Board Policies

Chapter 1

The District

Policies:

BP 1100  The Ohlone Community College District
BP 1200  District Mission, Vision and Values
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Reference:  *Education Code Section 72000(b)*
Board Approved: 04/13/05
Amended: 09/14/16

The District is named the Ohlone Community College District.
The name is the property of the District. No person shall, without the permission of the Board, use this name or the name(s) of any college(s) or other facilities of the District, or any abbreviation of them, to imply, indicate or otherwise suggest that an organization, product or service is connected or affiliated with, or is endorsed, favored, supported, or opposed by, the District.
The District consists of the following:

**Fremont Campus**
43600 Mission Boulevard, Fremont, CA 94539

**Newark Center for Health Sciences and Technology**
39399 Cherry Avenue, Newark, CA 94560

Within the geographical boundaries of the District are the cities of Fremont and Newark and designated precincts within Union City, California.
BP 1200  District Mission, Vision and Values

Reference: ACCJC Accreditation Standard I.A
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Mission
Ohlone College responds to the educational needs of our diverse community and economy by offering high quality instruction supporting basic skills, career development, university transfer, and personal enrichment and by awarding associate degrees and certificates to eligible students in an innovative, multicultural environment where successful learning and achievement are highly valued, supported, and continually assessed.

Vision
Ohlone College will be known throughout California for our inclusiveness, innovation and exceptional student success.

Values

Excellence
We empower students and employees to achieve at their fullest potential, encouraging all to engage in ongoing learning through high quality education and continuous institutional improvement.

Inclusiveness
We actively reach out to and support students and employees from various backgrounds, socioeconomic groups, ages, and abilities to explore their interests in order to define and fulfill their goals. We strive for a diverse workforce that honors and upholds the contributions of all.

Innovation
We strive to be risk-takers in order to generate new ideas in college planning and the curriculum that inspire students, faculty, and staff to optimize student learning. We endeavor to meet the entrepreneurial and technological needs of the college community to serve and support students.

Integrity
We practice transparent communication, emphasizing respect, trust, and honesty among students, employees, and the communities we serve in a climate where everyone feels heard and engaged.

Stewardship
We engage in shared governance to provide an exemplary model of stewardship for human, financial, physical, technological, and environmental resources to maximize institutional effectiveness and efficiency.

Success
We provide the necessary tools and support to assist students and employees in defining goals, and measuring their success by the attainment of those goals.
Using the college’s governance and decision making processes, the mission, vision and core values are reviewed on a regular basis and revised as necessary.