshop Opportunities

Can Count as an "Any" Workshop *

August 18th

Let's Taco-Bout Tutor.com *
Hybrid: K Building
Zoom Meeting ID:
843 7870 5663
Passcode: 835572
12:30pm - 1:30pm



October 20th

Let's Taco-Bout Tutor.com *
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Workshop Guidelines

Workshops are optional for EOPS, CARE and NextUp Students. Workshops are incentivized for extra benefit cards.

EOPS
SPS Workshop (1)
Transfer and/or Career Workshop (2)
Any Workshop (1)

CARE
SPS Workshop (1)
Transfer and/or Career Workshop (2)
Any Workshop (3)

NextUp
SPS Workshop (1)
Transfer and/or Career Workshop (1)
Any Workshop (3)

CalWORKs
Only CalWORKs Students
One (1) workshop **required** (career, transfer, or Parent Corner)
Two (2) optional workshops for extra benefit cards
(career, transfer, or Parent Corner)

REMINDER

Benefit cards will only be provided up to the number of workshops assigned by your primary program:
EOPS – 4; CARE – 6; NextUp – 5
CalWORKs – 1 (or 3 if completing the optional second and third workshop)

You are encouraged to attend as many workshops as you'd like for personal growth, but additional benefit cards will not be issued beyond your program's designated limit.

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