El Camino College Compton Center
Anounces Scholarships for High School Students

El Camino College Compton Center is providing $26,000 in scholarships to students at 13 local high schools. The scholarships will range from $500 to $1,000. The application deadline is April 6, 2009.

To apply, students must complete a Compton Center scholarship application, have two letters of recommendation from a teacher, counselor or community member; submit a typed personal statement of 500 words or more, and provide an unofficial transcript. Students may pick up and turn in applications in their high school counselor’s office.

To be eligible, students must have a 2.0 G.P.A., be a high school graduate by the summer of 2009, plan to attend El Camino College Compton Center in the fall of 2009, and participate in the First Year Experience Program. The scholarship is open to undocumented students.

For information, contact Ricky Shabazz at 310-900-1600, ext. 2763 or via email at rshabazz@elcamino.edu.

El Camino College Compton Center is accredited and serving the educational needs of our community. Students can earn an associate degree, transfer to a four-year university or receive career training. Fees are only $20 per unit. The college catalog, class schedule, evening and weekend college offerings are available in-person or online at www.compton.edu. Compton Center is located at 1111 E. Artesia Boulevard, Compton, CA; 310-900-1600.