

# Spring 2012 Orientation Dates

## Main Campus

- Free parking is available during testing in the west section (marked free parking) of the parking lot at the corner of Haley and University. Parking in any other lot will require a one-day paid permit.
- Plan to arrive 20 minutes early.
- All sessions are 90 minutes long.
- All orientations are held on Wednesdays at 3 p.m. in the Forum.

**Day of Event:** Wednesday **Time:** 3 p.m. to 4:30 pm **Place:** Forum

September 7 October 12	November 9 December 7	January 11 January 25	February 8 February 22	March 14 April 11	April 15 May 9	June 13
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- **No one will be admitted after presentation has begun.**
- **The doors will be locked at five minutes past the hour. You must stay for the ENTIRE orientation session.**
- **Orientation can be completed online at [BakersfieldCollege.edu](http://BakersfieldCollege.edu) then click Counseling. Upon beginning the Orientation quiz your ID is your social security number, and your pin number is the 8-16 digit password that you created when you completed your admission form.**
- An admission/Update form must be submitted prior to completing orientation.

## ESL Orientation

**For students whose primary language is not English**  
If English is your second language, it is recommended that you attend the ESL Orientation. ESL Orientation will help ease your transition into higher education in the United States. You will have the opportunity to find out how Bakersfield College will meet your expectations and what is expected of you as a student.

- One-day parking passes are available for \$1.00 from the dispensers located in the parking lots.
- All dates and times will be 3-5 p.m. and located in SS 151.
- Mandatory F1 VISA Orientation: January 10 & 11, 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

September 22 October 20	December 1 March 9, 2012	April 13 May 11
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# Spring 2012 Assessment Dates - ENSL Included

The Bakersfield College Assessment Center is located in the Finlinson Conference Center. Students should plan to spend approximately 2 1/2 hours for their assessment testing. Students will be tested on a space available basis so students arriving by 8 a.m. will very likely be seated immediately and to complete the process within 2 1/2 hours. Those arriving later may have to wait for an open test station.

Students needing special testing accommodations should contact the BC Disabled Students Programs and Services (DSPS) 661-395-4334.

Free parking is available in the lot at the corner of Haley and University. One-day parking permits can be purchased for \$1 from dispensers located in all other student parking lots.

Please be prepared for the assessment session by:

- Bringing a pencil and calculator
- Knowing your student ID or Social Security number
- Preparing for your assessment by clicking the link on the Assessment page of the BC website. Retests will only be allowed after 30 days in cases of verifiable, extenuating circumstances.
- **LEAVING YOUR CELL PHONES AND DATA/MUSIC DEVICES AT HOME OR IN YOUR CAR**

## ESL Assessment

**For students whose primary language is not English.**  
If English is your second language (you speak another language other than English with your family), it is highly recommended you take our ESL Assessment.

## For All Assessments on the Main Campus

Students may arrive to complete walk-in testing:

- On Monday between 8:15 a.m. and 6 p.m. (Students must arrive by 6 p.m.)
- On Tuesday through Thursday between 8:15 a.m. and 2 p.m.
- On Friday between 8:15 a.m. and 9:30 a.m.
- On the following Wednesdays between 8:15 a.m. and 6 p.m.:  
March 7, 21; April 18
- On the following Saturdays between 8 a.m. and 9:30 a.m.:  
September 24; October 22; November 19; December 17, January 7, February 11, March 17, April 14, May 19

## Delano Community Campus

Delano assessment testing is done in the Science & Technology lab located at 1450 Timmons Avenue. Students may arrive to complete walk-in testing during the dates and hours listed below:

Thurs. July 14.....5-7 p.m.	Sat. Mar. 10.....8-10 a.m.
Sat. July 23.....8-10 a.m.	Thurs. Mar. 15.....5-7 p.m.
Thurs. Aug. 18.....5-7 p.m.	Sat. Mar. 24.....8-10 a.m.
Thurs. Sept. 1.....5-7 p.m.	Thurs. Mar. 29.....5-7 p.m.
Sat. Oct. 8.....8-10 a.m.	Thurs. April 12.....5-7 p.m.
Thurs. Oct. 27.....5-7 p.m.	Sat. April 21.....8-10 a.m.
Thurs. Nov. 10.....5-7 p.m.	Thurs. April 26.....5-7 p.m.
Thurs. Dec. 1.....5-7 p.m.	Thurs. May 3.....5-7 p.m.
Sat. Dec. 3.....8-10 a.m.	Sat. May 12.....8-10 a.m.
Thurs. Dec. 8.....5-7 p.m.	Thurs. May 31.....5-7 p.m.
Thurs. Jan. 12.....5-7 p.m.	Thurs. July 28.....5-7 p.m.
Sat. Jan. 21.....8-10 a.m.	Thurs. Aug. 4.....5-7 p.m.
Thurs. Feb. 9.....5-7 p.m.	Sat. Aug. 13.....8-10 a.m.
Sat. Feb. 25.....8-10 a.m.	