

What is IMPACT AAPI?

IMPACT AAPI are activities at De Anza College designed to support academic achievement targeting Asian American and Pacific Islander students—especially Filipino, Vietnamese, Cambodian, Hmong, Laotian, Samoan, Tongan, Guamanian, and Hawaiian students.

What does IMPACT AAPI offer?

- Unique classes with special themes and caring instructors - to develop your English writing and reading skills while exploring your cultural identity

Example: English writing classes that explore what it means to be Filipino, Vietnamese, Cambodian, Hmong, Laotian, Samoan, Tongan, Guamanian, Hawaiian, and Pacific Islander

Example: A summer youth leadership academy that introduces you to Asian American and Pacific Islander leaders in the Silicon Valley while developing your own leadership skills

- Summer Bridge – to help you get acquainted with college life and make an academic plan
- First-Year Experience – to support you through your first year at De Anza and make friends
- New Student and Parent College Session – to help you learn about what's available at De Anza College

Who should get involved with IMPACT AAPI?

Any registered De Anza student is eligible to sign-up for IMPACT AAPI classes. These classes will begin in Spring 2009 and be ongoing each quarter. The classes will be advertised in the class schedule.

Summer Bridge and the First-Year Experience invite students who are first in their family to go to college to apply.

All prospective De Anza College students can attend the New Student and Parent College Session.

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Initiatives to maximize positive academic achievement and cultural thriving
Focusing on Asian American and Pacific Islander students

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If you are interested, please fill out and submit the bottom form. The IMPACT AAPI office will contact you:

Student Name: _____

Email: _____

High school: _____

Mailing Address: _____

Phone Number: _____ Today's Date: _____