Equity Beliefs Statement feedback as of 03/04/2020 DRAFT

ACADEMIC SENATE

GUIDING PRINCIPLES

Our student come to us with a broad range of expectations, opportunities, support systems, and privilege.

Our students are capable of further development and achieving their goals.

We have the ability to positively impact our students' lives.

We recognize that educational systems produce inequitable outcomes AND we will improve our systems.

We are doing good work to serve our students well, AND we commit to continuous improvement.

ADMINISTRATORS ASSOCIATION

We believe that we have the power to positively impact our students' lives and each other's.

We believe that while all of our students are capable of further development towards achieving their goals, they are also experts of their lived experiences and their expertise adds richness and value to our classrooms and our campus community.

We believe that it is our duty to meet each student where they are at because we know that not all students come to us with the same expectations, opportunities, support systems, and privilege.

We recognize that our system produces inequitable outcomes, not our students, so we will work to improve our systems.

We believe that we as a community are doing the best that we know how and we are firmly committed to doing better as we learn better and grow together.

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ASSOCIATED STUDENTS GROSSMONT COLLEGE

We believe that we have the ability within the Grossmont College community to positively impact students' lives through education.

We know that all of our students are capable of growing, creating and achieving their goals.

We acknowledge that not all students come with the same experience, support system, privilege, incentive, and determination.

We accept and welcome everyone regardless of personal preference and identity.

We recognize that systems create inequitable outcomes,

allowing room for improvement that will be addressed to the best of our abilities.

CLASSIFIED SENATE

We believe we have the power to positively impact our students' lives.

We believe all of our students are capable Of further development and achieving their goals.

We believe not all students come to us with the same Expectations, opportunities, support systems, and privilege

We recognize systems exist that produce inequitable outcomes

AND we will improve ours.

We believe we are performing to the best of our ability and commit to continuous improvement

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EX-OFFICIO, MIKE REESE

We believe that we have the power to positively impact our students' lives.

We believe that all of our students are capable of further development and achieving their goals and potential.

We believe that not all students come to us with the same expectations, opportunities, support systems, and privilege.

We recognize that systems produce inequitable outcomes, and we will improve ours.

We believe that we--staff, faculty, and administrators-- are all doing the best that we

We believe that we can improve, and we will.

DEFINITION

Equity is not about equal treatment of all students. It is about all students achieving successful outcomes, regardless of race or ethnicity. As educators, it is our responsibility to meet students where they are and lead them to where they need to go. They must exert the effort to get there, but we must provide the individualized support to clear the path for them and make it possible for them to get there.

ORIGINAL BELIEFS STATEMENT

We believe that we have the power to positively impact our students' lives.

We believe that all of our students are capable of further development and achieving their goals.

We believe that not all students come to us with the same expectations, opportunities, support systems, and privilege

We recognize that systems produce inequitable outcomes, AND we will improve ours.

We believe that we (staff, faculty and administrators) are all doing the best that we can

We believe that we have the ability to continue to improve

DEFINITION

"Equity is not about equal treatment of all students. Rather, it is about equal outcomes

Achieved by individualizing the instruction and support for each and every student.

Building equity in education shifts the focus on responsibility for academic

Achievement from the students to the professional administrators and teachers who are the educators in the school. Student [of course] have to do their part....."

(Linton, 2011).