As an international student, our Academic Bridge Program at IEC will give you the academic skills and personal confidence you need to start the first two years of your bachelor’s degree at Diablo Valley College (DVC). This program is designed to allow you to successfully transition from study outside of the USA to a full-time academic program. Bridge includes 2 pre-selected academic courses which give you 6 units of university credit that are transferable and count towards your four-year bachelor’s degree at all of the California State and University of California campuses.

What The Program Includes:

- 6 academic units transferable to CSU and UC campuses
- Customized lecture series
- Small study sessions
- Campus visits
- Early Registration for Spring or Fall semester
- Activities

Price: $2,700 USD

Includes Tuition, activity fee, and $400 non-refundable program deposit. Mandatory medical insurance fee is not included and may vary in price.

Classes:

Program includes:

- English 162 – Language, Literature & Culture (3 units)
- And one of the following:
  - Anthropology 130 – (3 units)
  - Political Science 120 – (3 units)
  - Sociology 120 – (3 units)

*classes are subject to change

Requirements:

- Completed original DVC Application submitted to IEC
- $400 non-refundable IEC program deposit
- $50 international express mail fee for all acceptance packages shipped to a foreign address
- Proof of English proficiency: IEC Advanced B graduate, (minimum TOEFL score of 490 PBT or 57 IBT, IELTS 5.5, or ITEP 3.5)
- Bank statement from sponsor indicating a minimum of $22,592 USD available for expenses
- $50 DVC application processing fee
- Copy of passport
- 18 years of age or high school graduate with proof of high school completion (official transcripts)
- Please note: Transfer students must also submit a copy of their current I-20 and F-1 visa

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