

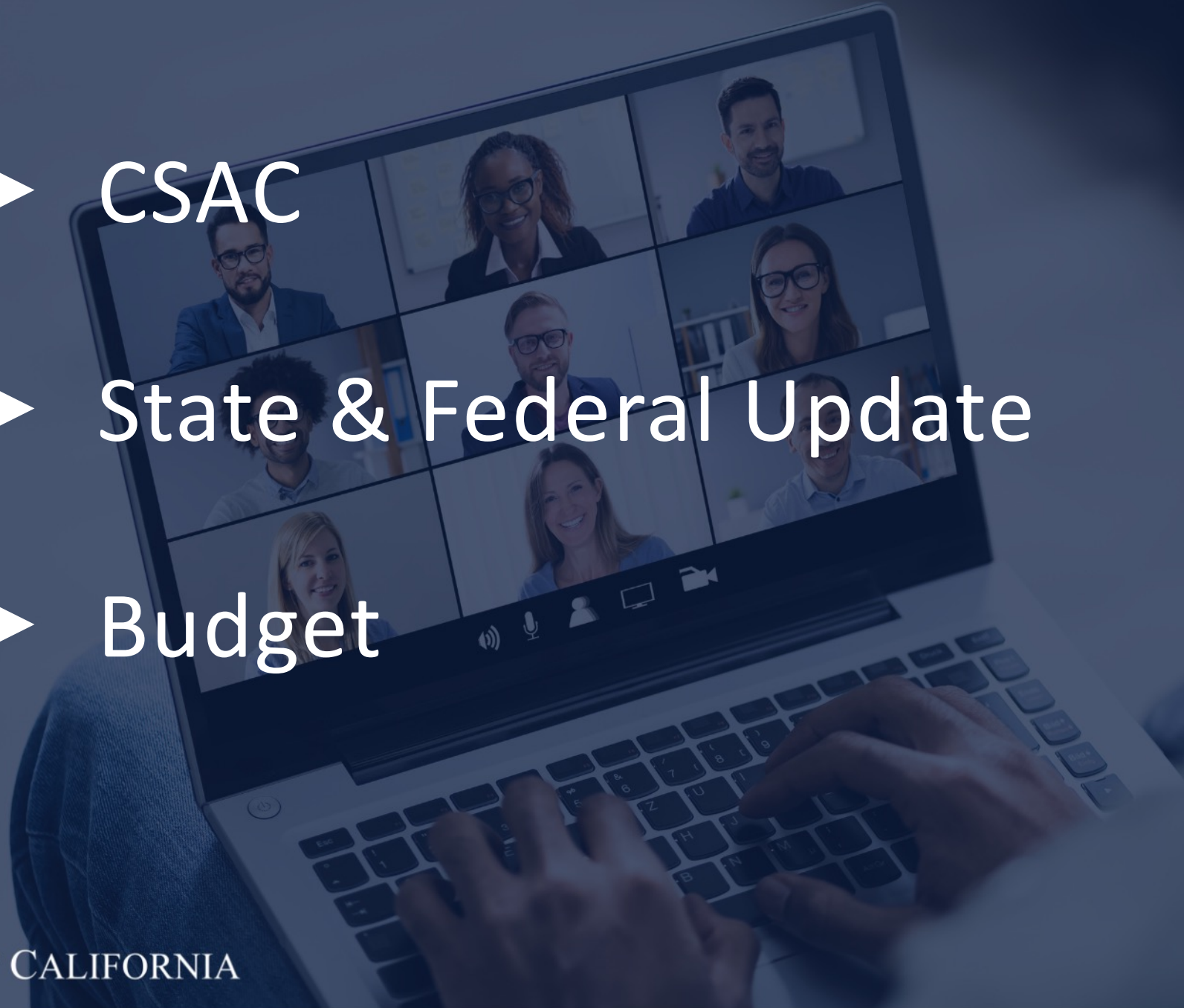


Government Relations Update

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State & Federal Update

Affordability Bills

Student Services:

- SB 885 (Laird) Foster Youth
- AB 1919 (Holden) Youth Transit Passes

Housing:

- AB 1602 (McCarty) Revolving Loan Fund
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- AB 1764 (Medina) Student Housing
- SB 886 (Wiener) CEQA Exemption

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- AB 2810 (Arambula) CalFresh: FAFSA Data

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- AB 2266 (Santiago) CA College Promise
- SB 1141 (Limón) Non-resident tuition
- AB 1606 (Irwin) Tuition waiver: Veterans
- AB 1232 (McCarty) Tuition exemption: ESL

Student Services

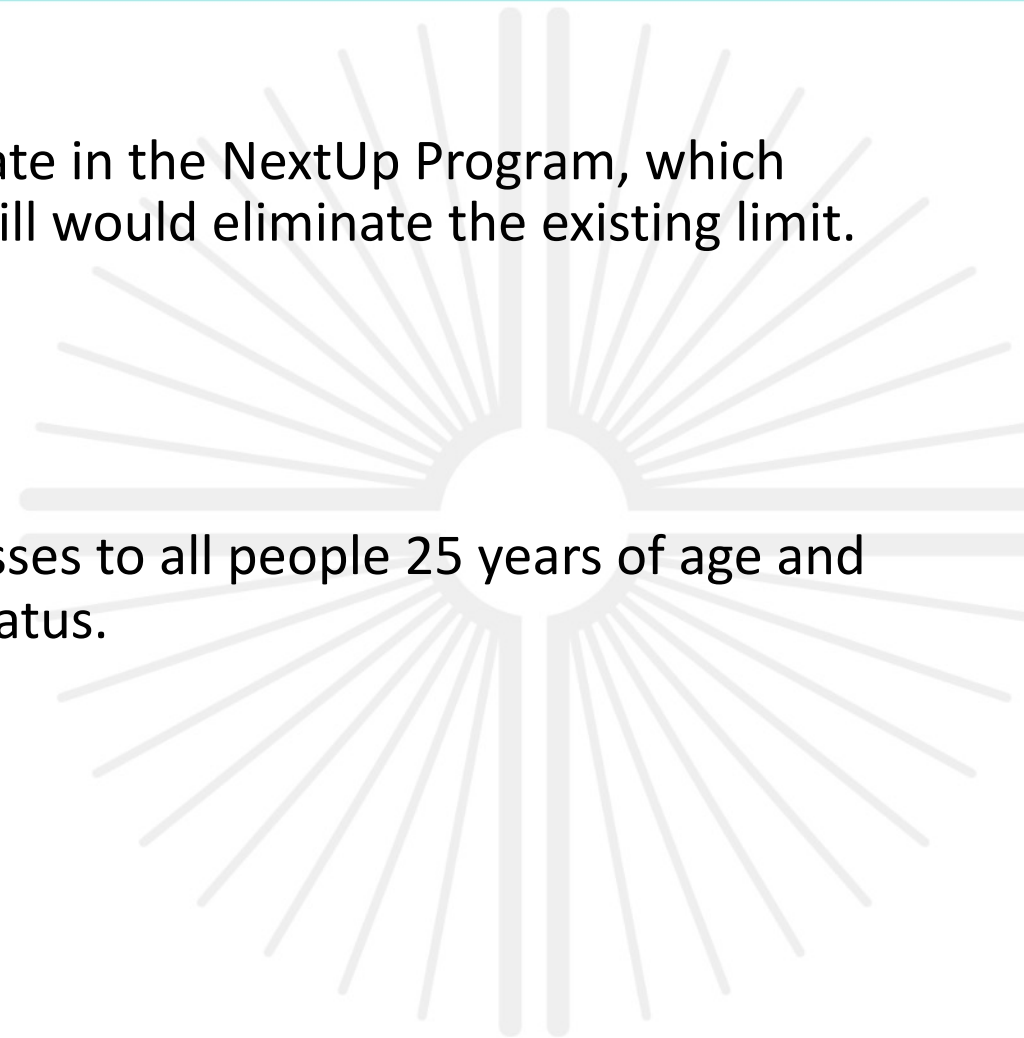
SB 885 (Laird) Community College Foster Youth

Currently, up to 20 community college districts may participate in the NextUp Program, which provides funding and support for former foster youth. This bill would eliminate the existing limit.

League Position: **SUPPORT**

AB 1919 (Holden) Youth Transit Pass Program

Would require transit agencies to offer free youth transit passes to all people 25 years of age and under with California residency, regardless of immigration status.



Housing

AB 1602 (McCarty) Revolving Loan Fund

Would appropriate \$5 billion to create a revolving loan fund that would have zero interest loans for affordable student housing at the UC, CSU, and community colleges.

AB 1719 (Ward) Community College Employee Housing

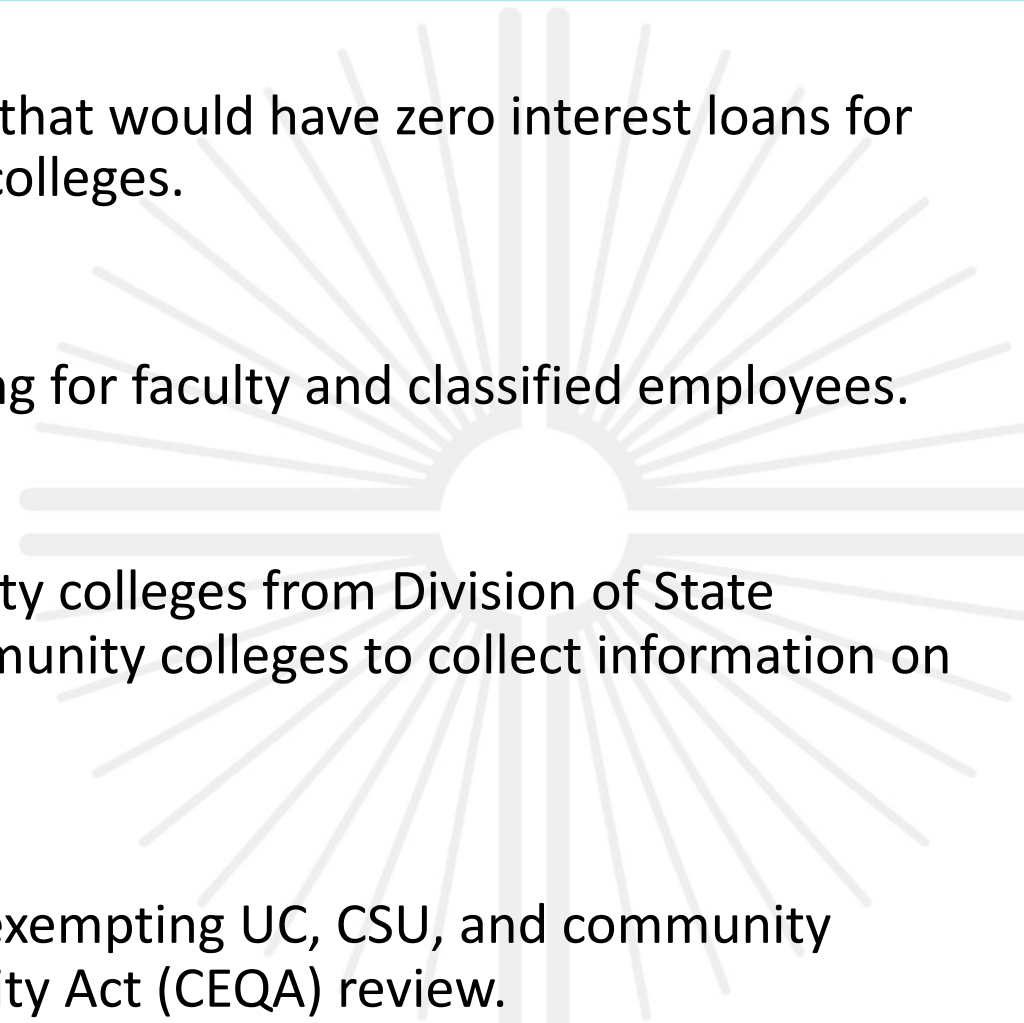
Would permit community colleges to build affordable housing for faculty and classified employees.

AB 1764 (Medina) Student Housing

Would require exempt student housing projects at community colleges from Division of State Architect (DSA) oversight and require the UC, CSU, and community colleges to collect information on the housing needs of their students.

SB 886 (Wiener) CEQA Exemption

Would streamline student housing throughout the state by exempting UC, CSU, and community college housing projects from California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) review.



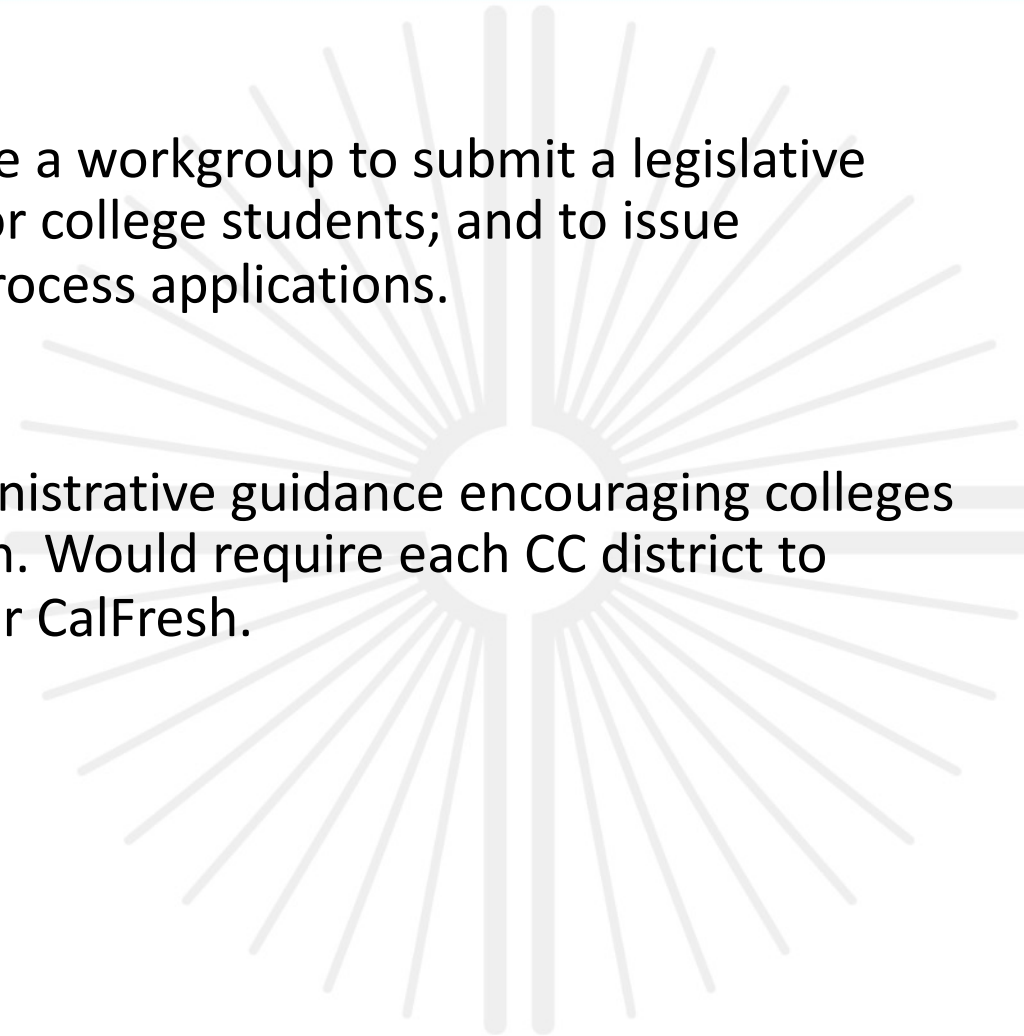
Food Insecurity

SB 641 (Skinner) CalFresh for College Students

Requires the Department of Social Services (CDSS) to convene a workgroup to submit a legislative report on how to improve the CalFresh application process for college students; and to issue instructions about how county welfare departments are to process applications.

AB 2810 (Arambula) CalFresh: FAFSA data

States the intent of the Legislature to codify the federal administrative guidance encouraging colleges to use FAFSA data to inform students of eligibility for CalFresh. Would require each CC district to email those students to inform them that they may qualify for CalFresh.



Tuition Assistance

AB 2266 (Santiago) CA College Promise

Would remove, for the purpose of eligibility for the CA Promise, the qualification that students be first-time students and the exclusion of students who have previously earned a degree or certificate.

SB 1141 (Limón) Non-resident tuition

Would expand AB-540 eligibility from 3 years of full-time high school coursework or community college attendance to 2 years of attendance.

AB 1606 (Irwin) Tuition Waiver: Veterans

Would waive tuition/fees for the spouse of any US veteran who has a service-connected disability, has been killed in service, or has died of a service-connected disability.

AB 1232 (McCarty) Tuition Exemption: English as a Second Language (ESL)

Establishes a nonresident tuition exemption for recent immigrants, refugees, and asylees to enroll in credit-bearing ESL courses at CCCs within the first year of their arrival in the U.S.

Faculty and Working Conditions: Legislation

- AB 1505 (Rodriguez) Faculty Obligation Number
- AB 1752 (Santiago) Part-Time Faculty Pay
- AB 1856 (Medina) Part-Time Faculty Course Load



Faculty and Working Conditions: Legislation

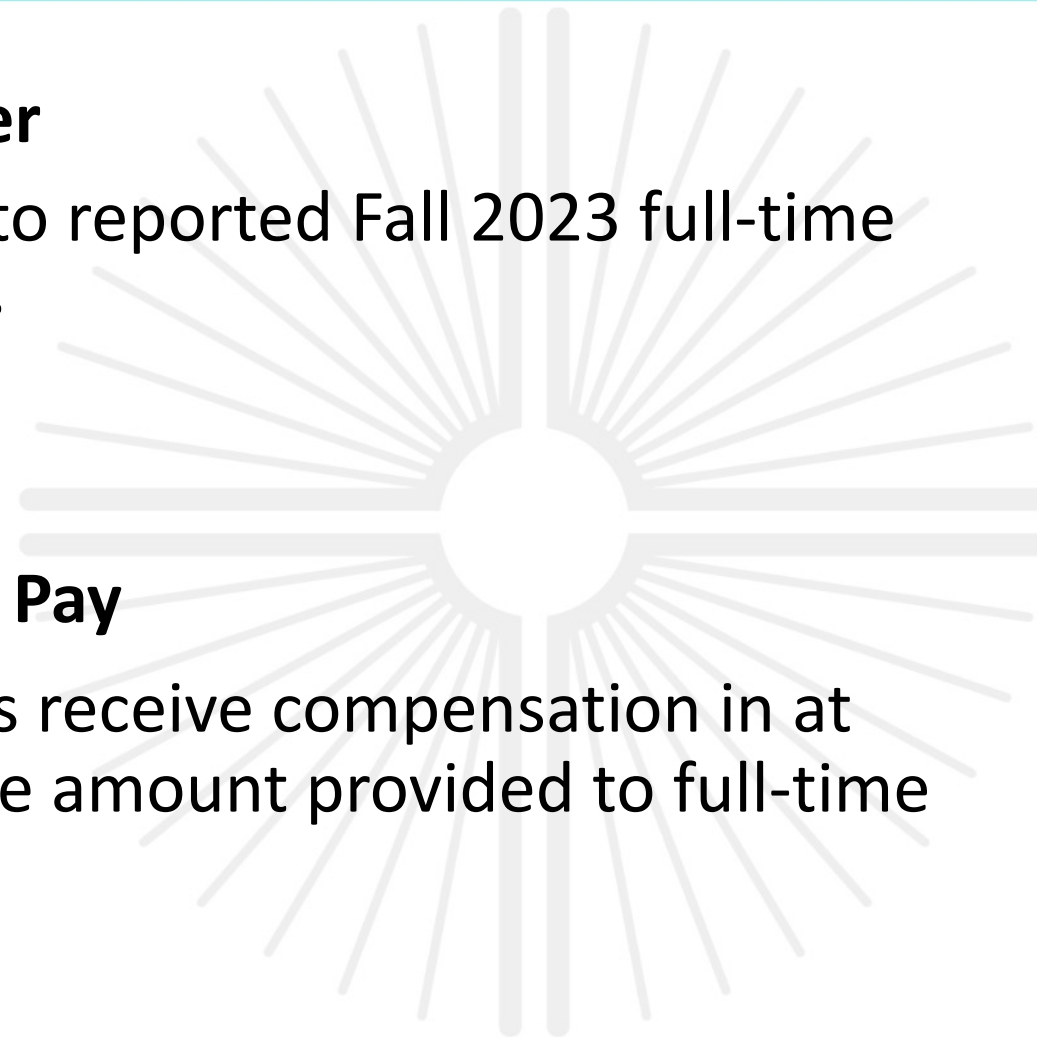
AB 1505 (Rodriguez) Faculty Obligation Number

Would re-bench the faculty obligation number to reported Fall 2023 full-time faculty numbers and be adjusted annually after.

League Position: OPPOSE

AB 1752 (Santiago) Part-Time Faculty Member Pay

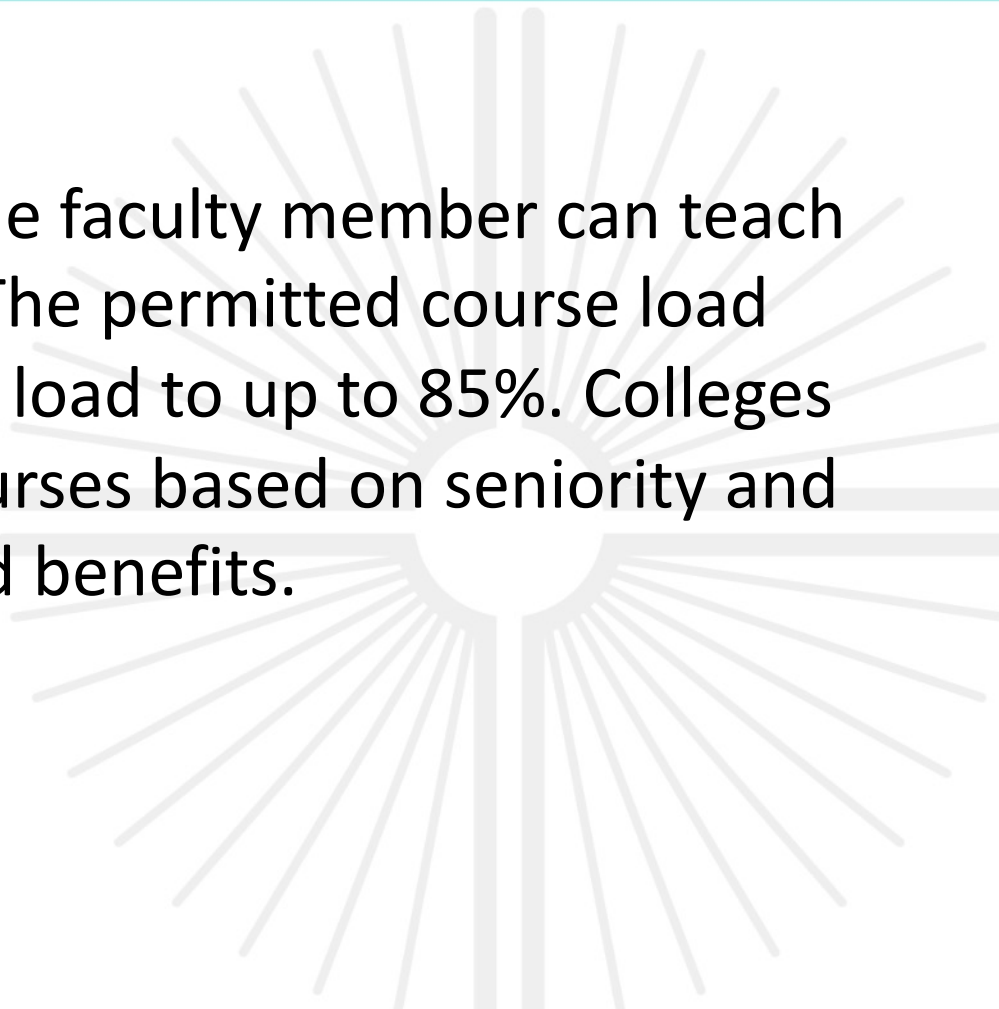
Would mandate that part-time faculty members receive compensation in at least an amount that bears the same ratio to the amount provided to full-time faculty members.



Faculty and Working Conditions: Legislation

AB 1856 (Medina) Part-Time Teaching Load

Would increase the number of classes a part-time faculty member can teach and still classify as a part-time faculty member. The permitted course load would go from two-thirds of a full-time teaching load to up to 85%. Colleges would be required to assign these additional courses based on seniority and could be liable for Affordable Care Act mandated benefits.





QUESTIONS



Members of Congress who have recently left or will not return:

Jackie Speier (14 CD)	Not running for reelection
Jerry McNerney (9 AD)	Not running for reelection
Devin Nunes (22CD)	Resigned from Congress
Karen Bass (37 CD)	Running for Los Angeles Mayor
Lucille Roybal-Allard (40 CD)	Retiring
Alan Lowenthal (47 CD)	Retiring
Harley Rouda (48CD)	Not Running for Reelection

Assembly Members who have recently left or will not return:

Kevin Kiley (6 AD)	Running for Congress
Jim Cooper (9 AD)	Running for Sac Sheriff
Marc Levine (10 AD)	Running for Insurance Commissioner
Jim Frazier (11 AD)	Resigned on Dec 31, 2021
David Chiu (17 AD)	Appointed SF City Attorney
Bill Quirk (20 AD)	Not running for reelection
Adam Gray (21 AD)	Running for Congress
Kevin Mullin (22 AD)	Running for Congress
Rudy Salas (32 AD)	Running for Congress
Mark Stone (29 AD)	Not running for reelection
Jordan Cunningham (35 AD)	Not running for reelection

Assembly Members who have recently left or will not return:

Chad Mayes (42 AD)	Not running for reelection
Adrin Nazarian (46 AD)	Not running for reelection
Ed Chau (49 AD)	Appointed LA County Superior Court Judge
Richard Bloom (50 AD)	Not running for reelection
Cristina Garcia (58 AD)	Running for Congress
Jose Medina (61 AD)	Not running for last term in office
Autumn Burke (62 AD)	Resigned
Kelly Seyarto (67 AD)	Running for State Senate
Tom Daly (69 AD)	Not running for reelection
Patrick O'Donnell (70 AD)	Not running for last term in office
Janet Nguyen (72 AD)	Running for the State Senate
Lorena Gonzalez (80 AD)	Named head of California Labor Federation

Incumbent Vs. Incumbent Races:

AD 34: Lackey Vs. Thurston Smith

AD 75: Waldron Vs. Voepel

Termed out and Departing Senators in 2022

Jim Nielsen (4 SD)	
Richard Pan (6 SD)	
Bob Wieckowski (10 SD)	
Bob Hertzberg (18 SD)	
Melissa Melendez (28 SD)*	
Patricia Bates (36 SD)	
Ben Hueso (40 SD)	
Sydney Kamlager (30 SD)	Running for Congress
Andreas Borgeas (8 SD)	Not running for reelection
Connie Leyva (20 SD)***	Not running for reelection

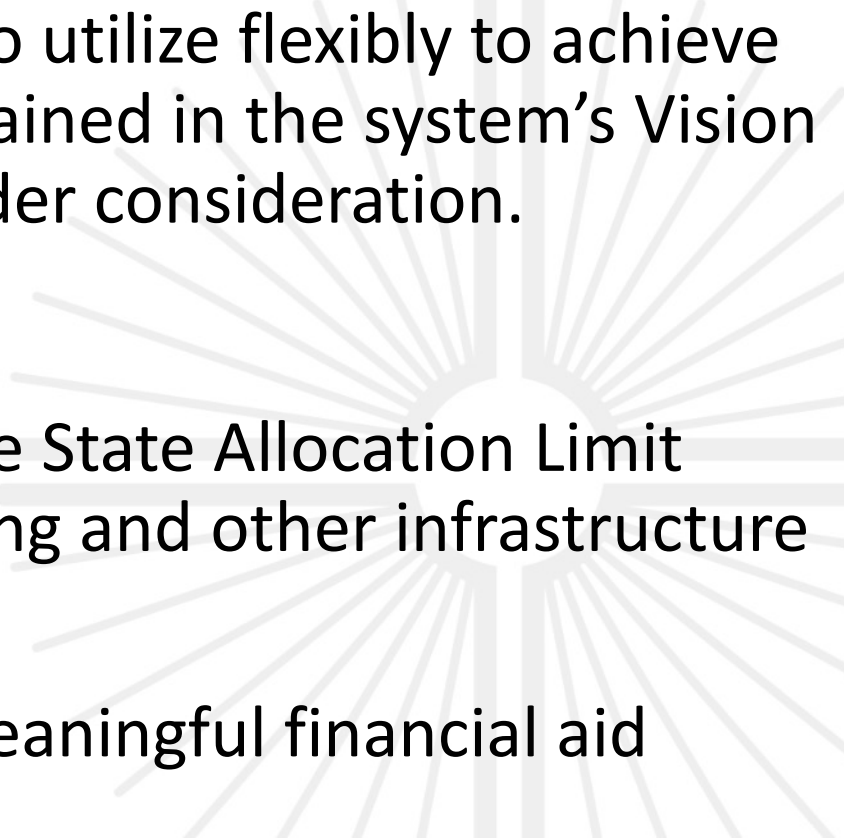




Budget Update



League's Priorities for 2022-23 Budget

- 1) Increase base resources for our districts to utilize flexibly to achieve the twin goals of equity and success contained in the system's Vision for Success and the various proposals under consideration.
 - 2) Reduce pension costs for our districts.
 - 3) Maximize spending of funds subject to the State Allocation Limit (Gann Limit) on community college housing and other infrastructure projects.
 - 4) Use non-Proposition 98 funds to enact meaningful financial aid reform for our students.
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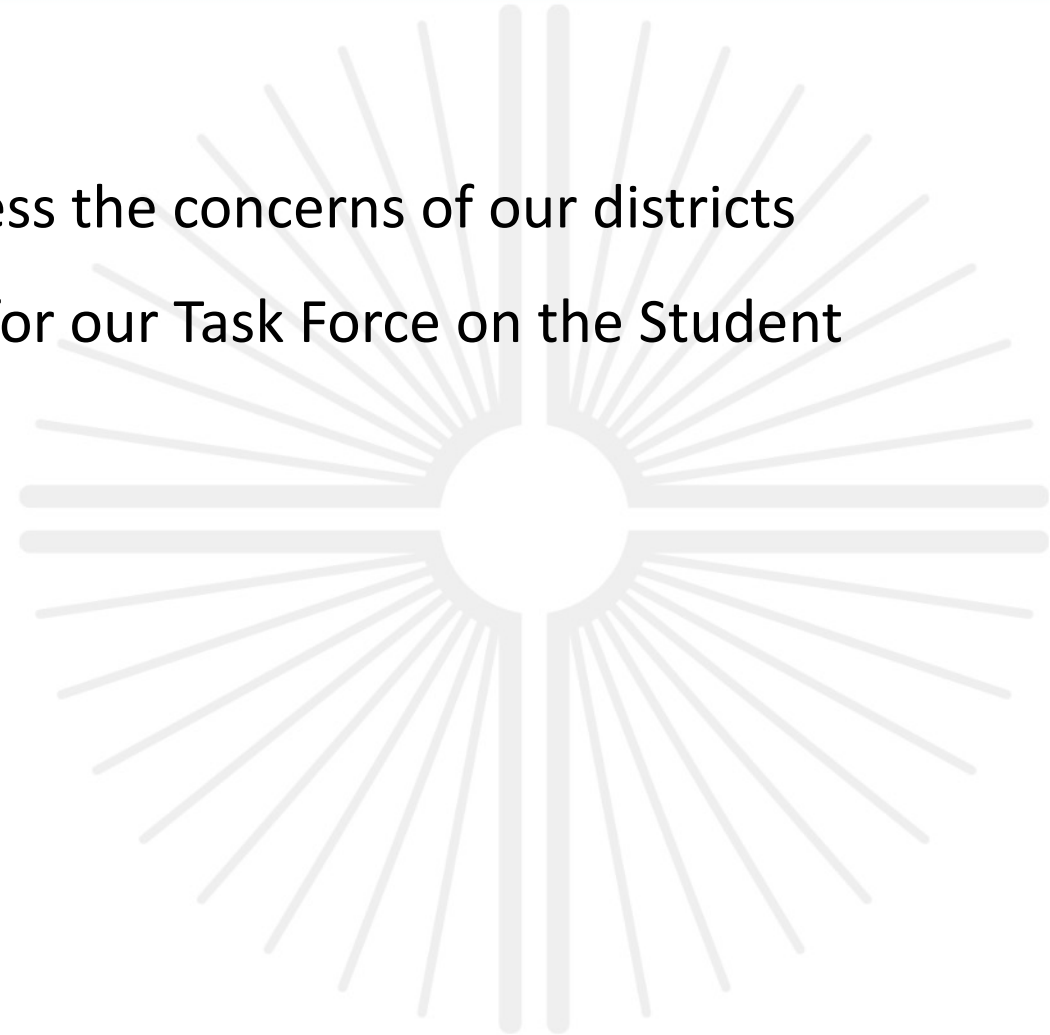
Coalition Letter

- Base Tech Allocation of \$300 million
- Address Pension Obligations
- Financial Aid Reform

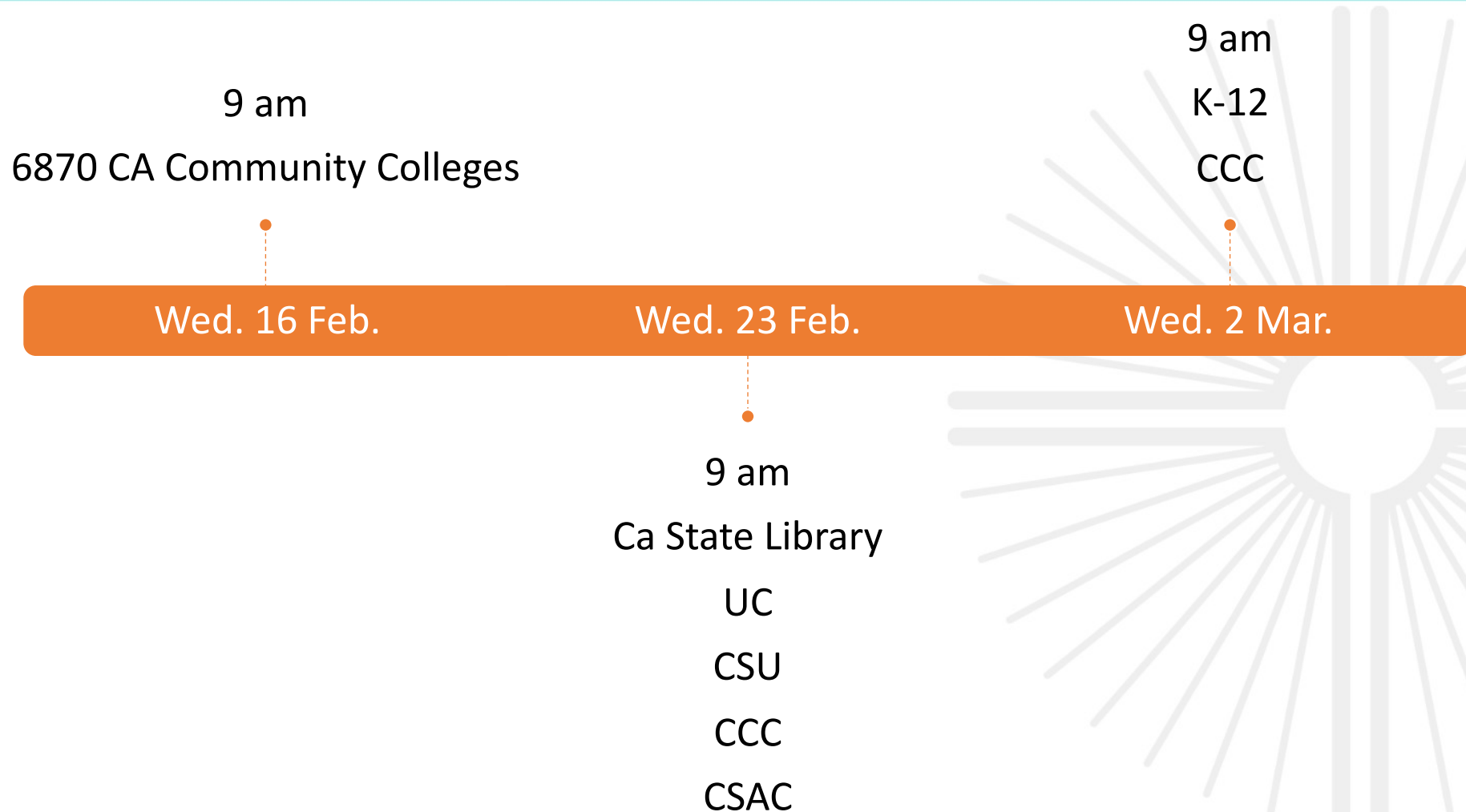


Other Issues

- SCFF Rebenching
 - League is grateful for the willingness to address the concerns of our districts
 - Major issue for the League and a focal point for our Task Force on the Student Centered Funding Formula.
 - We have begun internal discussion.



Senate Hearing Budget Sub #1 on Education



Assembly Hearing Budget Sub #2 on Education Finance

Upon Adjournment of Session
Overview of Higher Education

Mon. 14 Feb.

Tue. 22 Mar.

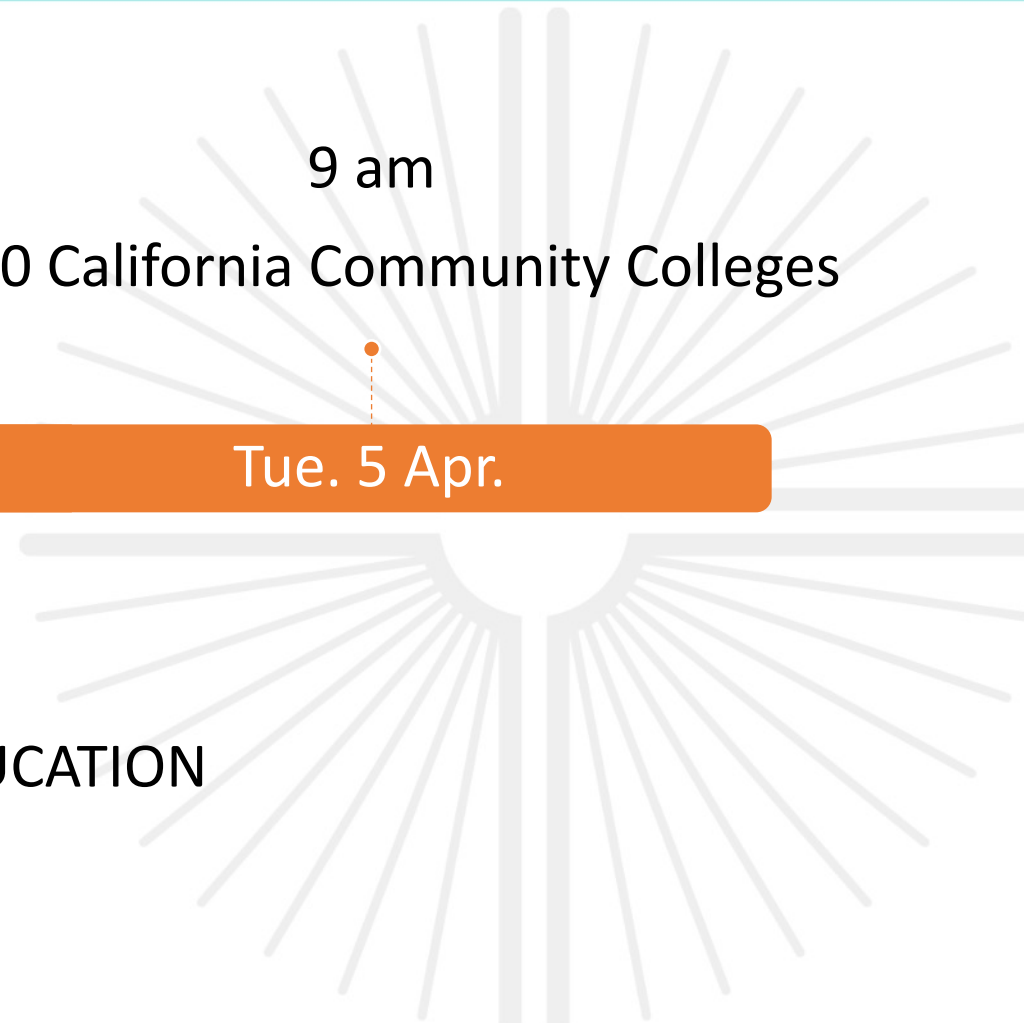
Tue. 5 Apr.

9 am

6870 California Community Colleges

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PreK-12 AND HIGHER EDUCATION



DOF Housing Report

March 1, 2022

#	Applicant (a)	Segment (b)	Proposed Grant Amount ¹ (c)	Additional Students Housed (d)
1	Imperial Valley College/San Diego State	Intersegmental ³	\$8,860,000	51
2	Fresno City College	CCC	\$34,080,000	360
3	College of the Siskiyous	CCC	\$32,613,000	252
4	San Francisco State University	CSU	\$116,300,000	750
5	Ventura College	CCC	\$62,923,000	320
6	UC Los Angeles	UC	\$35,000,000	358
7	UC San Diego	UC	\$100,000,000	1,100
8	Sierra College	CCC	\$80,497,000	354
		Total⁵	\$470,273,000	3,545
		UC	\$135,000,000	1,458
		CSU	\$120,730,000	776
		CCC	\$214,543,000	1,312

CCC Planning Grant Applications Proposed for 2021-22 Appropriation

- 75 planning projects funded
- \$18,174,000



Additional Construction

Grant Applications Eligible for 2021-22 Appropriation Consideration

#	Applicant (a)	Segment (b)	Proposed Grant Amount ¹ (c)	Additional Students Housed (d)
1	CSU Long Beach	CSU	\$53,300,000	403
2	Humboldt State University	CSU	\$21,107,000	138
3	Napa Valley College	CCC	\$31,000,000	124
4	Santa Rosa Junior College	CCC	\$15,000,000	70
5	Fresno State	CSU	\$31,050,000	175
6	CSU Northridge	CSU	\$37,500,000	200
7	CSU Dominguez Hills	CSU	\$48,750,000	238
8	UC Irvine	UC	\$65,000,000	300
9	Cosumnes River College	CCC	\$44,144,000	145
10	CSU Fullerton	CSU	\$88,900,000	390
11	CSU San Marcos	CSU	\$91,000,000	390
12	Compton College	CCC	\$80,389,000	250
13	Lake Tahoe Community College District	CCC	\$39,369,000	100
14	UC Santa Cruz	UC	\$89,000,000	320
15	UC Berkeley	UC	\$100,000,000	310
16	Bakersfield College	CCC	\$60,245,000	154
17	College of the Canyons	CCC	\$61,858,000	100
		Total³	\$957,612,000	3,807
		UC	\$254,000,000	930
		CSU	\$371,607,000	1,934
		CCC	\$332,005,000	943

Construction Grant Applications Ineligible for 2021-22 Appropriation Consideration

#	Applicant	Segment
1	Cabrillo College	CCC
2	Ohlone College	CCC
3	Ohlone College	CCC
4	San Mateo Community College	CCC
5	Fresno City College	CCC
6	Antelope Valley Community College	CCC
7	Cerritos College	CCC
8	Cypress College	CCC
9	Long Beach City College	CCC
10	College of the Redwoods	CCC
11	San Diego City College	CCC
12	Sacramento State	CSU
13	Merced College/UC Merced	Intersegmental
14	Hastings College of the Law	UC
15	UC Merced	UC
16	UC Merced	UC
17	UC Riverside	UC





QUESTIONS





Thank You!

