ACADEMIC FACILITY AND TECHNOLOGY UPGRADE PROJECTS
TO HELP STUDENTS, ACTIVE MILITARY AND WAR VETERANS TO TRANSFER
TO FOUR-YEAR UNIVERSITIES OR BE TRAINED FOR HIGH-PAYING JOBS

Goal and Purpose: Ensuring students, active military, and war veterans are either prepared for transfer to the state university systems or be trained for in-demand, high-paying jobs is a major objective of MiraCosta College. Improvements to academic facilities and technology implementations will allow it to continue providing access to affordable, high-quality education.

- Upgrade and expand facilities for career training in high-paying careers that do not require a four-year degree.
- Install additional electrical service capacity to improve computer technology and Internet access.
- Upgrade outdated classrooms, science labs, libraries and computer systems to keep pace with technology.
- Upgrade support facilities for war veterans and currently active military personnel.
- Upgrade and replace existing information technology infrastructure and network systems to improve efficiency and increase capacity.
- Upgrade academic buildings to expand science, health-related careers, biotechnology, nursing, and technical job training.
- Upgrade and replace technology, computers, hardware and software systems, used for job training and retraining programs.

ESSENTIAL REPAIR AND CONSTRUCTION PROJECTS
TO PROVIDE GREATER ACCESS TO AN AFFORDABLE EDUCATION

Goal and Purpose: Since enrollment at MiraCosta has increased by more than 40% in recent years, students, active military and war veterans cannot enroll in basic required courses such as math and science labs. For some programs, students must wait for two years to enroll in some classes. Facilities will be improved to increase class offerings and reduce the time it requires students to complete their programs.

- Update science and computer labs.
- Upgrade nursing program facilities to eliminate two-year waiting list.
- Construct more classroom space.
- Implement ADA-accessibility improvements throughout the campus’ buildings, classrooms, and other facilities to ensure availability to persons with disabilities.
- Expand healthcare training facilities for those who plan on caring for our local aging population.

21ST CENTURY JOB TRAINING AND INFRASTRUCTURE PROJECTS

Goal and Purpose: MiraCosta College provides essential job training and workforce preparation for students, active military and war veterans. In today’s economic times, these projects will allow MiraCosta to continue offering local residents training and education in the health sciences, occupational therapy, as well as other job training and workforce programs.

- Upgrade career and vocational classrooms, labs and equipment to provide students with opportunities to learn job skills.
- Provide and maintain up-to-date technology, data and communication equipment for job-training programs and facilities, and to expand on-line classes for local students.
- Renovate, repair or replace outdated laboratories, classrooms, training centers and support facilities.
- Upgrade and replace technology, hardware and software systems.
- Upgrade and replace classroom instructional equipment.
- Replace or upgrade outdated electrical systems.
- Repair or replace leaky roofs, worn-out floors, old rusty plumbing, and faulty electrical systems.