Quick News – Housing Assistance for Students in Cupertino

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Student Housing Programs in Cupertino

De Anza has launched two new housing assistance programs, funded with a **\$25,000 grant** from the city of Cupertino, to assist qualified students who may be struggling with the **high cost of housing** in Silicon Valley.

The college will administer the programs in partnership with community organizations. To qualify, students must be eligible for the <u>California College Promise</u> fee waiver program and meet certain other criteria.

Housing Assistance Grants

Students who live in Cupertino can apply for limited cash grants to help them **avoid eviction or pay move-in costs**, so they're able to continue their education at De Anza. Applications will be screened by the college and <u>West Valley Community Services</u>, which will distribute funds to students.



House Sharing Program

Students who live in Cupertino, or are willing to move there, can apply to be matched with a Cupertino resident who has **room available to rent** at a reasonable rate. (While each situation is unique, this typically means renting a bedroom and sharing other living space, such as the kitchen.) Students and homeowners are screened by the college and Catholic Charities of Santa Clara County.



Students can learn more about both of these programs and how to apply by visiting the <u>Cupertino Housing Assistance</u> webpage. They can find additional resources for basic needs like **food and housing** at <u>deanza.edu/resources</u>.

Coming Up On the Calendar

- Thursday, Dec. 3, 7:30-8:30 p.m. <u>Virtual First Thursday</u>, an open mic event hosted by the <u>Euphrat Museum of Art</u> and DASB
- Dec. 7-11 Fall quarter finals

Check the Campus Events Calendar for details and more events.

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