



Center for
**STUDENT
ACCESS &
SUCCESS**

"Our mission is to attract, recruit/admit, support, and graduate a talented and diverse student body equipped with the necessary academic skills, socio-cultural competencies, and learning experiences necessary to be a productive member of a global community."

I DON'T DEAL
IN DEFICITS.
I'M ABOUT
EXPANDING ASSETS.



Programming and resources that support the F1RST+ community of students!

first gen • er • a • tion adj. ['fɜrst jə-nə-'rā-shen]

1: a student from a family in which neither parent completed a four-year college degree

2: 1 out of 2 college students in the United States



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