

COLLEGE MISSION, VALUES, GOALS, & OBJECTIVES

Mission Statement

The mission of Temple College is to foster student success for our diverse community by providing quality lifelong learning and enrichment experiences that empower students to achieve their dreams and aspirations.

Value Statements

Learning - Temple College's commitment to excellence in teaching and learning is foremost. Our endeavors support educational success and a lifetime of learning.

Opportunity - Temple College actively promotes education for all by providing affordable access to a variety of courses and programs through innovative and traditional approaches.

Integrity - Temple College demonstrates integrity by ethical decision making, excellent stewardship of our resources, and accountability to our constituents.

Community - Temple College cultivates collaborations that promote community partnerships, workforce development, and enrichment experiences. We foster an environment that promotes mutual respect, social responsibility, and open communication among students, faculty, staff, and the public.

Equity – Temple College creates a fair, impartial, and inclusive educational and work environment, so all individuals have the opportunity to achieve their maximum potential.

Strategic Goals and Objectives

Goal 1. Foster Student Success

Objectives:

1. Increase course completion with an earned grade of "C" or better.
2. Increase students' attainment of recognized credentials.
3. Increase retention of credential-seeking students from term to term and year to year.
4. Increase the number of career and technical education students who are employed or continue in higher education within one year of graduation.
5. Increase the number of transfers to baccalaureate granting institutions.

Goal 2. Optimize Community Partnerships and Outreach

Objectives:

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1. Develop new and strengthen existing partnerships to meet identified community needs.
2. Enhance marketing and communication to promote the college, its programs, functions, and services.

Goal 3. Manage Resources Effectively

Objectives:

1. Create a culture of professional excellence, innovation, and accountability
2. Optimize the utilization of resources.
3. Increase resources.