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VITANAVIS PROJECT SUCCESS



Project Success

Project Success @ Mesa

- Retention
- Graduation
- Improve Default Rates
- Enhance current programs and services

VitaNavis Project Success

Four Main Components:

- Emergency Student Aid
- Online Financial Literacy
- Default Rate Management & Repayment Success
- VitaNavis Student Success Platform



Emergency Student Aid

- Can apply for up to \$500/semester
- College receives \$10,000/semester
- Support student emergency/ unforeseen circumstance
- Apply via Emergency Student Aid portal (Under Student Success & Equity Office)
- Student will receive check within 3 business days
- Ongoing support and resources

Welcome, Victoria!

You Have a Course Available

Click to continue or visit Courses for full details.



Financial Basics

A money management course that outlines the basics of financial health - from budgeting to identity theft.

11% Complete

Today @ Project Success Financial Literacy

Day four of Financial Concepts Everyone Should Understand.

Fundamentals of Investing

Investing your money wisely is one of the most important things you can do to secure your future financial independence.

Project Success Financial Literacy brings you a new theme each week.



Online Financial Literacy Platform

Featured Tools

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Financial Health Check

Measure and track your financial



Monthly Budget

A monthly budget is where it all

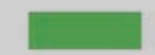


Financial Goals

Get organized by writing your

Dashboard

- Monthly Budget
- Track Spending
- Checklist
- Financial Goals
- Calculators
- Portfolio
10% Complete



Your Portfolio is 10% complete.



Financial Literacy Platform



- Personalized Learning Experience
- Assign Course List
- Interactive modules, assessments, videos
- Platform saves and tracks all work
- Provides recommended topics based on student interest
- Calculator tool to determine monthly budget and savings



Financial literacy

157 Topics

- Budgeting and Spending
- Buying a Car
- Buying a Home
- Debt Management & Financial Trouble
- Paying for College
- Repayment Success
- Financial Health



Default Rate Management & Repayment Success

- Financial counseling prior to completion
- Support provided if delayed payment
- Assistance with servicer for the processing of deferments and forbearances

Background Info

Academic Planning & Career Services

An academic planning and career readiness solution dedicated to ensuring that everyone has the opportunity to consider all of their possibilities in the world of work.



Vita Navis

Focusing on conversations that lead to more informed students.

SuperStrong Assessment

Addresses most pressing issues in education

Derived from...

- Based on the Strong tool
- Same reliability and validity
- Only available through the VitaNavis platform

Issues faced by education:

- Low retention & engagement
- Dismal completion rates
- Low persistence
- Lack of access to career tools
- Need ways to support undeclared students

For our students...

How to help students find a major and stay on track?



Additional Info:

SuperStrong Assessment

- Only available through the platform
- Assessment can be completed in approximately ten minutes or less
- Can be accessed through any mobile device
- Help students identify their interests
- Current data from IPEDS - Integrated Postsecondary Education Data System, BLS - Bureau of Labor Statistics, and O*NET - Occupational Information Network
- Uses themes from Holland Codes (RIASEC)



Results

Organized with the Holland Codes (RIASEC) and 4 Assumptions:

- Most people can be categorized into one or some combination of the 6 RIASEC themes
- Work environment can be divided into the 6 RIASEC themes
- People seek environments that complement their personality (avoid work that they do not like)
- The match between a person's personality and their work environment influences their job performance, satisfaction and stability.

RIASEC Themes

Users who take the SuperStrong assessment receive their results organized by the RIASEC Themes:

1



REALISTIC
The Doers

2



INVESTIGATIVE
The Thinkers

3



ARTISTIC
The Creators

4



SOCIAL
The Helpers

5



ENTERPRISING
The Persuaders

6



CONVENTIONAL
The Organizers

RIASEC Themes

The SuperStrong assessment receive their results organized by the RIASEC Themes:

1



REALISTIC
The Doers

Likely to be found fixing, building, or tinkering. Friends would describe them as independent, practical, modest, & sometimes stubborn

2



INVESTIGATIVE
The Thinkers

Likely to be working, or researching for fun. Friends would describe them as inquisitive, and good at playing trivia

3



ARTISTIC
The Creators

Likely to be creating, admiring, or collecting art. Friends would describe them as spontaneous, independent, fun, & sometimes dramatic

4



SOCIAL
The Helpers

Likely to be found volunteering or using social media. Friends would describe them as warm, outgoing, and cooperative

5



ENTERPRISING
The Persuaders

Likely to be found organizing a party or competing in an event. Friends would describe them as intense, energetic, and decisive

6



CONVENTIONAL
The Organizers

Likely to be playing games or buying collectibles. Friends would describe them as well-mannered, practical, & accurate

Welcome to your VitaNavis Experience

The tasks below will help you better understand yourself and how your strengths, interests, and values align to educational programs and potential career paths.

Upon Login:

YOUR TASKS

- 1 Take the SuperStrong assessment
- 2 View results and rate career interests
- 3 Explore programs at San Diego Mesa College
- 4 Save programs that interest you
- 5 Explore potential career paths
- 6 Save careers that interest you
- 7 Use Your Financial Literacy Resources
- 8 Student Impact Survey

Student Experience



Occupational Themes

Top Three :

- Social
- Conventional
- Enterprising



Work Style

Top Three :

- Prefer working w/ people
- Learn by doing
- Lead by example



Career Interests

Top Six:

1. Human Resources & Training
2. Teaching & Education
3. Counseling & Helping
4. Athletics
5. Office Management
6. Healthcare Services

CAREER INTERESTS

Your Top 6



Human Resources & Training

Developing and training people, managing and directing employment activities

CAREER ACTIVITIES

Teaching new employees, facilitating leadership programs, leading career development programs

To continue and explore future Career Pathways, please rate your SuperStrong Interests.



Dislike



Unsure



Like



Counseling & Helping

Interest in helping others

CAREER ACTIVITIES

Helping or encouraging others, working on a crisis hotline, contributing to charities

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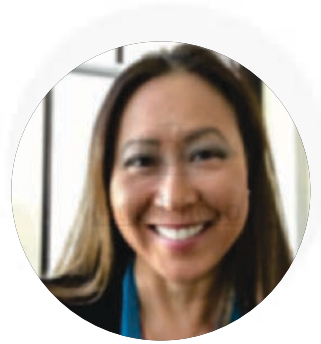


Like



Next Steps

- Rate Career Interests (dislike, unsure, like)
- Explore Programs at Mesa
- Save Programs
- Explore Career Pathways (save 3)
- Additional information job summary, job details, education
- Financial Literacy Modules
- Student Success Profile (260, T/F Qs)
- Growth Mindset - self-awareness, self-confidence, orientation towards self, resilience, self-sufficiency, achievement via independence, work orientation, task completion, self-control, flexibility



Go to profile >

Results

Super Strong

View results >



Student Success Profile

View results >



Interests ?

People

Teamwork

Helping

Your Activities ?

ASSIGNED

VitaNavis Exploration Experience

San Diego Mesa College >

⌚ Incomplete

⌚ Due Jan 5, 2021 9:02 AM PST

VitaNavis Exploration Experience

San Diego Mesa College >

✅ Completed Dec 22, 2020

Student Success Profile (Staff)

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Have an access code? ▾



What's next?

Explore the tools on your dashboard and dive deeper into career paths, find education paths and programs of study, or build up your skills.

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Resource Page

- Coming Soon to be housed on the SS&E Page
- Student Emergency Aid application
- Financial Literacy Platform
- VitaNavis Student Success Platform
- Additional Info



**Supporting PL for
faculty**

Next Steps...

- Request support with implementation to faculty
- Presentation to various groups
- Implementation with SS Division
- Free training

A photograph of a workspace featuring a laptop, an open notebook with a pen, and a cup of coffee. The laptop is silver and partially open, showing the keyboard. The notebook is white with lined pages and a silver pen lies on it. A dark brown leather strap is draped over the notebook. In the foreground, a white ceramic cup is filled with a frothy coffee beverage. The entire scene is set on a wooden desk.

Presentations

- LRAS Leadership Team - 1/13
- Deans - 1/26
- Academic Senate - 2/8
- Associated Students - 2/10
- Chairs - 2/10
- Counseling - 2/10
- Classified Senate - 2/11
- MSSC - 2/17
- Student Services Division - 2/24
- Mesa Student Services Council - 2/17
- CEL - 2/25
- Mesa Pathways Committee - 3/10

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Thank you