

TITLE: STUDENT SERVICES - STATEMENT OF PHILOSOPHY & GUIDING PRINCIPLES

The Student Services Division at Gogebic Community College include admissions, orientation, student registration & records, assessment, counseling (academic, career, & personal), financial aid, veterans services, housing, learning support services, handicapped/disabled assistance, job placement, student activities, intramural sports and varsity athletics.

Philosophy

The philosophy underlying the student services program at Gogebic is to provide those services and experiences which will promote and contribute to the total development of students and their success in reaching their educational or vocational goals. The emphasis is placed upon students and their welfare and the means used by the administration, faculty and the governing board to meet the needs of students in their intellectual, vocational, personal, social and spiritual aspirations. Through close communication and cooperation with the students, Gogebic Community College is attempting to meet its obligations and recognizes the role it must play in providing adequate services and experiences for its students.

Access, Equity, Diversity

It is the policy of the college that no persons on the basis of race, color, religion, national origin or ancestry, age, sex, marital status, or disability, political affiliation or belief shall be discriminated against, excluded from participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be otherwise subjected to discrimination in any program or activity for which the college is responsible or for which it receives federal financial assistance from the Department of Education. The College encourages diversity in its student population and is committed to addressing special needs to ensure equal educational opportunity.

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