

# Student Services Update **December 2016**

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# Student Services By the Numbers

**54,660** Transcripts sent

18,436 Transcripts received

1,458 Fall 2016 graduates

**2,553** Preliminary 16-17 grads

**925** 16-17 ADT graduates

**2,827** Transcript evaluations

**2,442** Petitions for graduation

639 Academic renewals

# Homeless Students—Support Services for Homeless Students

In September of 2016, Governor Jerry Brown signed AB 1995 that requires community colleges give access to shower facilities to homeless students under the age of 25, effective January 1, 2017. In addition, AB 801 was codified that provides priority registration for homeless students (a student that is verified as being without a residence in the last six years).

Both of these bills provide additional resources for homeless students to help improve student success. In Spring 2017, qualified homeless students will be referred to the EOPS office on campus for information about shower access and priority registration as well as referral to other support services.

# Six-Year Review of Policies and Procedures

District Student Services is near completion of a comprehensive six-year review of policies and procedures. As required by accreditation, institutions must have a regular review process of their board policies and procedures to make sure they are current and up-to-date.

For updated student services policies and procedures, go to <u>http://www.sdccd.edu/</u>public/district/policies/.

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# San Diego Promise Expansion

The first cohort of 186 students of the San Diego Promise program will be finishing their first semester this Fall. These students were provided with a last-dollar scholarship grant that covers the cost of tuition, books and supplies after any federal and/or state financial aid. The Chancellor and Board of Trustees have committed to fully funding this first cohort for a second year. The program will be expanding in 2017-2018 to 600 SDUSD students along with 75 Continuing Education students and 10 students from the Monarch School, a school located in Barrio Logan for homeless children.

Program participants are required to complete 12 units, 8 hours of community service and maintain good academic standing to remain in the program.



# Giving Back to the Community

**District Student Services adopted six** families this holiday season donating dozens of items such as small appliances, clothing, toys and, basic necessities to the Center for Community Solutions that provides assistance to victims of domestic violence.



# Campus Solutions Update

The Campus Solutions Project added two additional teams in November: System Integration Testing (SIT) and Training to focus on additional components in the implementation of the project. All of the teams have moved into the testing phase of the project in addition to their ongoing work. With the new implementation date, the teams will reconvene beginning in February, spending the month of January supporting Intersession and registration for the Spring semester.

## Student Services Holiday Party

On December 8th, District Student Services had their annual holiday celebration. The night was filled with bowling, ugly sweaters and good food! Check out some of the photo highlights below!

# **Key Dates**

December 2016

#### Fall 2016

• Grades for Fall available on Reg-e January 9th

#### Spring 2017

- Intersession begins: January 3rd
- Regular Spring Semester begins: January 30
- Last Day to Add/Drop Classes without a "W" February 10th (Regular Session)
- Census Rosters Due: February 13th





## CAMPUS SOLUTIONS TEAM

## Student Records Conversion

Lead: Kare Furman Dulce Lopez Francisco Blas Laura Burgess Megan Soto Pahua Vang

#### Curriculum

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#### Lead: David Spence Amy Meyers Barbara Plandor Helena Hubbard Gity Nematollahi Gloria Carranza John Gradilla Vincent Ngo Ryan Barsotti

## Mary Toste Meredith McGill Shelly Hess Susan Chandler Susan Gregory **Yvonne Schmeltz**

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#### **Student Financials**

Lead: Greg Sanchez Lead: Melonie Limtiaco Alan Armstrong Anthony Novak Karen Pinnell Nicolas Johnson Shirin Mohesini

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Perla Vizcarra Thu Nguyen Hilda Osuna

#### Academic Advising **Continuing Education**

Lead: Jose Hueso Amanda Torres Linda Galicia Phil Bakit

#### Training

Lead: Victor DeVore Shakerra Carter **Tavaris Franklin** 

#### **Query & Reports Rob Bailey**

Chris Geiser **Daniel Stromwall** David Taniguchi **Ephzel Fernandez** Jack Campbell John Martalo Michael Roscoe Neelu Neelekantan Sam Ballard

## System Integration & User Acceptance Testing

- Leads: Pamela Wright, Michelle Montanez Lydia Gonzales Brandon Hawley Gilda Maldonado
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