



**HARTNELLCOLLEGE**


**Hartnell College Vision Statement:** *Hartnell College students will be prepared to contribute as leaders to the intellectual, social, cultural, and economic vitality of our communities and the world.*

**Hartnell College Mission Statement:** *Focusing on the education and workforce development needs of communities in the Salinas Valley, Hartnell College strengthens communities by providing opportunities for students to reach career and/or academic goals (associate degrees, certificates of achievement, transfer to four-year institutions) in an environment committed to student learning, achievement and success.*

enrollment to high school students from that high school district, and at no cost to the student (i.e., no fees, no charge for textbooks, etc.). The intent of the legislation to promote higher education attainment to traditionally underserved student populations. Hartnell college has offered dual enrollment courses since Fall 2017; however, the Office of College Readiness was established in Spring 2018 to focus and streamline the college's early college credit options; with an emphasis on dual enrollment. We currently have agreements with every service area, public high school District. Courses offered range from Counseling, English, Administration of Justice, History, and Statistics to name a few. All students that participate in dual enrollment courses follow the same enrollment procedures as traditionally concurrently enrolled students including an application for admission and the placement process (if applicable to their course). Course selection and student participation are a result of a collaboration between high school staff, faculty, and administration in consultation and collaboration with Hartnell College faculty, staff, administrators. Areas of growth for the upcoming academic year include better defining the academic pathways to offer with the support of faculty and administration, helping students and families become more aware of the academic supports available to them (i.e., tutorial services, DSPS services, etc.). Questions, comments, or feedback can be directed to Laurencia Walker at [lwalker@hartnell.edu](mailto:lwalker@hartnell.edu).

