Self-Guided Tour

College of the Redwoods

Thank You for your interest in College of the Redwoods! College of the Redwoods offers many degrees and certificates to enhance your "earning power" in the workplace and is also a good jumping off point for transferring to a CSU. We have a beautiful campus with a friendly student body that welcomes new students with open arms.

If you have a student schedule it would be helpful in finding specific classes since it will have the building and class number on it. Schedules can be printed at any computer in the library (LRC-Learning Resource Learning Center) just north of the student services building.

Even if you do NOT have a class schedule you can still easily find your way around the campus by viewing the map of the last page of this packet.

Areas of Interest

The **Student Services building** where you can speak to an advisor, pay fees, or speak to a student services specialist. **The Light Center** is also located in the Student Services Building which is a study hall that students can sign up for and have access to professional and peer tutors, group study sessions, computers, and quiet study areas.

The Veterans Affairs office is located just inside the entrance to the Student Services building. They provide a wide array of services to help support and facilitate academic success for active military, veterans and their dependents.

Directly next to Student Services you can find the Performing Arts Theater.

The **Residence Halls** are located behind the Student Services building and a housing representative is usually available in the housing office to answer questions and show a room if one is open for viewing.

- The residence halls are split into two separate buildings; the Mendocino and Del Norte Hall. In total, we hold around 160 students. There are two students to a room and two rooms share a bathroom.
- Each building has laundry on site and a common area for student use.

The Physical Education Building holds the football, basketball, baseball, volleyball, cross country, softball, and track and field coaches' offices. This is also where the school Nurse's office is, where students can get medical attention, physical examinations, flu shots, and some tests performed.

The Child Development Center is where students can learn about, participate in, and observe childcare in a preschool setting or application. Students with children can also apply for their children to be a part of CR's daycare program.

The Administration of Justice Building is home to our basic police academy and POST skills training center. As a part of the academy, there is a nearby live range. Students are advised that training may take place frequently during the semester and live firing can be heard from the main campus.

The LRC or Learning Resource Center (aka Library) is where one can go to attend the Math Lab, do assessment testing, access computers, print documents, check out group study rooms, or check our text books and rent scientific calculators. The Bookstore is located just inside the LRC and contains textbooks and essential school supplies.

The Applied Technology Building houses our health occupations & dental assisting programs, as well as our automotive department and our welding and woodworking labs.

The **Humanities Building** is one of the two newest buildings on campus. The lower level of the building is set up with larger lecture halls and faculty offices. The upper levels of the building contain computer labs and additional classrooms.

The **Science Building** is the other newest building on campus, and contains fully equipped science labs with broad curved lab tables that make working with lab partners very easy.

The labs and classrooms in both of the newest buildings are equipped with Smart Boards with touch screens and electric pens that allow professors to provide a more interactive learning experience. Both buildings contain large display cases in the halls that showcase school events and fine taxidermy displays.

The **Cafeteria** is open for breakfast, lunch and dinner serving a wide variety of cuisines for people of all tastes. There is a deli, soups, a salad bar, grill to order, and daily specials. There is also a convenience store located in the cafeteria where you can buy drinks, snacks and frozen foods.

The Creative Arts Building is home to our ceramics and painting classrooms, music halls, art galleries and many rooms available to practice piano or other instruments.

How to Apply to CR

To apply to CR, you will need to complete an online application at www.redwoods.edu, look for the "Admissions" page, and the link titled "Apply Now". The admissions page contains information regarding the application process, academic assessment, orientation, academic advising and registration.

If you have access to a computer, you may want to take a minute to look over or download the PDF version of our college catalog. The catalog contains information about all of our academic programs, as well as transfer information. You can find the catalog on our website, under the "Academics "tab.

After your application has been processed, you will receive a 7-digit student ID number, a personal student email account, and login information for your WebAdvisor account. WebAdvisor is what you will use to view the current class schedule, and register for classes for the upcoming term.

There are links to both the student email and WebAdvisor on our website at the top of the homepage.

After your application has been processed, you will need to complete the following steps:

- 1. Attend Math and English placement workshops
- 2. Participate in student orientation, either online or on campus
- 3. Set up an appointment to see an academic advisor to create an academic plan
- 4. Register for classes

If you have attended any other colleges it would be advisable to have official transcripts sent to CR, especially if you plan to take any classes with prerequisites that you may have completed elsewhere; or if you plan to complete an academic program that incorporates credits completed at another college.

If you have any questions please feel free to contact us at ambassador@redwoods.edu or by phone at 707-476-4200.

Thank You!