

YCCD Strategic Long-range Goals 2014-2018

Governing Board's Vision Statement

The vision of the Yuba Community College District Board of Trustees is to ensure student success by:

- Providing an innovative, world-class learning environment;
- Building and maintaining an atmosphere of trust within the college district and with our communities;
- Developing and maintaining programs and facilities that best meet the needs of our students and communities;
- Stewarding resources strategically to meet the diverse needs of our communities and region;
- Providing educational, economic, cultural, and civic leadership for our communities and region.

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Governing Board's Values

- Knowledge
- Stewardship
- Culture
- Honesty
- Respect / mutual trust
- Student success
- Openness
- Courage

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These seven goals reflect the interests and challenges noted in the District's and Colleges' Master Plans. The bullet points listed beneath each goal are intended as examples meant to clarify the direction or intention of the goals; they are not intended to serve as mandates.

- 1. Increase student success through curriculum designed to enhance student learning and completion**
 - Support cohesive academic and career technical education pathways
 - Emphasize Career Technical Education program priorities by College
 - Optimize course delivery for efficiency and effectiveness
 - Restructure and innovate in basic skills instruction to support academic pathways and progression
 - Utilize Student Learning Outcomes (SLOs) assessment results to support and improve curriculum

- 2. Maximize the student experience through well-aligned Student Services Programs**
 - Implement Student Success Initiatives
 - Offer continuum of student services from matriculation to goal achievement
 - Provide constant, consistent, and customized communication to students
 - Develop a cultural identity that represents and meets the needs of our underrepresented and diverse student body

3. Integrate planning and institutional effectiveness processes within a culture of evidence

- Evaluate strategic planning and resource allocation process
- Focus on existing and emerging educational needs for the communities we serve
- Assure planning, implementation, and assessment are inclusive of all campus sites and delivery modalities
- Expand capacity for research, including tracking, data retrieval, and analysis as a basis for evidence-informed decision-making and continuous quality improvement
- Expand professional development opportunities aimed at increasing competency in utilizing data as a basis for informed decision-making in integrated planning processes

4. Strengthen our CORE* as a 21st-century, learning-centered organization

- Encourage, leverage, and expand the strengths inherent within our internal community's diverse perspectives.
- Deploy our human resources appropriately and assure effective professional development
- Utilize technology to enhance learning, streamline student services support, optimize organizational communication and decision-making, and assure efficiency and effectiveness in key transactional processes
- Integrate sustainable facilities maintenance and management to meet student needs
- Foster internal partnerships and streamline key processes to assure nimble response and consistent/accurate communication
- Engage in resource development consistent with district and colleges missions and planning

5. Increase focused professional development opportunities for all District employees

- Promote quality and innovation in teaching and learning
- Improve leadership and managerial competency at all levels
- Foster cultural competency and diversity
- Support organizational efficiency and planning

6. Complete multi-college district transition in structure, roles, responsibilities, and processes

- Define, delineate, and evaluate responsibilities, functions, and key processes

7. Develop effective external partnerships, consortia, and outreach

- Assert regional leadership in Economic and Workforce Development
- Engage and partner with industry and public agencies
- Strengthen and leverage K-12 partnerships
- Develop and leverage community college and university partnerships

* CORE - Communication, Organization, Responsibility, and Evaluation