

SAN DIEGO MESA COLLEGE

Extended Opportunity
Programs and Services

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Hello! I am Leticia A. Diaz.

“Life’s most persistent and urgent question,
‘What are you doing for others’”. - MLK



Overview

EOPS

Serves low-income educationally underserved students.

CARE

Serves EOPS single parents receiving CalWORKs from the county.

FAST

Serves low-income current and former foster youth of all ages.

STAR TRIO

Serves underserved student planning to transfer to a four-year university.

NextUp

Serves low-income current and former foster youth students 26 or younger.

Project Restart

Serves students who have been affected by incarceration.

Borderless

Serves students who identify as Dreamers, AB540, Undocumented and/or DACA recipient.



What is EOPS?

- State-funded program whose roots originated from the 1960s civil rights movement.
- In 1969 Senate Bill 164 was enacted into law, establishing EOPS within the California Community Colleges system.
- In 1970 EOPS was established in 46 community colleges.
- Today, EOPS exists at all 114 community colleges in California.

50
YEARS

“ *Extended Opportunity Programs and Services (EOPS) is a state funded program designed to provide counseling, retention and support services to increase college enrollment for those individuals who have previously not considered college as an option. EOPS strives to alleviate the educational barriers that preclude many students from college attendance.*



998,124

EOPS Students in California



EOPS

- 700+ Students
- Specialized Workshops
- Student Leadership Opportunities
- Scholarships
- Personal, Academic and Career Counseling

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CARE

- 1982- Assembly Bill 3103
- 20 Students
- CARE Conference- Cultivating a Culture of CARE
- CARE Circles
- Event for students and family

Counselor Coordinator- Karen Gueida

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CARE



NextUp

- 31 Students
- FY Center room D102
- Office Hours
- Educational and Cultural Activities
- FY Conference

Counselor Coordinator- Sade Burrell

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NextUp



FAST Scholars

- 36 Students
- Angell Grant
- Emergency Grants
- Utilities and Technology

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FAST Scholars



Borderless Scholars

- 150 active Students
- CA Catalyst Funds
- Undocu-Circles
- Immigration Consultations
- Undocumented Student Conference
 - ▷ Mesa College- April 25th
 - ▷ City College- May 4th

Counselor Coordinator- Jesus Gaytan

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Borderless Scholars



Project Restart

- 50 Students
- Restart Club
- Formerly Incarcerated Student Conference
 - ▷ April 15th

Counselor Coordinator- Jesus Gaytan

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Project Restart



STAR TRIO

- 230 active students
- TRIO Grant Application- 5 year Cycle
- STAR TRIO Club
- Computer Lab/Printing
- Tutors

Counselor Coordinator- Marichu Magana

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What's next?

Outreach

Retention

Graduation

Career

A graduate in a red gown is shown from the side, holding a rolled-up diploma with a red ribbon and a mortarboard. The background is dark, and the text is overlaid in large white letters. There are blue and orange geometric shapes in the corners.

Transformational Limitless Empowerment

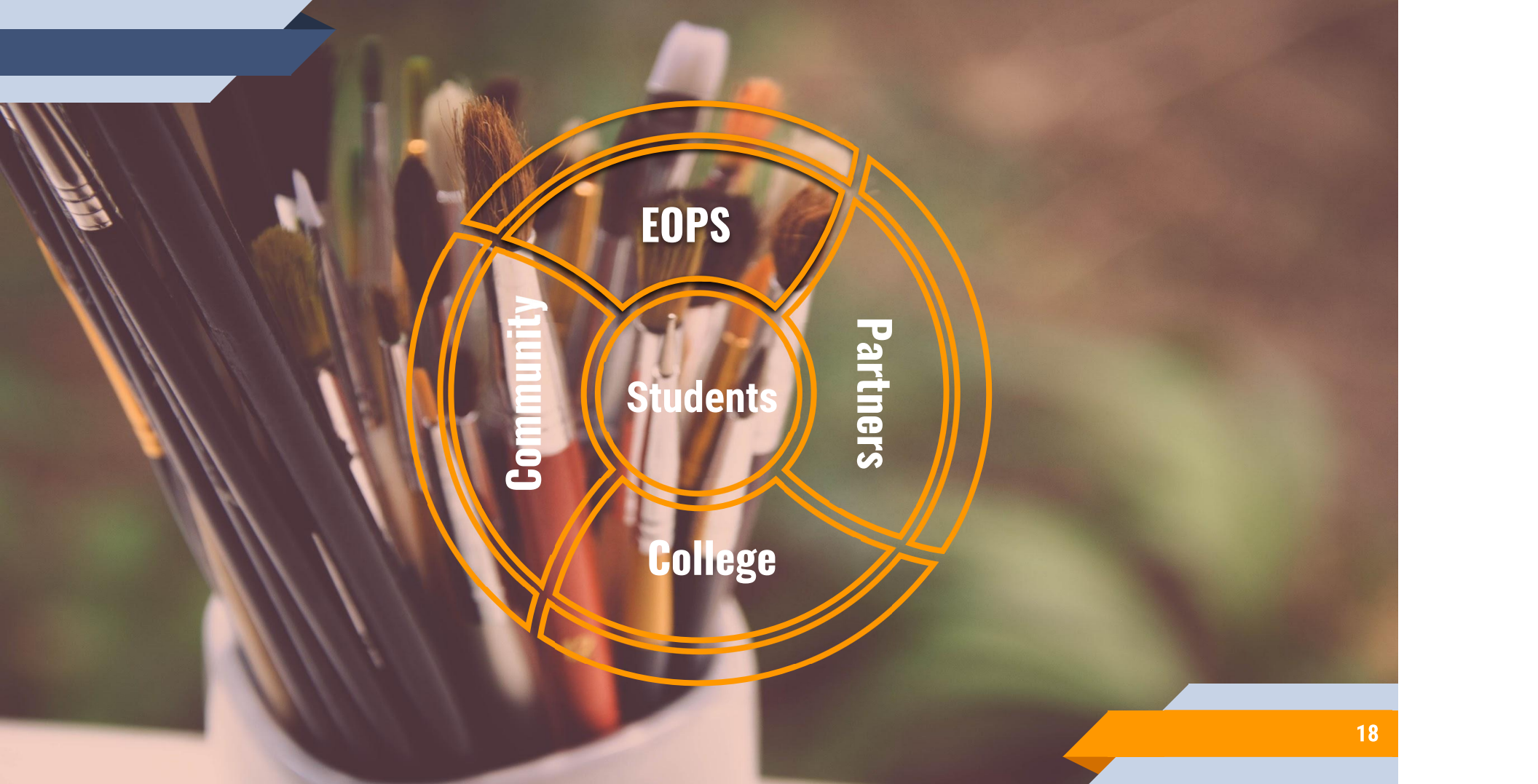
How can I make a difference?





Things to look forward to...

- Growth of Programs
 - Team & Students
- Merging
- Space and Resources
- Data Collection
- Communication
- Achievement Ceremony
- Advocacy
- Scholarships
- Fall Conference
- Student Engagement
- Policies & Procedures



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Community

Students

Partners

College





Thank you, any questions?

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