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Institutional Goals and Objectives

Summary: The San Luis Obispo County Community College District Strategic Plan 2020-2023 Institutional Goals and Institutional Objectives

Institutional Goal 1: Access

Increase student access to higher education

Institutional Objective 1A: Increase enrollment of low-income and underrepresented students through intentional program development and targeted outreach efforts

Institutional Objective 1B: Increase enrollment opportunities for community members who are 55 years of age or older

Institutional Objective 1C: Expand financial support and aid opportunities for students

Institutional Objective 1D: Increase career pathways for local high school students

Institutional Goal 2: Completion

Increase the number of students earning an Associate Degree including Associate Degrees for Transfer (ADT), credentials, certificates, or specific job-oriented skill sets

Institutional Objective 2A: Increase in the number of students who earn an Associate Degree or Associate Degree for Transfer, credentials, certificates, or specific job-oriented skill sets

Institutional Goal 3: Transfer

Increase the number of students who transfer annually to a California State University (CSU) or University of California (UC)

Institutional Objective 3A: Increase the annual number of students transferring to a CSU or UC

Institutional Goal 4: Unit Accumulation

Decrease the average number of units accumulated by Cuesta College students

Institutional Objective 4A: Decrease the average number of units accumulated by Cuesta College students

Institutional Goal 5: Workforce

Increase the proportion of exiting students who report being employed in their field of study

Institutional Objective 5A: Increase median annual earnings of all students

Institutional Objective 5B: Increase proportion of all students who attained the living wage

Institutional Objective 5C: Increase proportion of all students with a job closely related to their field of study

Institutional Goal 6: Facilities and Technology

Integrate and improve facilities and technology to support student learning and the innovations needed to serve our diverse communities

Institutional Objective 6A: Align facilities and technology in accordance with the district's Facilities Master Plan and the district's Technology Plan

Institutional Objective 6B: Address the educational and facilities needs of South County

Institutional Goal 7: Fiscal

Build a sustainable and stable fiscal base

Institutional Objective 7A: Build a sustainable base of enrollment by effectively responding to the needs of the district as identified in the SLOCCCD Comprehensive Master Plan 2016-2026: Educational Master Plan

Institutional Objective 7B: Identify and develop sources of revenue beyond annual state allocations to support institutional effectiveness

Institutional Objective 7C: Identify and implement strategies to maintain support for institutional effectiveness while addressing challenges related to the state's funding formula and the rising costs of employee retirement obligations

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