



CAP 1.3.3. Provide Additional Support to Latino Students



Purpose

To maximize and improve available resources and create new processes to support Latino student enrollment, persistence, graduation and transfer rates.



Goals

- Increase enrollment of Latino students.
- Increase persistence and graduation rate through additional support.
- Establish new internal structures that support Latino student success such as CLS 100 for Latino students, a mentoring program, etc.



Strategies

- Better understand the characteristics of the population and maximize and improve resources currently available to students.
- Propose and implement new resources through the creation of visible internal structures and concrete processes that will ultimately support students.
- Develop outreach activities to engage the Latino community and bring more Latino students to succeed at GRCC.



Strategy One. Better understand the characteristics of the population and maximize and improve resources currently available to them.

- Develop a handbook for DACA and Undocumented students
- Establish a GRCC Spanish web site



Strategy Two. Propose and implement new resources through the creation of visible internal structures and concrete processes that will ultimately support students.

- Establish CLS 100 course for Latino students
- Establish a mentoring program for Latin@ students.



Strategy Three. Develop outreach activities to engage the Latino community and bring more Latino students to succeed at GRCC.

- Engagement event for new Latino students and families
- Grassroots marketing. Deliver GRCC Spanish/English materials to key Latino spaces (churches, stores, markets, schools, community-based orgs. etc.)
- Attend any academic, social and cultural Latino event to promote GRCC.



New Goal

To foster academic excellence among Latino students through peer and professional mentoring and learning communities.



Gracias!