



# You Are Invited!

## SparkPoint at College of San Mateo Grand Opening

# November 14, 2018 11:30 am – 2:30 pm

College Center Building 10, Second Floor Please RSVP to: bit.ly/csmsparkpoint

Lunch and light refreshments will be provided







of SANTA CLARA and SAN MATEO COUNTIES

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### What is a SparkPoint Center?

SparkPoint is an inclusive, family friendly space where College of San Mateo students and community members can access a full range of services to assist them in achieving long-term financial stability.

SparkPoint brings together the most effective nonprofit and government partners to help clients build assets, grow income and manage debt. SparkPoint clients work with a coach, who helps create a step-by-step plan to set and achieve personal financial goals. Because change does not happen overnight, SparkPoint commits to working with clients for up to three years to achieve their financial goals. SparkPoint Centers help families move towards financial prosperity. We measure progress on income, credit, debt, and savings.



#### Sparkpoint services focus on three areas: increasing income, building assets, and managing credit.

#### **Increasing Income**

- Enroll in public benefits, including CalFresh and MediCal
- Connect with money-saving programs, such as free tax preparation, discounted utilities, discounted transit and low-cost automobile insurance
- Explore career options

#### **Managing Credit**

- Create a balanced household budget
- Manage credit cards and other debts
- Obtain and understand a credit report

#### **Building Assets**

- Access free and low-cost banking services
- Develop emergency savings plan

We Offer Free One-on-One Financial Coaching Create your financial plan, give us a call today!

