

Student Forum
Wednesday, November 8, 2006
10:00 A.M.
Main Theater

Comments from Students: (approximately 200 students total attended both sessions)

- Science classes – 3 schedules of Calculus & Life Sciences – Want 2 yr schedule
- Transfer courses – Physics & Organic Chemistry & TA's – more sections
- More Science Labs
- Transfer Articulation at CCSF and Skyline – more than we have. Transfer Articulation regarding majors not available
- More professors with varied teaching styles
- English Department is an “easy A.” English classes are repetitive of content – very few felt they were challenged
- More foreign language classes
- Not enough classes at 10 a.m./11 a.m./12:00 p.m.

- Counselors – lack of competence. Students learn more on their own. Go to teachers for guidance.
- Need more out-of state college information.
- Need more Counselors.
- Communication with Counselor is not clear re: ECE Program
- Cañada needs to have a transfer agreement with more major UCs – most other Colleges have this transfer agreement.
- More information regarding majors from CSU org; workshops & websites need more marketing

- Amazing faculty at Cañada

- Classes cancelled because of lack of enrollment and impacts their plans for majors/transfer. Classes held once per semester/year – more classes
- Students are having to attend another College (CSM) to get all the classes they need
- Few afternoon classes (1/4 of students present said they would be interested)
- Afternoon P.E. classes

- Provide Childcare/pre-school

- Create Student Leadership program with leadership training skills
- Need to develop a Student Life program
- Students don't feel “proud” of College
- Foster student development, more political discussions
- Draft a model matrix for student develop
- Clubs listed in catalog are not accurate

- Clubs are not advertised well Develop more sense of community - teachers should announce and motivate students to attend events.
- Start a Journalism Club and campus newsletter/newspaper
- Student-run Coffee Kiosk

- Have schedule reflect all three colleges (District-wide) Have more computers with websmart

- Have Learning Center open earlier (7:00 or 7:30 a.m.) at close later (9:00 p.m.)
- Have Library open on weekends & later on Fridays

- More parking – students are walking a long distance from vehicles to class
- Better lighting near Building 22

- Would like to have a football team