

March 11, 2024

Dr. Kevin O'Rourke  
Interim President  
Shasta College  
11555 Old Oregon Trail  
Redding, CA 96049

Dear President O'Rourke:

The Committee on Substantive Change of the Accrediting Commission for Community and Junior Colleges met March 11, 2024, to review the supplemental Direct Assessment information from Shasta College regarding:

- New Programs: Associate Degree for Transfer in Early Childhood Education Competency-Based Education Program (Direct Assessment)

The Committee acted to **accept** the documents.

On behalf of the Commission, I wish to express appreciation for the work that the College undertook to prepare this Application for Substantive Change. The Commission encourages the College's continued work to ensure educational quality and to support student success.

If you should have any questions concerning this letter or the Commission action, please don't hesitate to contact me. We will be glad to help you.

Sincerely,



Kevin Bontenbal, Ed.D.  
Vice President

Cc: Mr. William Breitbach, Accreditation Liaison Officer  
Dr. Gohar Momjian, ACCJC Vice President  
Ms. Martina Fernandez-Rosario, U.S. Department of Education

March 20, 2024

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Dear President O'Rourke:

Your Accreditation Liaison Officer has informed ACCJC that your institution will launch the previous approved Associate of Science for Transfer in Early Childhood Education (CBE – Direct Assessment) in Fall 2025, with the addition of an Associate of Science and a Certificate in the same program.

This change has been **approved** administratively by designated senior staff. Thank you for bringing this to our attention and please let us know if there are any changes in the information provided by the College.

On behalf of the Commission, thank you for your continued commitment to accreditation and academic quality in higher education.

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