# Santa Rosa Junior College Accreditation Response Plan

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## Background

- Accrediting Commission for Community and Junior Colleges (ACCJC)
- Western Association of Schools and Colleges (WASC)
- Seven-Year Accreditation Cycle
  - Institutional Self-Evaluation Report
  - Peer Review Team Site Visit
  - Peer Review Team Report



## **ACCJC Action Letter**

- Action Letter, June 14, 2022
- Commendations
- Compliance Requirements
- Reaffirmed Accreditation for 18-Months
- Follow up Report
- Follow up Site Visit



## **Commendation 1**

• Standards II.B.1, II.B.2, II.C.1, II.C.3 (Commendation 1): "The Commission commends the College for their exceptional and innovative efforts, in response to many recent crises, by continually supporting and fostering student success and achievement across the institution through notable processes and practices that demonstrate exemplary library, learning support and student support services and materials."



#### **Commendation 2**

• Standards II.C.2, III.B.2 (Commendation 2): "The Commission commends the College for its leadership and foresight in meeting its mission and enhancing the student experience by constructing affordable and sustainable student housing."



#### **Commendation 3**

• Standards III.D.1, III.D.2 (Commendation 3): "The Commission commends the College for its strong commitment ensuring long-range financial stability through the collegial development and implementation of its Long Range Plan for Fiscal Integrity."



# **Compliance Requirement 1**

• Standard I.B.6 (Requirement 1): "In order to the meet the Standard, the Commission requires the College disaggregate and analyze student learning outcome data for student subpopulations, as identified by the institution."



# **Compliance Requirement 2**

• Standards I.B.2, II.A.3 (Requirement 2): "In order to the meet the Standards, the Commission requires the College develop a sustainable process for regularly assessing student learning outcomes for all its courses and programs, and ensure that course syllabi include statements of learning outcomes from the institution's officially-approved course outlines."



## Reaffirmed Accreditation, 18 Months

- Follow up Report, due October 1, 2023
- Follow up Site Visit, October or November, 2023
- ACCJC Commission Meeting, January 2024
- "If the institution cannot document that it has come into compliance within the designated period, the Commission will take adverse action."



## Fall 2022

- SLO Software System
- Resources toward SLO Coordination
- Accreditation Response Team
  - Define "Regular Assessment"
  - Identify Student Populations to Disaggregate and Analyze
  - Adopt New Practices to Ensure Regular Assessment
  - Improve Systems to Capture Evidence of SLOs in Course Outlines and Syllabi



## Spring 2023

- Preliminary Draft of Follow up Report
  - Conduct "Regular Assessment"
  - Disaggregate and Analyze SLOs for Identified Student Populations
  - Implement New Practices to Ensure Regular Assessment
  - Employ Systems to Capture Evidence of SLOs in Course Outlines and Syllabi
- Review Draft of Follow up Report with College Community



## **Summer 2023**

- Finalize Follow up Report
- Begin Preparing for Fall 2023 Follow up Site Visit
- Accreditation Response Team Remains Engaged



## Fall 2023

- Presentation to College Community
- Board Presentation, September Board Meeting
- Submit Follow up Report to ACCJC by October 1, 2023
- Host Team Site Visit, October or November of 2023
- ACCJC Commission Meeting, January 2024



## **SLO Showcase**

- SRJC's SLO Showcase
  - <a href="https://slo.santarosa.edu/showcase">https://slo.santarosa.edu/showcase</a>
- Core aspects of academic disciplines
- Intrinsic qualities of learning
- Making this work meaningful



# **Discussion**





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