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I want to personally welcome you to our learning community, a community in which diversity is not only valued but cherished. Our African American, Asian, Pacific Islander, and Latino teachers, staff, and students bring a wealth of cultural experiences and perspectives to our programs and classrooms.

Chabot College has been the first step along the path to college learning and success for generations of seekers who are now shaping our region, state, and country. For over half a century the College has delivered superb educational opportunities, support, and mentoring to students just like you. As an educator at Chabot for thirty years, I am awed by the persistence, endurance, and achievement of our graduates, who transfer to excellent universities or complete degrees and certificates in one of our career technical preparation programs. Our students and staff represent a virtual rainbow of diverse cultures, one of our greatest riches at Chabot.

We are proud to be the open door to higher education for many Dreamers and for those who are first in their families to attend college. We are committed to social, economic, and environmental justice, areas of passion and purpose for many Chabot students, teachers, and staff. I hope to meet you along your pathway to success here and beyond as you join our wonderful community of teachers and learners.

Dr. Susan Sperling
Chabot College President
Chabot College serves a diverse population of 13,500 students in five major ethnic groups. Between 50 and 90 percent of each ethnic group are first generation college students. With the majority of each ethnic group also starting community college at the Basic Skills level in both English and Math, our students need substantial guidance and support to navigate through college to successful degree and transfer outcomes.
Welcome to the Chabot Family

As the Dean of Special Programs & Services and the founder of the Black Education Association (BEA), I invite you to “officially” join the Chabot family and build essential social and career networks before graduating into the workforce and/or transferring to a four-year college or university.

The Black Education Association was established in 2014 and was modeled after the Chicano-Latino Education Association (CLEA). Faculty, classified professionals, and administrators of African descent from the Chabot/Las Positas District came together to develop strategies to support students through culturally relevant programs, services, and events.

Chabot has a diverse campus community with high student-faculty engagement. This year we are excited to support the Asian Pacific Islander Education Association (APIEA) as they develop new support systems for students.

We are committed to making sure that all students of color feel supported, as our faculty, staff, and administrators do their best to make Chabot a place where you feel empowered to reach your goals, no matter who you are or where you’ve come from.

I hope to get to know you in the coming year and look forward to supporting your academic and personal success at Chabot College!

“One of the lessons that I grew up with was to always stay true to yourself and never let what somebody else says distract you from your goals.” - Michelle Obama

Dr. Jeanne Wilson
Dean of Special Programs & Services
CHABOT COLLEGE

BLACK STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT & SUCCESS PROGRAMS
The Daraja Program is a learning community designed to promote transfer and to increase academic and personal success. This program, based at the Chabot College Hayward, California campus, addresses students’ needs through academic support services and a curriculum focused on African-American literature, history, and issues facing the African-American community. Daraja is for students who are serious about getting a good education, willing to work hard, and want to study the topics Daraja covers. Daraja students persist longer in college with better grades and transfer to four-year colleges and universities at a higher rate.

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Daraja made a huge impact on my life. I have been on honor roll several times because of the support and help I’ve received from Daraja. I would like to thank Daraja for always believing in me, even when I didn’t believe in myself. I would like to add this self-reminder to everyone who reads this that I wish I would’ve learned a long time ago: Be kind to yourself. You will make it. You will get through the tough times and you will succeed.
The mission of The Black Academic Alliance Of Dynamic Leaders is to establish civic and educational opportunities, to encourage achievement of a higher standard of academic productivity to close the attainment gap, as well as, emphasize the importance of education for African Americans.

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**Striving Black Brothers Coalition**

In 2006 African American males were the lowest performing and lowest retained community at Chabot College.

To combat this systemic problem, Art Barboza founded the Striving Black Brothers Coalition. The coalition exists to address the most persistent obstacles in this community. Its voluntary membership is comprised of African American men who possess a burning desire and vision for success.

SBBC's family-oriented philosophy recognizes members as whole persons and empowers them to overcome personal daily obstacles. Through striving relentlessly to attain dreams and goals together, brothers construct a mindset of self-determination used in college and far beyond.

Robert Pinkney
Major: Kinesiology

*SBBC is a program that models accountability.* Being in the programs comes with a code of conduct that helps to keep each student focused. It feels good to come into our weekly meetings and share with the brothas that progress is being made in the classroom. Additionally, I have made tremendous strides in my community awareness and my campus involvement through the Striving Black Brothers Coalition.

*The Striving Black Brothers Coalition meets every Thursday*

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What is My Sisters’ Keeper (MSK)?
MSK is a support group for young African-American Queens. We are a sisterhood of educated women that meets weekly in a loving space, to support and empower one another.

The objective of our weekly meetings is to equip our members with the knowledge, skills, and tools they need so they can exemplify and act like Queens and Women of Excellence.

Our aim is to develop and strengthen how we demonstrate love for ourselves, our sisters, and others.

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Larissa Palmer
Major: Kinesiology & Sociology
This group has helped me academically by surrounding me with a support system (my sisters) that are all aiming for a similar goal, to succeed in college and in life. I can call on any of my sisters or my coordinator to help me with my academics or point me in the right direction.

Terilynn Diggs
Major: Physical Therapy
This is an opportunity to be a part of something. The benefit is having that love & support of others that have been through what you have been through. Our Program gives you the opportunity to be seen & heard. It pushes you to do better, not only in school but in life, because you have that support of sisterhood.

MSK Queens Workshops are held:
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Study Group

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Black Fall Welcome - August
Black Family Day - September
Black History Month - February
Black Scholars Family Dinner - February
African American Student Achievement & Excellence Awards - April
Black Graduation Celebration - May
Daraja Celebration - May
SBBC & MSK Banquet - May
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On behalf of the Asian Pacific Islander Education Association (APIEA) we would like to congratulate you on your decision to attend Chabot College! APIEA is committed to your success and wants to ensure each student has access to all the support and opportunities offered at Chabot.

APIEA was established in 2016 to support and recognize the achievements and interests of Asian Pacific Islander students, faculty, & staff. It is the mission of APIEA to advocate for and foster greater understanding and appreciation of Asian Pacific Islander communities, traditions & identity.

Our members are made up of faculty, staff, and administrators who are committed to working with you to help attain your educational and career goals. We would like to get to know you as an individual and as an important member of our community. Be sure to attend the many events we have planned for you this upcoming school year! To keep updated on our events and opportunities, please email us at APIEA2016@gmail.com to be added to our list today!

Welcome to Chabot College! Every journey has a first step.

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Latino Student Achievement & Success Programs
Bienvenidos a Chabot!

On behalf of the Chicano Latino Education Association (CLEA) we would like to congratulate you on your recent choice to attend Chabot College! We want to let you know that CLEA is dedicated to ensuring that each student has access to all educational opportunities offered here at Chabot.

CLEA was founded at Chabot College in 1986 by faculty and staff. Our mission is to advocate and support opportunities for Latino students, faculty and staff. We also serve as a vehicle for alumni and friends of the community to continue lifelong participation in our educational and cultural programs.

Our members are made up of faculty, staff, and administrators who are committed to working with you to help attain your educational goal. We would like to get to know you as a student and a member de nuestra comunidad! Be sure to attend the many events we have planned for you this upcoming school year! To keep updated on our events, please email chabotclea1987@gmail.com to be added to our list today!

Again, bienvenidos to Chabot College! We are glad you are going to be a part of our familia!

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Por parte de la Asociación Chicano Latina Educativa (CLEA), ¡nos gustaría felicitarte por tu recién decisión de asistir al Colegio Chabot! Queremos hacerte saber que CLEA está dedicada a asegurar de que cada estudiante tenga acceso a todas las oportunidades educativas aquí en Chabot.

CLEA fue comenzada en el Colegio Chabot en 1986 por profesores y personal. Nuestra misión es abogar y apoyar oportunidades para estudiantes, profesores y personal latinos. También servimos como vehículo para que antiguos estudiantes y amigos de la comunidad continúen una participación duradera con nuestros programas educativos y culturales.

Nuestros miembros son profesores, personal y administradores que están comprometidos a trabajar contigo para ayudarte a realizar to meta educativa. ¡Nos gustaría conocerte como estudiante y como miembro de nuestra comunidad! ¡Asegúrate de asistir a los muchos eventos que tenemos planeados para ti este próximo año escolar! Para mantenerte al tanto de nuestros eventos, ¡favor de mandarle correoé a chabotclea1987@gmail.com para añadirte a nuestra lista hoy!

Otra vez, ¡bienvenido al Colegio Chabot! ¡Nos alegra de que vayas a ser parte de nuestra familia!

Patricia Molina
President of CLEA
EOPS/CARE/CalWorks Coordinator
The mission of the Puente Project is not only to increase the number of educationally underserved and under-represented students who enroll and earn degrees in four-year colleges and universities, but to also increase the number of those who return to the community as leaders and mentors in service of succeeding generations. Puente is open to ALL interested students.

Puente is an academic, counseling and mentoring program supporting students as they build the skills necessary for success in both academic and career goals while at Chabot College. Students in Puente work closely with their counselor, English instructor and mentor to prepare for transfer to four-year colleges and universities.

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Carla Garcia
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Joining the Puente Program is a good experience to have. You end up connecting with your classmates as a family and you stay connected with other people who you meet along the way. The counselors helped me figure out what classes I should take, find outside connections and matched me with mentors.

Jose Luis Rodriguez
Major: Computer Science & Engineering
Even if you are not the first in your family to go to college, I highly recommend this program. You’ll be more aware of the opportunities, financial assistance, and transfer process. This program will give you the tools and knowledge about college that will get you on track towards transferring.
Latin@s With Purpose (LWP)

Latin@s with Purpose is a club based organization created to influence the growth and betterment of our Latino communities by equipping young Latin@s with lasting tools, support and encouragement needed for all of life's unexpected detours. We advocate for young latin@s and their families in our community and create pathways for personal success. We attempt to address the challenges of many latinos and reduce some issues that causes a large majority to drop out from schools and to head down a path of hardships.

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I decided to join the club during my second semester at Chabot to grasp a sense of belonging and be able to contribute my time to the community's needs. Not only did I gain personally, but I was also able to reflect on my experience with my academics. The connections you build while part of the club allow you to discover new resources on and off campus, and introduce you to support groups that are always there to help you ensure your success.

Jackeline Gonzalez
Major: Math

I decided to join LWP for a better college experience. Attending classes in itself is not enough, I felt isolated from Chabot even though I went there almost everyday. I felt the need to do more and be active in the community. I wanted to meet more people, people that shared similar goals with me.

Raúl Figueroa, Vice-President
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We (CARNAL) focus on being role models in our communities in order to promote improvements. Every Thursday I wake up in a positive mood because I get to see my second familia united, wearing the same brown guayabera with pride. This support group has helped me in many ways including my academics and personal life.

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Dia De Los Muertos Celebration - October
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Latino Graduation Celebration - May
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Special Programs

ASPIRE Program
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The ASPIRE program offers low-income, first generation, and disabled college students academic support: individualized academic, financial, and personal counseling, career exploration, and cultural enrichment activities. Also offers multi-tiered academic support including clustered courses, tutoring, and study groups.

Athletic Counselor
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We provide academic counseling and support for student-athletes to make sure they meet all Chabot College, University, CSU and NCAA eligibility requirements and reach their academic goals.

CalWORKs / Work Study Program
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The CalWORKs/Work-Study Program combines welfare benefits with education, job training and job placement, while providing childcare, transportation and school supplies. Both programs provide counseling, career planning and personal development workshops. Work study students can work on campus up to 20 hours per week.

CARE Program
(Cooperative Agencies Resources for Education)
Building 700, Room 767S 510-723-6909

CARE is an educational program and a cooperative effort between the community college system, Department of Social Services, and community organizations to assist single parents in achieving their educational goals. CARE offers counseling grants and meal tickets to CARE parents receiving cash aid with children under 14 years old.

DARAJA Project
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Daraja offers academic support services and a curriculum focused on African-American literature, history, and issues. Daraja is for students who want a good education, are willing to work hard, and want to study issues facing the African-American community. Daraja students do better in school and transfer to four-year universities at a higher rate.

DSPS (Disabled Students Programs and Services)
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DSPS serves the needs of students with physical, psychological and learning disabilities. The program provides academic, personal and vocational counseling, and offers courses to assist students with successful transition to and beyond college. DSPS assists with academic accommodations; use of community resources based on individual student needs and provides Student Educational Plans, and referrals for diagnostic evaluations.

EOPS (Extended Opportunity Programs and Services)
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EOPS (Extended Opportunity Programs and Services) provides access and educational otherwise prevent them from successfully attending and succeeding in college. EOPS provides individual counseling, book vouchers, workshops, and friendly support.
And Services

ETS Program (Educational Talent Search)
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ETS serves young people in grades 7th through 12th in the Hayward & San Lorenzo School Districts. In addition to counseling, participants receive information about college admissions requirements, scholarships and various student financial aid programs. More than 392,000 students are enrolled in approximately 510, ETS – Educational Talent Search TRIO programs.

EXCEL Program
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EXCEL offers eligible students in-depth academic support, including personal counseling, transfer assistance, career exploration with emphasis on ESL support courses.

Foster Youth Success Program
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The Foster Youth Success Program (FYSP) was created to ensure that youth transitioning from the foster care system have the help, resources, and support services they need to succeed at Chabot College. Our goal is to increase the number of current and emancipated youth from foster care who enroll and successfully graduate from Chabot College.

HPN (Hayward Promise Neighborhood)
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The HPN Programs are designed to ensure that all children growing up in the Jackson Triangle area of Hayward, California will have access to effective schools and strong family and community support, providing information about education and community service programs. HPN also offers community engagement opportunities such as: Kindergarten readiness camps, Home visitation program, Parent Promise Academy, Youth Enrichment Program (YEP), Project Eat, Chabot College Expanded Early Decision, and the College and Career Readiness and College Mentoring Program.

PACE
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PACE is an Adult College Education Learning community. It is a Degree and Transfer program specifically designed for working adults. Classes are pre-selected, offers clear pathways toward certain academic goals, instructors teach toward adult learners; includes General Education classes, and meets AA Degree requirements and CSU General Education Transfer Requirements.

Puente Project
Building 700, Room 767F  510-723-7120

The program is an academic, counseling, and mentoring program to help students achieve their academic and career goals. Students in Puente work closely with their counselor, English instructor and mentor to prepare for transfer to four-year colleges and universities through the exploration of the Mexican American /Latino experience.

SYSP (Summer Youth Sports Program)
Building 700, Room 767B  209-909-9244

SYSP has provided disadvantaged youth an opportunity to participate in a summer program involving sports and other educational activities. The SYSP program was in danger of being cut due to Federal budget constraints, but thanks to the University of Phoenix, TRIO program, ETS program, and grants from Career Technical Education, we continue our tradition of providing a quality summer youth sports program.
Campus Resources

General Counseling
The Chabot College Counseling Division provides essential support services to a diverse student population by offering an array of programs, classes and counseling services.

We provide services to:
+ New & Continuing Students
+ Returning & Former Students
+ International Students
+ Veterans
+ Working Adults/ Reentry

The following services are available:
+ Academic Counseling
+ Career Counseling
+ Front Desk Counseling
+ Mental Health
+ Online Counseling
+ Personal Counseling

Visit the General Counseling Office
Building 700, Room 752
510-723-7013

Career & Transfer Center
The Chabot College Career & Transfer Center is here to assist students with a variety of resources to meet academic, career and employment needs.

We provide assistance in:
+ Exploring and choosing a major
+ Applying & transferring to 4-year universities
+ Information about major prep & general education
+ Searching for scholarships
+ Referrals to local job listings
+ Building your resume
+ Reviewing effective job interview techniques

For more information, please contact:
Frances Fon
ffon@chabotcollege.edu
Building 700, Room 761

Financial Aid
Have questions about the financial aid programs at Chabot College?

Check out Financial Aid TV!

http://chabot.financialaidtv.com/

Visit the Financial Aid Office
Building 700, First Floor
510-723-6748

Student Health & Wellness Center
Please take a few minutes out of your busy schedules to stop by the health center to check our services

Visit the Health & Wellness Center
Building 200, Room 204
510-723-6748
The MESA/REACH Program provides in-depth academic support and career exploration for students who are STEM majors and planning to transfer to a 4-year institution. The most common majors include biology, chemistry, computer science, engineering and physics. In addition, we support a wide range of majors as long as calculus plus one year of major level science or computer science courses are required for transfer.

For more information, please contact:
Donna Gibson
510-723-6895
dgibson@chabotcollege.edu

**If you were in the foster care system as a foster youth, ward of the court, and/or a youth placed in kinship care, you are eligible to receive FYSP services**

For more information, please contact:
Precious Ward
510-723-7682
pward@chabotcollege.edu

Pathway to Law School

Chabot College is one of 24 California Community Colleges selected to participate in a pilot program designed to increase diversity in the legal profession. The Community College Pathway to Law School is a partnership between six California law schools and their respective undergraduate institutions, the State Bar, and the California Community College system. Students interested in law school or careers in law enforcement should contact Professor William Hanson, Administration of Justice and Law & Democracy Program.

For more information, please contact:
William Hanson
510-723-2614
whanson@chabotcollege.edu

Black Business Scholars

Are you a Business major, or thinking about it? Please attend one of our annual Business Education Seminars!

You can meet the Business faculty, learn about our certificates, degrees, and transfer programs and course requirements, as well as job prospects for Business majors. The seminars will occur in the Community Center, Room 722 on the following dates/times:

- Mon, October 11 at 9-10:15am & 10:30-11:45 am
- Tues, October 12 at 9-10:15am, 10:30-11:45am, & 1-1:50 pm

For more information, please contact:
Jan Novak
jnovak@chabotcollege.edu
http://www.chabotcollege.edu/BUS

Foster Youth Success Program

The Foster Youth Success Program (FYSP), is a new program that was created to ensure that students transitioning out of the foster care system have the help, resources, and support services they need to succeed at Chabot College.
The First Year Experience (FYE) Program focuses on student success in the form of various different "pathways" based upon student interests and academic goals. Students select a pathway based upon their academic interests and are given a class schedule each semester for their first year at Chabot College. Each class schedule provides core math and English sections geared towards the theme of each pathway. By joining an FYE pathway you are provided core courses that are typically difficult to add into as a new student, and support from various staff members across the Chabot College campus to ensure students are on the road to success!

**INTERESTED IN A PATHWAY?**

Submit the application located on [http://www.chabotcollege.edu/counseling/FYE/](http://www.chabotcollege.edu/counseling/FYE/)

**STEM**

The STEM pathway is a perfect fit for students potentially interested in Science, Technology, Pre-Med, Pre-Dentistry, Engineering and other related majors. Students will work with like minded peers towards their degree while exploring major options with professors knowledgeable in their area of interest.

**PUBLIC SERVICE/ LAW**

The Public Service/Law pathway allows students to explore their interest in Administration of Justice, or Public Service. Students will work with like minded peers towards their degree while exploring major options with professors knowledgeable in their area of interest.

**BUSINESS**

The Business pathway allows students to explore their interests in various business majors ranging from Health Care, Retail and Small Business Management to Accounting, Entrepreneurship, Human Resources, and Small Business Ownership. Students will work with like minded peers towards their degree with professors knowledgeable in their area of interest.

**HEALTH CARE & COMMUNITY WELLNESS**

The Health Care & Community Wellness pathway is a perfect fit for those interested in Nursing, Dental Hygiene, Health Science and Medical Technology related majors. This pathway offers reserved seating in the core Biology and Chemistry classes needed to succeed as a Health Care Professional.

**CHANGE IT NOW!**

This pathway is for individuals who want to make positive changes in our society. This includes students interested in Psychology, Sociology, Ethnic Studies and other related fields. CIN provides the opportunity for students to self-select various community issues such as: education, health care, budget cuts, environment, poverty, violence and more!

**EXPLORE**

The Exploring pathway assists students with undecided majors to work towards their degree while exploring different career and major options. Professors will provide the tools to assist in the decision making process while providing themselves as a resource for students to maximize their full potential.

**VISUAL ARTS**

Students potentially interested in Photography, Painting, Drawing/Illustration, Ceramics, and Sculpture will find the Visual Arts pathway a perfect fit! Students will work with like minded peers towards their degree while exploring career options with professors knowledgeable in their area of interest.
Join the DREAMERS CLUB of Chabot College

Building a Community of Support for Undocumented/AB-540/DACA Students and Allies

Club Topics & Activities:
- AB-540 & DACA
- CA Dream Act & Financial Aid/Scholarships for Dreamers
- Transfer Resources for Dreamers
- Immigration Workshops
- High School Outreach
- Fundraising
- Fieldtrips
- Potlucks & Social Events

Club Meetings
We meet every 1st & 3rd Thursday from 12-1pm in Room 506 – Join us!

Fall 2016 Club Meeting Dates

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For more information, visit our website or contact us:

Club Advisors: Katie Messina: kmessina@chabotcollege.edu & Pedro Reynoso: preynoso@chabotcollege.edu
Websites: General Information: www.chabotcollege.edu/dreamers
Dreamers Club: http://www.chabotcollege.edu/dreamers/dreamers-club
California community college students who complete certain academic requirements are now guaranteed transfer to a participating historically black college and university (HBCU) campus.

Visit the Career & Transfer center to learn more!

For more information, please contact:
Frances Fon
ffon@chabotcollege.edu
Building 700, Room 761
Your priority registration date is determined by: (a) completion of the three Core Services (Assessment, Orientation, and Student Education Plan), (b) units completed and in-progress at Chabot-Las Positas Community College District, and (c) Good Academic Standing.

To check your status, log into CLASS-Web and click the *Check Your Priority Registration Status* link.

1. **Assessment**  
   (www.chabotcollege.edu/counseling/assessment)

2. **Online Orientation**  
   (www.chabotcollege.edu/counseling/orientation)

3. **Student Education Plan (SEP)**  
   (Visit the Front Desk Counselor on the 2nd floor of Building 700)