



UMOJA SCHOLARS PROGRAM CONTRACT



Umoja Scholars are required to:

- 1. Uphold the principles of Umoja: UNITY, TOGETHERNESS, and RESPECT!**
- 2. Umoja Scholars are required to meet with the Umoja Scholars Counselor 2-3 times per semester to discuss educational and career goals.** Keep appointments and notify counselor in advance if you need to reschedule appointments, or if you need to make changes to your academic schedule.
3. Enroll in the Umoja Scholars courses until successful completion of academic goals: A.A. /A.S. degree or certificate.
4. Make use of LMC Student Services: If eligible, apply for Financial Aid by completing the FAFSA; apply for EOPS, BOEP, and/or CalWorks; DSPS; visit the Transfer & Career Services; visit the Office of Student Life.
5. Attend tutoring and study group sessions at least once a week.
6. Keep your current contact information on file at ALL times: phone, address, and email.
7. Attend at least one college tour per year.
8. Visit the Umoja Village (room SU-221) at least 3 times per semester. Stop by and say hello or check-in. We love to see your faces in the Village.
9. Communicate with Umoja Scholars students, staff, and faculty as much as necessary. Remember we are in a relationship and communication is a key ingredient for success.
10. Participate and be actively involved in at least 3 Umoja Scholars Program events/activities per semester: Community Meetings, Umoja Leadership Collective (ULC) club activities, Study Sessions, Workshops, etc...
11. Participate in mentoring activities/events when provided.
12. Be your brothers and sisters keeper – keep in contact with Umoja partners, support one another's success, and share positive energy.
13. Fully commit to the program, which means being willing to participate in a relationship of learning, growth, and support between Umoja peers and staff. Being in the Umoja Scholars Program is a choice.