Important Information for Santa Barbara City College Students Majoring in Engineering

Who: * Santa Barbara City College Students Majoring in Engineering → YOU!

What: * Planning your personal schedule.
   * See a counselor – Maria Morales is one counselor who is very interested in helping engineering students (the others in the “Engineering Cluster” are: Christy Grant, Sergio Perez, Laura Castro and Wendy Peters (note that Maria is the current department chair for Counseling, and is therefore not available as much this semester)).
   * Visit the Transfer Center.
   * See Engineering Professor Nick Arnold to get up-to-date engineering program information.
   * Go to www.ASSIST.org

When: * As Soon As Possible (ASAP)!
   * Especially while you can still add classes and change your schedule.

Where: * Nick Arnold is in room PS-118 during his office hours, or he can be reached at extension 4253, or email at arnold@sbcc.edu.
   * Maria Morales is in the counseling center, SS (Student Services) Bldg.
   * The Transfer Center is also in the SS (Student Services) Bldg.
   * www.ASSIST.org is on the internet.

Why: * Taking the wrong classes, or taking classes in the wrong order can add years to the time it takes you to complete your degree, and you could lose financial aid.
   * You may not be accepted for transfer without the proper courses, and some courses need to be taken before you apply for transfer.
   * Learn about other strategies to ensure successful transfer.

How: * Go to www.ASSIST.org
   * Almost all engineering students should NOT do IGETC (Intersegmental General Education Transfer Curriculum).
   * Talk to professors.
   * Talk to counselors.
   * Update and verify your IEP (Individual Education Plan) every semester.
   * Visit the Transfer Center.
   * Check the catalog and web pages of the schools you plan to apply to for transfer.
   * Talk to students who have transferred.
   * YOU are the one who is ultimately responsible for taking the right courses in the right sequence and preparing yourself for transfer.