

Cerritos College Board of Trustees
2014-2015 Goals

In adopting the following goals for the 2014-15 fiscal year, the Board of Trustees commits itself to work collaboratively to complete the goals outlined below:

1. Student Success
 - a. Support college initiatives to provide courses for first-time or first-year Cerritos College students and increased student access to meet general education requirements.
 - b. Support initiatives to increase student completion rates from prior year.
 - c. Support initiatives to improve communication with students to support student success efforts.
2. Accreditation
 - a. Ensure that the District and the Board meet the ACCJC Accreditation Recommendations.
3. Presidential Search
 - a. Complete the recruitment and hiring of the new President/Superintendent.
4. Fiscal Health
 - a. Assure the fiscal health and stability of the District by adopting and monitoring a responsible annual budget and providing fiduciary oversight for the Measure CC and Measure G bond programs.
 - b. Bonds - biannual updates on cost, schedule, and safety issues; approval of annual audit; appointment of Bond Oversight Committee members.
 - c. Budget - Continue budget updates at each Board meeting, campus and community budget forums.
5. Community Outreach
 - a. Continue to explore how to better serve the District's K-12 students to ensure greater participation, academic preparation, and student success. In particular, review and provide input on the District's K-12 collaborative efforts such as Summer Bridge, Middle College, Pathways, K-16 educational plans, and dual enrollment.
6. Board Performance
 - a. Foster a climate of trust and respect among Board members with a board retreat and study sessions.
 - b. Improve protocols and practices for effective Board and President/Superintendent communications and relations.
 - c. Board will evaluate progress in improving items that were identified on the 2014 self-evaluation with a score of 3.0 or less.
7. Sustainability
 - a. Support and promote ASCC and the District's efforts on sustainability.
8. Transparency
 - a. Improve transparency, communication, and outreach to the District's students, resident, and businesses.
9. Diversity
 - a. Promote the principles of the District's Equal Employment Opportunity Plan and support the development of a comprehensive District Diversity Strategic Plan.
10. Local Hiring
 - a. Adopt board policy emphasizing the District's commitment to the hiring of local businesses, employees, goods, and services.