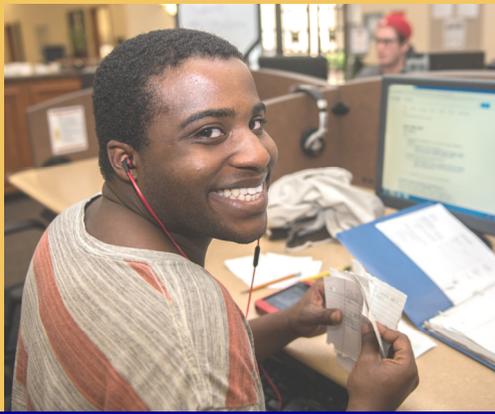




**SDSI**  
Student Diversity  
Success Initiative



SPRING 2015

# SMILE

SDSI  
Summer Math Institute for Level Enhancement

*Are you thinking about taking a math class in the Fall?*

*Would you like the extra help to prepare?*

*Do you wish you were more confident in your math skills?*

*Want to work with a group of people who are as motivated as you are to conquer math?*

Then, **SMILE!** Our summer math program is perfect for you!

Contact the SDSI staff at (714) 992-7143 or [sdsi@fullcoll.edu](mailto:sdsi@fullcoll.edu) to sign up today!

## Beyond the Classroom

*By Dr. Queen Peterson, SDSI Program Counselor*

Here are a few things to remember and put into practice each and every day:

- Take it one day at a time. Thinking about an entire semester of assignments is too overwhelming.
- If you have too many things to do, prioritize and make a list.
- If the entire world is on your shoulders, step back, take a deep breath, and let it all go.

I am looking forward to working with you and I remain committed to helping you achieve your life goals.

## Easing into Education

*By Futoshi Nakagawa, SDSI Project Coordinator*

*“Education helps one cease being intimidated by strange situations. Once you have it in your mind, you can go everywhere.”* – Maya Angelou

SDSI is designed to help you discover a college experience that works with your current phase in life. We provide life skills coaching, academic tutoring, counseling, and success strategies workshops. Our friendly and supportive team is here to do all we can to help you achieve the successful outcomes that you deserve. Our goal is to help you make sense of this hectic time in your life and find positive solutions to barriers that we all experience from time to time. Stop by our office, you'll be glad you did.

## SDSI Program Staff

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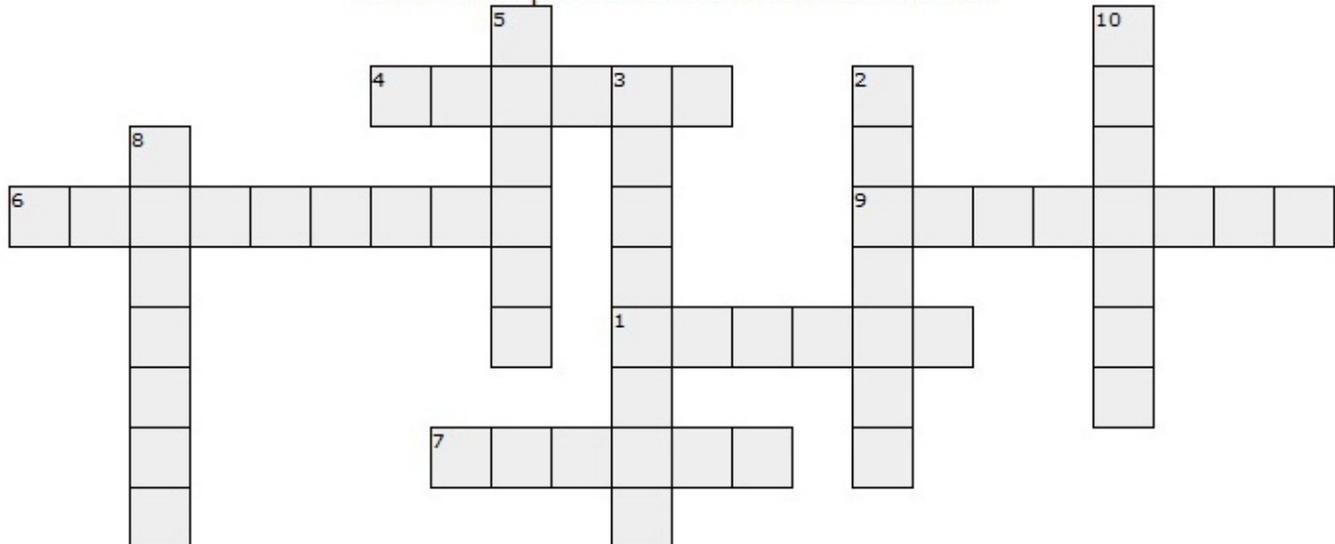
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**Mission Statement:** to increase the success, retention, graduation, and transfer rates among African American and Latino males and other at-risk students.

## Fullerton College Campus Resources

Fill in the campus center that matches the clues!



Skills   Tutoring   Writing   Transfer   Workforce   Health   Career   Cadena   Library   MathLab

### Across:

1. provides instructional support for reading, ESL, English, foreign languages, study skills, vocabulary, critical thinking
4. provides health care and personal counseling
6. provides job placement services for current FC students and recent alumni and up-to-date information on employment opportunities, job-seeking techniques, employability skills, business etiquette
7. a place for students to acquire the necessary information to make decisions about choosing a major and career
9. provides free tutoring for most academic subjects

### Down:

2. offers individual math tutoring, CD/DVD lectures, computer tutorials, online homework programs, individual and group study areas, access to current math textbooks
3. provides advising, counseling, transfer-related workshops, local college and university tours, application assistance, annual college fair
5. provides services that enhance awareness of campus diversity and promote student development
8. assistance with any stage of any writing assignment for any class
10. provides print and audiovisual materials, periodicals, interlibrary loan services, reserve materials, and research assistance