

# Pillar 4: Ensure Learning Initiative

District Consultation Council

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# Ensure Learning Initiative

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# Guided Pathways Pillars

## FOUR PILLARS OF GUIDED PATHWAYS



# Purpose and Goals

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- 1) Position colleges to evaluate instructional effectiveness, and thereby provide assessment data and other accountability and reporting measures to empirically demonstrate the quality of instruction and the quantity of learning occurring at each college.
- 2) Support colleges in identifying and measuring one aspect of ensuring learning (e.g.: work-based learning, online learning, social capital, sense of belonging, and dual enrollment)
- 3) Coordinate with college teams to facilitate collaborative discussion on:
  - Identifying goals and determining a Pillar 4 project
  - Develop solutions to ensure learning
  - Develop a timeline and checkpoints along the way

# 3-Year Timeline

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- The process of ensuring student learning cannot happen with a singularity of effort but must be a long-term initiative.
- We invest in this 3-year journey without the pressure or expectation of yielding immediate results.

# 2022-23 Next Steps

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- **Feb. 10:**
  - Colleges finalize Ensure Learning project and campus lead
  - Classified representative selected
- **February-May:**
  - Coordinating Team monthly meetings
  - College Team monthly meetings with Consultant/Facilitator
  - Project planning
- **April 14: TALE Fest**
  - Presentation of college projects and plans at TALE Fest
- **June:**
  - Preliminary data reported in colleges' Student Success with Equity Report

# 2023-25 Plans

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## **Fall:**

- Monthly meetings of the Coordinating Team to provide ongoing support to the colleges
- Colleges monitor the implementation of projects to ensure learning and review data.
- December: Colleges report findings in Student Success with Equity Report

## **Spring:**

- Monthly meetings of the Coordinating Team to provide ongoing support to the colleges
- Colleges monitor the implementation of projects to ensure learning and review data.
- May: Colleges and Ed Services produce an annual report of progress, findings, best practices, and recommendations for ongoing improvement.

## **Summer:**

- June: Colleges report findings in Student Success with Equity Report

# Coordinating Team

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**Co-Leads:** Nick Strobel and Manny Mourtzanos

**Consultant & Facilitator:** Jennifer Johnson (LFM principles)

**Institutional Research & Reporting:** Craig Hayward

**Vice President of Instruction Rep:** Billie Jo Rice

**Vice President of Student Services Rep:** Heather Ostash

**Bakersfield College Lead:** tbd

**Cerro Coso Community College Lead:** tbd

**Porterville College Lead:** Bob Simpkins

**Classified Representative:** tbd



# Discussion

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