

To: Academic Senate, Classified Senate, Associated Student Government, and Administrative Leadership Advisory Team

After two years of data-informed discussions regarding the revision of the College's mission, vision, and values, including multiple mini-retreats, open forums, and input-gathering through feedback forms, which included members of the faculty, classified staff, students, and administrators, the College Council reached a consensus regarding revisions to the College's mission, vision, and values on April 27, 2021. Based on all the information gathered over the past two years, including the criteria the College Council established for this revision process in 2018 as well as ACCJC accreditation standards, as well as dialog in the College Council, the Council recommends the following revisions to the College's mission statement, vision statement, and values:

Recommendation for the College Mission Statement:

Cuyamaca College advances equity and social justice through student-centered and innovative approaches to education. We strive to create unique and meaningful learning experiences that build upon the strengths and socio-cultural experiences of our diverse student population and the communities we serve by providing programs that lead to certificates, degrees, transfer, career opportunities, and ultimately social and economic mobility.

Recommendation for the College Vision Statement:

Equity, Excellence, and Social Justice Through Education

Recommendation for College Values:

- Student-centered
- Equity
- Student Success
- Innovation
- Excellence
- Social Justice
- Community

The College Council is asking for a review and endorsement from your constituency group. Please reach out to us if you have any questions.