



COMMUNITY CARES *Basic Needs Drive*

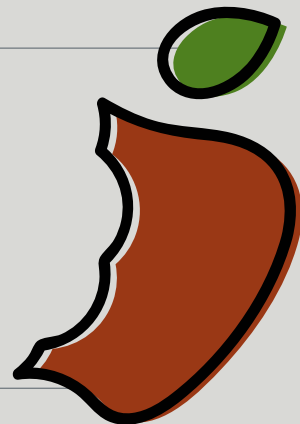
Help California Community College Students Succeed

The Problem



2 out of 3 students grapple with at least one basic need.

Nearly half of students are food insecure.



Almost 3 out of 5 are housing insecure, and about 1 in 4 are homeless.

The Solution

As of 2023, all California Community College campuses now host a Basic Needs Center.



Basic Needs Centers support students' access to necessities, such as food, housing, childcare, transportation, health care, and technology.



more than
68,000
students accessed these centers (of 80 colleges surveyed) in the 2022–2023 academic year.



How You Can Help



Donate basic needs items at any Tri Counties Bank branch from August 1 to September 30.

Donating essential items to Basic Needs Centers helps students save on everyday expenses, enabling them to allocate more funds towards food, housing, and other necessities.

Learn more and donate today at [TriCountiesBank.com/50](https://www.tricountiesbank.com/50)

Requested Items

Baby Wipes | Children's Diapers | Tampons/Pads
Unscented/Neutral-Scented Bar Soap, Hair Care, Deodorant
Disposable Razors | Toothbrushes/Toothpaste/Mouthwash

In addition to supporting the Basic Needs Centers through the Community Cares Basic Needs Drive, Tri Counties Bank is partnering with the Foundation for California Community Colleges to raise funds for the California Community Colleges' Student Ambassador Program. Through peer-to-peer outreach, Student Ambassadors connect their fellow students to food, housing, and mental wellness resources.

Sources:

- [CSAC Food and Housing Basic Needs Survey 2023 & Basic Needs Among California Community College Students \(2023\)](#)
- [2024 Basic Needs Services Centers Report](#)



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