The CCSSE is a national 38 questions survey that helps institutions focus on good educational practices and identify areas in which they can improve. Yuba College is scheduled to administer the CCSSE every other spring beginning in 2016. This report summaries a portion of the 2016 CCSSE results based on the RP Group study-Student Support (Re)defined categories:

**Directed**: Students have a goal and know how to achieve it.

**Focused**: Students stay on track, keeping their eyes on the prize.

Five hundred and twenty nine students participated in the 2016 CCSSE. Eighty-three percent indicated that they started college at Yuba. Seventy-seven percent of students indicated that they would be enrolling in additional courses within 12 months, while 12% indicated that they would be accomplishing their goal(s) during the current term, 15% were uncertain if they would return, and 2.9% had no plan to return to Yuba College. The majority of students indicated that they had earned between 1-14 units (34.7%), 22% indicated that they had earned 15-29 units, 13.7% had earned 30-44 units, 11.7% had earned 45-60 units and 9.1% had earned over 60 units. Complete results can be found on the Yuba College Research & Planning website-CCSSE 2016 All Student Frequency Results.

The primary reasons students indicated they attend Yuba College is to complete transfer requirements (60.5%), earn an Associate's Degree (57.6%) and obtain or update job skills ranking third (46.1%). These findings align with the college wide findings about student educational goals, which show that 69% of our students say they are working toward an Associate's Degree and 56% have a goal to transfer to a 4-year university.
Have you done, are you doing, or do you plan to complete a college orientation or course while attending Yuba College?

53% of students have not participated in a college orientation program or course.

**How important is academic advising/planning to you at Yuba College?**

- Very (66%)
- Somewhat (25%)
- Not at all (9%)

66% of students indicated that academic advising/planning is very important.

**How often do you use academic advising/planning at Yuba College?**

- Often (16%)
- Rarely/Never (32%)
- Sometimes (44%)
- Don’t know/N.A. (8%)

Only 16% of students often use academic advising/planning services, while 32% rarely/never use the services.

**How satisfied are you with academic advising/planning at Yuba College?**

- Very (30%)
- Somewhat (43%)
- Not at all (11%)
- N.A. (16%)

30% of students are very satisfied with academic advising/planning services at Yuba College, while 11% are not at all satisfied.
How important is the transfer credit assistance to you at Yuba College?

54% of students indicated that transfer credit assistance is very important, while 24% think it is not important at all.

How often do you use transfer credit assistance at Yuba College?

40% of students indicated they rarely or never use transfer credit assistance, while only 27% of students report that they often or sometimes use the service.

How satisfied are you with transfer credit assistance you receive at Yuba College?

16% of students indicated they are very satisfied with the transfer credit assistance they receive.

How important is career counseling to you at Yuba College?

60% of students indicated that career counseling services are very important.

How often do you use career counseling at Yuba College?

44% of students indicated that they rarely or never use career counseling services at Yuba College.

How satisfied are you with career counseling provided at Yuba College?

27% of students indicated being very satisfied with the career counseling services at Yuba College.
During the current AY, about how often have you talked about career plans with an instructor or advisor?

47% of students have talked about career plans with an instructor or advisor, while 22% never have.

How important is job placement assistance to you at Yuba College?

Job placement is very important to 38% of students, while it is not at all important to 33% students.

How often do you use job placement assistance at Yuba College?

50% of students rarely or never use job placement assistance at Yuba College, and 41% indicated NA or don't know.

How satisfied are you with job placement assistance at Yuba College?

Job placement satisfaction is not applicable to 63% of students, while 7% of students are very satisfied.
56% of students feel that their experiences at Yuba College has helped them develop clearer career goals.

52% of students feel that their experiences at Yuba College has helped them gain information about career opportunities.

47% of students feel that their experiences at Yuba College has contributed to acquiring job or work-related knowledge and skills.

43% students plan to participate in internship, field experience, co-op experience or clinical assignment, while 44% do not.