

First-Generation College Student Ecosystem



Student Services

Supportive Services

Services to promote the overall well-being of first-generation students, including career development, transfer assistance, re-entry programs for working adults, mentoring, mental health counseling, family services, campus engagement and cultural acclimation

Financial

Services to increase the affordability of a college education, including awareness, financial aid application assistance, work-study programs and financial coaching

Academic

Services to promote academic success, such as early intervention, advising, bridge programs, orientation, academic engagement and tutoring

Advocacy & Awareness

Advocacy

Legislative advocacy of policies that promote first-generation student success such as Pell Grants, Work-Study and Federal TRIO programs

Institutional Leadership

Advocacy and awareness efforts in the university and community college setting to create environments supportive of first-generation students