

College of San Mateo

Division Program Review

Reporting Year: 2012-2013 to present

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PROGRAM/PROJECT/INITIATIVE	ACCOMPLISHMENTS	GOALS	NOTES/INST PRIORITIES
Modern Language Course and Program Development	Redesign and reinstitute American Sign Language I and II	Offer courses Fall 2015 (@ Hillsdale high school)	1.1, 3.7*
English High School Partnership	Hillsdale/CSM English Spring Conference, Tuesday, April 29 th We might develop this to include more high schools and partner with CSM Math.	Bring together high school and CSM English faculty to observe CSM classes, reflect on students' transition to college, and educate one another on curriculum, particularly Common Core standards (Fall 2015)	1.1, 2.1, 1.4*
English Assessment and Placement	Assessment Modeling (Per the Long Beach Promise)	Establish data modeling capability with San Mateo County Ed office to evaluate usefulness of high school transcripts in predicting student success in English	1.1*

*Institutional Priorities, 2008-2013 Draft 12/11/2013

Dean's comments:

1. **Faculty Diversity in Hiring:** In their program reviews, departments report on the low success and high withdrawal rates among specific student groups—primarily African American, Hispanic, Pacific Islander and students 19 years old or younger. Acknowledging the achievement gap, departments have been proactive in developing initiatives or participating in campus

CSM Institutional Priorities 2008-2013: Priority 1: Student Success; Priority 2: Academic Excellence; Priority 3: Relevant, High-Quality Programs and Services; Priority 4: Integrated Planning, Fiscal Stability, and the Efficient Use of Resources; Priority 5: Institutional Dialog

activities to address it. In addition to continuing to be proactive in supporting students' success and faculty development, the division might establish a plan to promote and foster diversity in faculty hiring as yet another strategy to address the achievement gap.

Resources Requested (Non-Duplicates with Individual Program Reviews)

Classified Staff

None

Student Assistants

None

Faculty Needs

None

Facilities

None

Equipment and Technology

Request	Number and Description	Cost
Document Cameras for Language Arts Classrooms (English and ESL)	20 Samsung SDP 760 (District ITS Supported)	Approx. \$500.00 Total: \$10,000.00 <i>Waiting on ITS price confirmation from manufacturer</i>

Please attach additional pages as needed