TEACHING
Puente co-ordinators, Professors Apryl Guisasola (College and Career Success & Psychology), John Rall (English), and Leslie Banta (Math) will be champions for your success and prepare you for transfer.

MENTORING
Puente is unique among college transfer programs by offering personal one-on-one mentoring with local community volunteers. You can expect social, professional, and academic support from your mentor.

COUNSELING
You’ll meet with your counselor regularly to develop and update your educational plan and to receive focused academic counseling.

BIENVENIDOS PUENTISTAS!
We’re excited to welcome you to the Puente familia at Mendocino College! The Puente Project is a partnership with UC Berkeley that provides teaching, counseling, and mentoring through a national award-winning program that, for 40 years, has improved the college-going rate of tens of thousands of California’s students.
One of the benefits of Puente is a cohort model for classes. You will join other Puentistas in a collection of classes just for you. As you work together, you will become a familia whose members support each other in your success.

**Fall 2022**
- ENG 200 (0358) College Composition  MW 9am – 10:20am (3 units)
- ENG 65 (0046) Academic Literacy  MW 10:30am – 11:20am (2 units)
- CCS 101 (0413) Career and Life Planning  T 9am – 11:50am (3 units)

**Spring 2023**
- ENG 201 Critical Thinking Through Literature (4 units)
- PSY 215 Psychology of Personal Growth (3 units)
- MTH 30 Math Success (1 unit)
- MTH 540 Math Lab (non-credit, no units)
- MTH 200 Precalculus (5 units) + MTH 542 Math Lab for Corequisite Support OR
- MTH 220 Statistics (4 units) + MTH 532 Support for Statistics
- The math class you choose will depend on your major.
Believing in yourself and fighting for your dreams is what enables you to live each day and face every obstacle.

-Yaneli Sosa

ENG 65 & 200
Prof. Rall

“Escribiéndolo real”
Write it real.

English 65 incorporates and contextualizes reading and writing strategies aligned to English 200 coursework. You will read and comprehend sophisticated texts and respond to diverse ideas and perspectives through writing expository and/or persuasive compositions.

English 200 fulfills the requirements of the first semester of freshman composition at the university level. The course is both reading and writing extensive. Topics covered include thesis development and support, writing essays in various rhetorical modes, close reading, and completion of a thorough, properly cited research paper.
CCS 101
Prof. Guisasola

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CCS 101 will assist you in establishing and achieving education, career, and life goals through a comprehensive approach to effective planning. You will examine how psychological, social, physical and environmental factors impact career and life choices.