



## What is Harbor Advantage?

Harbor Advantage is a first year success program available to all students interested in attending Los Angeles Harbor College.

Participating students will attend Los Angeles Harbor College on a full-time basis and will receive an abundant amount of student services to ensure their success.

## Why Should I Join Harbor Advantage?

There are multiple reasons why students should join Harbor Advantage.

Inside this brochure you will read just five of the biggest reasons students have discovered that the Harbor Advantage truly gave them an advantage to success in college.



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## STUDENT SUCCESS FOR

# First Year Students



## HARBOR ADVANTAGE





## Who is eligible to join Harbor Advantage?

- Under 10 units (cumulative) from any college
- Have been assessed in English & Mathematics (from any college)
- Committed to being a full-time student

## What do I have to do while I'm in Harbor Advantage?

- Meet with a counselor twice a semester
- Attend a Student Services workshop per semester
- Attend an Academic workshop per semester

REASONS TO JOIN



# Harbor Advantage



# 1

## COMPLETE A.O.C.

All students entering California community colleges are required by the State to be Assessed, Orientated, and Couseled (A.O.C.).

Students participating in the Harbor Advantage will receive all three of these services preventing them from losing enrollment priority.

# 2

## DEDICATED COUNSELORS

Los Angeles Harbor College has amazing counseling faculty serving the entire campus population, however. Students in the Harbor Advantage have their own team of dedicated counselors to assist them with educational planning, career exploration, and any other services needed.

# 3

## FULL-TIME STATUS

Harbor Advantage students are enrolled for both the fall and spring semesters at full-time academic status for their first year of college.

The outcome will be a Harbor college student with up to 24 units of completed college courses, including having their English and Math course requirements complete. This moves students closer to accomplishing their goal of transfer and/or graduation.

## 4 ENGLISH & MATH COURSES

After students have taken their English and math assessment test, they are placed at a specific readiness level. Harbor Advantage students will begin their college journey from the courses they have assessed into.

## 5 STUDENT SUPPORT

LA Harbor College has a wide range of student support services available. Services range from academic tutoring, success workshops, to participating in any of our support programs (i.e. EOPS, DSPS, etc.).

Harbor Advantage students will utilize these services and more. Our staff and faculty will ensure that participating students are made aware of the opportunities available to them and will facilitate their active involvement.

STUDENT SUPPORT SERVICES: *(Include but not limited to)*

- Transfer & Career Center
- EOPS/ CARE
- Honors
- CalWorks
- CHAMPS
- Puente
- Special Programs & Services
- Library/Learning Resource Center
- YouthSource Center
- Writing Lab
- Veterans Center
- Financial Aid