



THE LONG BEACH

# COLLEGE PROMISE

SUCCESS BEGINS TODAY



## INTRODUCTION

# MAKING THE PROMISE

The Long Beach College Promise extends the promise of a college education to every student in the Long Beach Unified School District.



## BACKGROUND

# THE PROMISE STORY

As a result of the 20-year effort by the Long Beach Seamless Education Initiative, the Long Beach College Promise was established in 2008 as a partnership between the LBUSD, LBCC and CSULB.

The Promise is a long-term commitment by these institutions and the community to provide a clear opportunity to attain a college education for local students—stretching from elementary education through earning a degree.



# LBUSD

## Demographics



English Learners – 23.8%

Low SES – 68% (Free & Reduced Lunch)

### Students by Race/Ethnicity Long Beach Unified School District 2013-2014

	District (2013-2014 CBEDS Data)		County (2013-2014 CBEDS Data)
American Indian or Alaska Native	155	0.2%	0.3%
Asian	6,058	7.5%	7.7%
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	1,334	1.7%	0.4%
Filipino	2,645	3.3%	2.2%
Hispanic or Latino	44,594	54.9%	64.6%
Black or African American	11,993	14.8%	8.3%
White	11,607	14.3%	14.2%
Two or More Races	1,244	1.5%	1.2%
None Reported	1,515	1.9%	0.8%
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>81,155</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>100%</b>

# LBCC & CSULB Demographics

	LBCC 2013-2014	CSULB 2013-2014
American Indian or Alaska Native	0.3%	1%
Asian, Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	14%	22%
Black or African American	15.4%	4%
Hispanic or Latino	47.8%	36.6%
White	17.2%	24%
Two or More Races	3.8%	--
None Reported	1.4%	15%
Low-Income	51.5%	48%



# *P-20 INITIATIVES*

## » Long Beach College Promise

- > Promise Scholarship
- > Promise Pathways
- > EAP / ERWC / AP / Remedial Courses
- > Long Beach Math Collaborative
- > Early Learning Initiative (P-3)
- > Designing New High Schools
- > Linked Learning / Career Pathways
- > Counseling / Advising
- > Post-Secondary Services



# *LBCP OUTCOMES*

## **ACCESS:**

- From 2008 to 2012, 43% increase in LBUSD students enrolling into CSULB as freshmen
- Higher admissions acceptance rates for LBUSD and LBCC students to CSULB than other k-12 or community colleges

## **PERSISTENCE:**

- LBCP students at CSULB persist at higher rates than peers
- More students completing transfer-level English and math in first year of college based on high school performance

## **COMPLETION:**

- 72% of LBCC transfer students to CSULB graduate in 6 years
- 63% of LBUSD freshman graduate from CSULB in 6 years

2012-2014

3,300+ Students

