Advancing the Work of Community Colleges

About College Board
College Board is a mission-driven not-for-profit organization that connects students to college success and opportunity.

The organization also serves the education community through research and advocacy on behalf of students, educators, and schools.

The College Board provides a unique opportunity for community colleges to build stronger relationships with K–12 schools and four-year colleges and universities. We are member-driven and one of the few not-for-profit national organizations that brings a cross-sector approach in the service of our nation’s students. Through our assemblies and councils, educators from high schools, colleges, and universities gather to share, align, and collaborate.

How We Serve Community Colleges
In recognition of the important role of community colleges, the College Board has developed programs and services specifically designed to assist community college professionals. Resources are available at collegeboard.org/communitycolleges, and our efforts include:

- Online resources that guide students toward their education and career goals, and helpful resources for educators. bigfuture.collegeboard.org/get-started/educator-resource-center
- College Board Opportunity Scholarships, a first-of-its-kind national scholarship program that guides students through the college planning process and offers them a chance to earn money for college for each action they complete. cb.org/opportunity
- Advocacy and education policy initiatives that help to advance the unique mission of higher education and community colleges. collegeboard.org/communitycolleges

Founded in 1900, College Board was created to expand access to higher education.

Today, the membership association is made up of over 6,000 of the world’s leading educational institutions and is dedicated to promoting excellence and equity in education.

Each year, College Board helps more than 7 million students prepare for a successful transition to college through programs and services in college readiness and college success—including the SAT® and the Advanced Placement® Program.

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• AP® and CTE resource that examines how AP courses can be embedded into or used to augment CTE programs of study. 
  [careertech.org/resource/ap-cte-working-together](careertech.org/resource/ap-cte-working-together)
  CTE connections also available for CLEP® exams. 
  [careertech.org/resource/clep-cte](careertech.org/resource/clep-cte)

• Research on contemporary issues critical to higher education and community colleges ranging from admission to validity. 
  [research.collegeboard.org](research.collegeboard.org)

• Assessments that help students, counselors, and institutions pinpoint academic strengths and validate prior knowledge. 
  [professionals.collegeboard.org/testing](professionals.collegeboard.org/testing)
  [accuplacer.collegeboard.org/professionals](accuplacer.collegeboard.org/professionals)
  [clep.collegeboard.org](clep.collegeboard.org)

• ACCUPLACER® Senior Campaign for high school seniors that promotes local community colleges as a way to start the college journey for students who are unsure of the next steps.

• Annual conferences such as the College Board Forum to help members understand innovative programs that increase access, promote student success, and foster discussion of best practices. 
  [collegeboard.org/forum](collegeboard.org/forum)

• Diversity conferences specifically designed to help educators increase the preparation, access, and college completion of Latino, African American, and Native American students. 
  [collegeboard.org/diversityconf](collegeboard.org/diversityconf)

• Professional development activities that allow educators to engage in meaningful dialogue about the central education issues of our day. 
  [professionals.collegeboard.org/prof-dev](professionals.collegeboard.org/prof-dev)

College Board is committed to addressing the needs of community colleges and to building relationships that serve you, your students, and your colleagues.

To learn how you can become more involved in the College Board’s professional network, visit [collegeboard.org/communitycolleges](collegeboard.org/communitycolleges).