

OPEN FORUM on GENERAL EDUCATION and SB 1440 IMPLEMENTATION

**11:30am to 1:00pm Feb 9 and Feb 24
Admn 109**

General Education

Now is the time for all good faculty to...

**What ought
to be in
common for
our students
to get from
their college
educational
experience?**

- Short presentation of the changes to De Anza General Education proposed by a hard working and thoughtful steering committee comprised of Senators and Curriculum committee members.
- All faculty should review the proposed changes and participate in this important discussion.

SB1440 Implementation

The most profound legislation for community colleges since AB1725

- By Fall 2011, the college will have a minimum of two new Associate's degrees and there is a strong incentive to have more.
- The law itself and discussions in Sacramento emphasize transfer over general preparation.
- The college is mandated to adopt new Associate's degrees and either enter into new agreements or adopt a Model Curriculum
- All faculty are encouraged to attend, especially from the disciplines below, where a Transfer Model Curriculum has been established or is under discussion

Disciplines With TMC Established or In Planning:

Accounting
Art History
Biology
Business
Chemistry
Child Devlpmt

Communications
Computer Sys.
Criminal Justice
Economics
English

Geography
Geology
History
Kinesiology
Management

Marketing
Mathematics
Music
Philosophy
Physical Ed

Physics
Sociology
Studio Art
Theatre
Political Science
Psychology