

College Budget & Priorities Survey

On November 11, 2024, President Besikof distributed a six-question, open-ended survey to Laney College faculty, staff, and administrators. The survey remained open for 30 days and requested anonymous feedback on which areas of the College should be prioritized, maintained, or streamlined to continue fulfilling its mission and vision amid current fiscal constraints.

39 responses were received, representing a broad range of perspectives. Themes that emerged were categorized in alignment with the survey's focus:

- Areas in which the College should make efforts to enhance or prioritize
- Areas the College should maintain as-is
- Areas the College should evaluate or streamline for greater efficiency

	STUDENT SERVICES & EQUITY	ACADEMICS & SCHEDULING	ORGANIZATION & INFRASTRUCTURE
ENHANCE/ PRIORITIZE	Outreach and partnerships with local high schools and community organizations	Affordable learning resources like ZTC, OER and library reserves	Grants and external funding sources
MAINTAIN	Learning communities and support programs Basic need and mental health services	Classes required for graduation Distinctive CTE programs	Clean, safe and functional learning environment
EVALUATE/ STREAMLINE	Admissions, enrollment and student onboarding processes	Schedule alignment with student needs and District-wide offerings	Utility usage and purchasing efficiency District and College administrative functions