

**YOUR IMPACT: A MESSAGE FROM
VICE CHANCELLOR
PABLO REGUERÍN**

After more than a year of remote services, our students are back on campus, and the entire UC Davis community, including you, has come together to provide support to our students.

This year, the generosity from donors like you has been record-breaking—and difference-making—and I'd like to share with you the impact the program you support has on our students.

Thank you for your continued partnership.



\$1,645,000

**Dollars raised for the
Division of Student Affairs**

2,078

Total donors

2,605

Total gifts

**STUDENT AFFAIRS
MISSION STATEMENT**

The Division of Student Affairs advances the university's mission by providing programs, services and facilities that foster academic success, student development and campus community. We assist and inspire students as they prepare for their future roles in a diverse, dynamic and global society.

UC DAVIS
STUDENT AFFAIRS

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Expect Greater
From UC Davis. For the World.

GUARDIAN SCHOLARS PROGRAM MISSION STATEMENT

The Guardian Scholars Program is committed to improving the educational outcomes for foster youth and former foster youth by providing services and support to meet their needs through transition, graduation and post-graduate planning. We strive to maximize educational opportunities and university experiences through our comprehensive programs and holistic advising to help students achieve their academic and personal goals.

GUARDIAN SCHOLARS PROGRAM 2020–21 UPDATES



Guardian scholars offered remote programming for the 2020–21 academic year, serving almost 150 students. While this year looked different, the program was still able to connect with students through its continued cohort model. They saw over 90% engagement in the programs offered. A few programming highlights included:

- Fall Welcome
- Monthly community gatherings
- Peer-led counseling groups
- Study Sessions
- Cohort meet-ups
- Student Achievement Celebration
- Foster Care Awareness Month

THIS YEAR'S HIGHLIGHTS

CONGRATS GRADS

38 students graduated with a bachelor's degree in the 20–2021 academic year

ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENT

Average cumulative UC GPA was 3.093 for UC Davis Guardian Scholars Program participants

DONOR SUPPORT

Through donor support, in addition to providing student programming, 16 students received summer session support, and 13 students received assistance for books and supplies

"Sometimes we forget how important creating family and community can be, because we all had to do well on our own for so long ... [Guardian Scholar Program] is paved with the intention of building [that] connection."

– Marcelo Elliot-Lopez,
Fall 2020 graduate

\$25,590

Dollars raised for
Guardian Scholars Program

85

Donors

128

Gifts

UC DAVIS STUDENT ENGAGEMENT

- Between fall 2019 and spring 2021, provided 410,473 service deliverables from its 54 campus program services to 37,809 individual students
- On average, each student engaged in 10 to 11 services
- The COVID-19 pandemic impacted data collection, but virtual service customization continued to support students remotely

UC DAVIS TOTAL ENROLLMENT

78%

39,687

Undergraduate students

22%

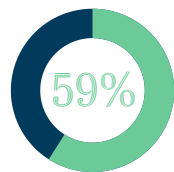
11,194

Graduate students

GUARDIAN SCHOLARS PROGRAM STUDENTS SERVED

148

Students served in academic year 2020/21



First-generation college students

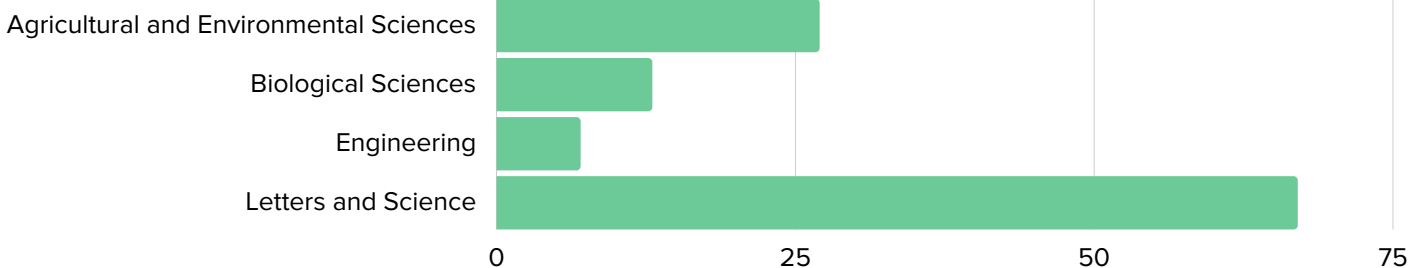
30%

Transfer students

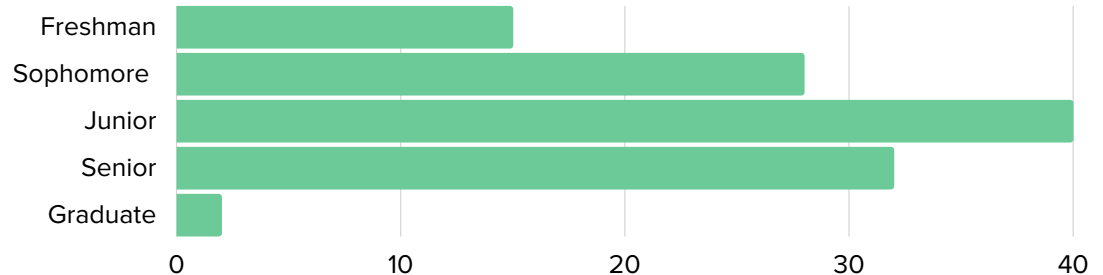
68%

Traditional students

Participants by Undergraduate College



Participants by Declared Class Level



Data reflects students who used their student ID to register for services. Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, 2020-21 academic year data is not reflective of all students served. 2019-20 program data has been included to show more comprehensive understanding of population served.