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Apply Now to Participate in College of the Siskiyous College Corps Program

#CaliforniansForAll College Corps will help create debt-free college pathways for low-income students who commit to serve.

Weed / COS – Earlier this year, Governor Gavin Newsom and the leaders of California’s college and university systems joined Chief Service Officer, Josh Fryday, to launch the largest state-level investment in a college service program in California history known as the [#CaliforniansForAll College Corps](#) Program. College of the Siskiyous, is one of the 45 total campuses from the University of California, California State University, community college, and private university systems to be selected as inaugural partners for the service-based college opportunity program via a competitive grant application process.

With the cost of living and the cost of college attendance rising across the state, students who often struggle to make ends meet need new opportunities that provide financial support and pathways to future careers. The Siskiyous College Corps will help fill in financial aid gaps faced by many of our low-income students while simultaneously tackling some of our state's greatest challenges. Eligible students will earn up to \$10,000 toward their education in exchange for completing 450 hours of service over the course of the 2022-2023 academic year.

The Siskiyous College Corps is open to students – enrolling full time in fall 2022 at College of the Siskiyous – that qualify for a Federal Pell Grant, a State Cal Grant, a Middle-Class Scholarship or need to work part time and take out student loans to afford their education. Students who are accepted to the program will work with K-12 schools and after school programs in Siskiyou and Modoc County’s to build healthier and more equitable communities across California.

For more information about the program contact the Student Services Office by calling 9530) 938-5374 or send an email to studentservices@siskiyous.edu. Students interested in the College of the Siskiyous College Corps program may apply online at <https://tinyurl.com/4ym4pvhh>.

For additional information about the #CaliforniansForAll College Corps visit <https://www.californiavolunteers.ca.gov/californiansforall-college-corps/>.