

Baccalaureate Degree Program Implementation

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California
Community
Colleges

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Baccalaureate Degree Programs (BDP)

- Goal: To increase the number of bachelor's degrees in high-demand workforce industries.
- Effective January 1, 2022 and chaptered into Education Code §78040-78042.
- Makes permanent the existing 15 community college pilot sites authorized by SB 850 (2014).
- Allows an expansion of up to 30 community college baccalaureate degree programs per year.
- Requires two application cycles with very specific timelines



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10 BDP Applications Received

- Respiratory Care
- Respiratory Therapy
- Histotechnology
- Automotive Technology
- Research Laboratory Technology
- Biomanufacturing
- Ecosystem Restoration / Applied Fire Management
- Cyber Defense and Analysis

- Crafton Hills, El Camino, Foothill
- Los Angeles Valley College
- Mt. San Antonio College
- De Anza College
- Bakersfield College
- Moorpark College
- Feather River College
- San Diego City College



BDP Application Approval Requirements

Policy Compliance	Program Quality	Intersegmental Agreement	ACCJC Approval	BOG President Approval
<ul style="list-style-type: none">Proposed BDP conforms to what is legally required	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Approval criteria and scoring rubric requiring a minimum score of 80 (out of 116)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Negotiations with CSU and UCWritten agreement required	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Required for programs to be establishedColleges submit proof of approval	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Informational item to the full BOG



Program Quality Approval Criteria

Scoring Rubric Point System

Rubric Sections	Points
Accreditation and Policy Compliance	Not scored (Verified by Chancellor's Office)
Institutional Financial Stability	6 (Researched and scored by Chancellor's Office)
Equitable Student Outcomes	10 (Researched and scored by Chancellor's Office)
Reviewed and scored by readers	Labor Market Demand
	30
	Institutional Capacity
	27
	Program and Curriculum Design
	30
Intra and Intersegmental Alignment	9
Overall Concept of Proposal	4
TOTAL	
116	



BDP Application Approval Types

Full Approval
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Policy compliant• Passing program quality score• Intersegmental agreement• ACCJC approval• BOG approval

Conditional Approval
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Policy compliant• Passing program quality score• Intersegmental agreement• ACCJC approval• Pending:<ul style="list-style-type: none">• BOG Approval

Provisional Approval
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Policy compliant• Passing program quality score• Pending:<ul style="list-style-type: none">• ACCJC approval &/or intersegmental agreement; and BOG approval

Resubmission
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Is not policy compliant• Does not have a passing program quality score

BDP Cycle #1 Approval Status

College	Program	Approval Status
El Camino College	Respiratory Care	Conditional Approval (becomes Full Approval after President Haynes approves)
Feather River College	Ecosystem Restoration/Applied Fire	Provisional Approval: pending ACCJC approval & Intersegmental agreement
San Diego City College	Cyber Defense and Analysis	Provisional Approval: pending ACCJC approval & Intersegmental agreement
Mt. San Antonio College	Histotechnology	Provisional Approval: pending ACCJC approval
Foothill College	Respiratory Care	Provisional Approval: pending ACCJC approval

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College	Program	Approval Status
De Anza College	Automotive Technology Management	Resubmission
Moorpark College	Biomanufacturing	Resubmission
Los Angeles Valley College	Respiratory Therapy	Resubmission
Crafton Hills College	Respiratory Care	Resubmission
Bakersfield College	Research Laboratory Technology	Not scored; Revising for policy compliance



BDP Next Steps

- Notified colleges of approval status (September X)
- President Haynes approval of El Camino College (September X)
- Finalize intersegmental agreements (October-November)
- Continue to work with colleges resubmitting (October-December)
- Release revised application for cycle 2 (October)
- Receive Cycle 2 applications (January 15)

