The Umoja Community is a...

College success program and learning community that provides a dedicated support system to help you reach your academic goals and life purpose. You will have a dedicated counselor and personal tutor as well as a host of faculty who are readily available to guide you. You will experience college success and English curriculum focused on African-American experiences through literature, history, and artistic modalities.

Through the UMOJA PROMISE you can complete courses in the program to be eligible to transfer to an HBCU/Private University in ONE year! You can also be eligible to transfer to a UC or CSU within TWO years!

WHAT WILL YOU RECEIVE?

You will receive the following:

- Encouraging and supportive instructors
- Cohort classes (this means you will take classes with other Umoja students) it's a community!
- · Dedicated counselor
- · Personal tutor
- · College workshops
- Guest speakers
- College tours
- School supplies
- · Access to transfer events
- A supportive community of faculty and other thriving students, for example the Black Student Union (BSU) student club

WHO CAN BE A PART OF THIS COMMUNITY?

If you are committed to successfully achieving your educational goals and completing your program of study (i.e., certificate, associate's degree or transfer), this program is for you!

WHO IS ELIGIBLE?

Any student who is enrolled at Las Positas College or has begun the admissions process and has assessed into English 1A – Critical Reading and Composition.

UMOJA PROMISE PROGRAM MODEL

You will take courses with other Umoja students which are taught by our Umoja specific faculty. Some of your courses will be Fast-Track courses (8 -week courses) to help you complete your academic goal sooner.

Fall Semester:

Psychology-Counseling 30 – Student Success & Career

Exploration

- Monday & Wednesday 9:30a-10:45a
 - 3 units
 CSU/UC transferable course: CSU GE: E

English 1A – Critical Reading and Composition

- Monday & Wednesday 12:30p-2:20p (8/19-10-11)
 - 3 units (8 week fast-track)
 CSU/UC transferable course: CSU GE: A2; IGETC: 1A

English 4 - Critical Thinking and Writing

Monday & Wednesday 12:30p-2:20p (10/14-12-13)

- 3 units (8 week fast-track)
- CSU/UC transferable course: CSU GE: A1; IGETC: 1C

Spring Semester:

Psychology 21– Psych of Race & Identity

- 3 units
- CSU/UC transferable course: CSU GE: D; IGETC: 4
- Communication Studies 1- Public Speaking
- (TBA)
- 3 units (8 week fast-track)
- CSU/UC transferable course: CSU GE:A1; IGETC: 1C

*<u>Highly Recommended Support Course for English 1A & 4</u> English 115 –Personalized Coaching for Academic Reading and Writing

Monday 11:00a-12:15p

• Course ENG 115 - .5 Credit / NENG 215 - No Credit

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