

Major Projects Proposed / Planned for 2006-07, August 18, 2006, DRAFT

The primary focus of the De Anza College Research Office in fall 2006 will be on supporting the strategic planning process and agenda. Priority will be given to studies that further the understanding of programs/variables that enhance student recruitment, success and retention.

Leading Efforts

- Strategic Planning Support – Tracking Indicators of Success
- Cost of Educating De Anza and Foothill Students Analysis

Student and Success Research Projects

- CHEM 1A Study – Success of students based on Chem50 success
- RENEW Program Study
- Learning in Communities Analysis and Presentations (District Opening Day)
- EnableMath/Noel Levitz Developmental Math Pilot Support and Analysis
- Success by Zip Code

Surveys

- Survey on services important for students taking evening and Saturday Classes
- Survey of financial aid students regarding transportation needs
- Analysis of Spring 2006 EDUCASE survey results on student use of technology
- Diversity / Campus Climate Survey analysis

Adhoc Projects

Work has begun:

- Assessment of 2005-06 Growth Initiatives
- BrioQuery / MAUI Replacement Project

Work has not started –**will be given a low priority:**

- Market Research – East San Jose Latinos
- Support for the Assessment Office
- Civic and Community Engagement Institute research support
- Implementing a “Reason for Withdraw” Tracking System
- Decline to State Ethnicity Study / Survey

Ongoing Commitments

- Enrollment Analyses – Drop for NonPayment, Concurrent Enrollment, Tech Prep
- International Student Reports - Open Doors, Tuition Revenue Estimates
- Financial Aid Reports
- State of the College
- Research Web Page
- Tutoring, Honors email extracts
- Massage Therapy, Nursing, MPS, Puente Program Tracking
- Transfer Student Tracking – SJSU, Student Clearinghouse Data
- Year End Expenditures Extract and Analysis
- Committees: Instructional Deans, Technology Task Force, Instructional Planning and Budget Team, College Council, Diversity Advisory Council, Strategic Planning Steering Committee and TI Co-Chair