Mission Statement

(first reading @ 2/25/10 College Council Meeting)

De Anza College provides an academically rich, multicultural learning environment that challenges students of every background to develop their intellect, character and abilities, to realize their goals, and to be socially responsible leaders in their communities, the nation and the world.

De Anza College fulfills its mission by engaging students in work that demonstrates the knowledge, skills, and attitudes contained within the College’s Institutional Core Competencies: communication and expression, information literacy, physical/mental wellness and personal responsibility, global, cultural, social, and environmental awareness, and critical thinking.