

September 26, 1968

Mr. Wayne Culver
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Dear Mr. Culver:

We appreciated very much your willingness to include the administration of our questionnaire in the orientation program for your freshmen. We are particularly grateful to you for your willingness to improvise at the last minute so that we could have the benefit of your figures for presentation to the Chancellor when he was here last week.

I am enclosing copies of the two tabulations we have made of the responses to the questionnaire. I assume that a substantial portion of the students will change their plans between now and the end of the 1969-70 academic year. Some of these changes, however, will cancel each other out. The information with which you have provided us will be very helpful as we proceed with our planning for this institution.

If there is any way in which we can be helpful to you or other staff members at Bakersfield College at any time I trust you will not hesitate to get in touch with us. I hope that you and we will have a chance to get acquainted in the near future.

Cordially,

PHILIP S. WILMER, JR.
Dean of the College

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Enclosures

Results of questionnaire administered to Bakersfield College freshmen, September, 1968

Bakersfield College authorities distributed questionnaires to 533 entering students as part of the College's orientation program in September, 1968. The College's Dean of Students reports that this group represented approximately 35 per cent of the College's freshmen who are pursuing non-terminal programs. The results of the questionnaires and their significance for the total class are set forth below.

	<u>Question-</u> <u>naires</u>	<u>Total</u> <u>B. C. Class</u>
Certainly will want to enter CSCB September, 1970, taking a major to be offered at that time	72	206
Probably will want to enter CSCB September, 1970, taking a major to be offered at that time	61	174
Might want to enter CSCB in 1970	120	343
Certainly would have wanted to attend CSCB September, 1970, but with a major not offered until the third, fourth or fifth year	8	24
Certainly would have wanted to attend CSCB September, 1970, but with a major not included in the Academic Master Plan	7	21
Probably would have wanted to attend CSCB September, 1970, but with a major not then available	27	77
Probably will want to attend CSCB in a year later than 1970	34	97
Expect to do upper division work at another college	155	443
Plan no college after Bakersfield	49	140

Responses to the questionnaire administered to Bakersfield College seniors May, 1968

Two hundred questionnaires were sent to a random sample of the 1425 Bakersfield College students who were not freshmen and who were not pursuing terminal programs. This amounted to one-seventh of the appropriate student population. Ninety-eight questionnaires were returned. The following analysis assumes that none of the students who failed to return questionnaires will apply for admission to Cal State Bakersfield.

	<u>Questionnaires</u>	<u>Total Students</u>
Certainly or probably would have attended CSCB in September, 1968, taking a major which will be offered during the first two years of the College	38	266
Of these, 29 (203) certainly would have attended in a first two-year major.		
These respondents include 13 (91) who indicate they will be attending Bakersfield Center of Fresno State in September, 1968, and 16 (112) who do not plan to attend Bakersfield Center.		
The remaining 9 (63) said they probably would have attended in a first two-year major.		
Might have attended in a first two-year major	7	49
Might have taken a few courses	6	42
Certainly, probably, or might have attended in a major that the Academic Master Plan calls for in the third, fourth, or fifth year of CSCB	14	98
Of these, 6 (42) checked Certainly, 3 (21) checked Probably, and 6 (42) checked Might		
Would probably have gone to another college and studied a program available at CSCB	14	98
Would have wanted to attend but desired programs not planned for CSCB. These included:	13	91
Engineering 5 (35)		
Agriculture 4 (28)		
Industrial Arts 2 (14)		
Architecture 1 (7)		
Police Science 1 (7)		
Would not have attended college next year even if CSCB had been available	6	42

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Dr. P. P. Romburg

September 26, 1966

cc : Dr. J. R. Cook
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Potential numbers of our first junior class.

We have now conducted two surveys of potential numbers of our first junior class. All 2060 seniors in the 11 H.S./CC high schools were questioned in May 1966 and members of the non-traditional freshman at Bakersfield College were questioned in September 1966. The following table indicates the intended major concentrations selected by (A) high school seniors with 2.4 in Track A or 3.0 in Track B and (B) by the Bakersfield College freshmen, the "certainty or probably" will work to attend California State College, Bakersfield in 1970 and major in a subject we will be offering.

	June 1966 H.S. seniors	B. C. Freshmen			Total No.	Total %
		No. of Seniors	Total Intend. Major	Total Major		
Business Administration	61	25	45	206	20	
Mathematics	2	3	9	11	2	
Sciences	3	-	-	2	0	
Education (no undergraduate major)	26	23	27	65	20	
English	49	7	22	70	21	
Fine Arts	25	20	30	56	6	
History	27	8	26	51	11	
Mathematics	30	3	9	39	6	
Philosophy	-	-	-	-	0	
Political Science	28	6	16	36	5	
Psychology	6	3	9	15	2	
Sociology-Anthropology	23	5	15	28	4	
Spanish and Foreign Languages	5	2	6	11	2	
Undecided	44	24	202	254	23	
	224	111	211	546		

MEMORANDUM

September 19, 1968

Prospective Students Transferring from Taft and Porterville Colleges

Taft College now graduates approximately 125 students per year of whom 85 continue college work, 60 attending State Colleges and 35 of these attending Fresno State.

Taft College Dean of Students estimates that from 20 to 25 students graduating from Taft College in June, 1970, will want to attend California State College, Bakersfield in September, 1970.

Questionnaires distributed at Taft College registration September, 1968, but given inadequate visibility or explanation produced the following 14 responses from among the 275 entering students:

Certainly attend CSCB 1970	1
Probably attend CSCB 1970	2
Might attend CSCB 1970	6
Probably attend CSCB later	2
Will attend another college	1
No college planned after Taft	2

Porterville College now graduates approximately 110 students per year of whom 80 continue college work, 60 attending State Colleges and 48 of these attending Fresno State.

Porterville College Dean of Students estimates that approximately 20 students who graduate from Porterville College in June, 1970, will want to attend California State College, Bakersfield in September, 1970, and that this number will increase rapidly in ensuing years. He also estimates that approximately 75 additional persons from the Porterville area will want to begin full or part time work at California State College, Bakersfield in 1970.

P. S. Wilder

Dr. P. P. Hoberg

September 17, 1968

cc : Dr. J. B. Gough
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Indicated concentration choices for 1968 high school seniors with 2.4 in Track 4 or 3.0 in Track 3, indicating they "certainly or probably" will attend in 1970 with available majors.

Undecided	46
Business Administration	62
Art	26
Fine Arts	4
Music	6
Education	26
Chemistry	2
English	49
History	27
Mathematics	30
Earth Sciences	2
Political Sciences	28
Psychology	6
Sociology	23
Spanish and Foreign Languages	5
	22

	<u>1970-71</u>	<u>1971-72</u>
<u>Seniors</u>	150	225
<u>Juniors</u>		
<u>From Bakersfield College</u>	215	250
<u>From elsewhere</u>	35	75
<u>Total</u>	250	325
<u>Sophomores</u>	-0-	150
<u>Freshmen</u>		
<u>Commuters</u>	200	200
<u>Dorm residents</u>	-0-	200
<u>Total</u>	200	400
<u>Adults, veterans, etc.</u>	50	75
<u>Total indicated</u>	650	1175