

# Let's Begin Let's Finish

SDMESA.EDU/COUNSELING

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- Be Admitted - apply: <http://bit.ly/be-admitted>
- Be Financed - Where to find the money
  - a. Apply for financial aid - [www.fafsa.ed.gov](http://www.fafsa.ed.gov)
  - b. Apply for scholarships - Student Affairs
- Be Advised
  - a. Before: Complete our orientation:  
[www.orientation.sdmesa.edu](http://www.orientation.sdmesa.edu)
  - b. During: Visit our testing office for assessment and/or placement services
  - c. After: Putting it together: Attend a Pre-registration Workshop: Abbreviated Ed Plan
  - d. Follow-up: Career Services; Career and major exploration

*By completing all four steps in Be Advised, you will be eligible for an earlier registration date!*
- Be Enrolled - Register online/pay for your classes: REG-E <https://studentweb.sdccd.edu/reg-e/>
- Be Ready - Purchase your textbooks, pick up your ID card and parking permit
- Be Supported - Student Services
  - a. Counseling: Comprehensive Ed Plan
  - b. Veterans Affairs (VA)
  - c. Disability Support Programs and Services
  - d. International students
  - e. Support Services: EOPS, Star, Tutoring, LRC

## Let's Finish

- Career and major - Exploration through career services at [www.sdmesa.edu/career-center](http://www.sdmesa.edu/career-center)
  - a. Career workshops
  - b. Career planning services
  - c. Informational interviews
  - d. Internship opportunities
  - e. Job shadow opportunities
  - f. Field trips
  - g. Work experience
- Goal setting - Pathways and programs at [www.sdmesa.edu/counseling](http://www.sdmesa.edu/counseling)
- Education planning and progress at [www.sdmesa.edu/counseling](http://www.sdmesa.edu/counseling)
- Degree completion at [www.sdmesa.edu/counseling](http://www.sdmesa.edu/counseling)

To begin contact your counselor  
or visit [www.sdmesa.edu/counseling](http://www.sdmesa.edu/counseling).