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**SFCC Invites High School Students to “Explore Your Options”  
Saturday, November 19, 10 a.m. to noon**

*Event showcases SFCC certificates, degrees, programs and student support*

SANTA FE, NM – Junior and senior high school students who are starting to consider where they want to go to college are invited to attend “Explore Your Options,” set for 10 a.m. to noon on Saturday, November 19, at Santa Fe Community College.

Participants will learn about academic opportunities at SFCC, including the new Santa Fe Higher Education Center, which allows students to earn four-year degrees in a range of majors without having to leave Santa Fe.

Students can learn about SFCC’s dual credit program, which allows students to earn college credits while attending high school. Current SFCC students will be on hand to explain the benefits of earning a certificate or associate degree at SFCC and how the college supports them as they work toward a degree. Information about financial aid that is available to students, including the Legislative Lottery Scholarship, also will be available.

This event is free and lunch is included. Students who would like to participate are asked to RSVP by Friday, Nov. 11 with Marcos Maez at (505) 428-1779 or [marcos.maez@sfcc.edu](mailto:marcos.maez@sfcc.edu).

**About Santa Fe Community College:** *For more than 28 years, Santa Fe Community College has been the gateway to success for individuals and the community by providing affordable, high quality educational programs that serve the social, cultural, technological and economic needs of a diverse community. The college serves more than 15,000 students per year in its credit, noncredit and adult basic education programs. For further information, visit [www.sfcc.edu](http://www.sfcc.edu) or call (505) 428-1000. Follow us: [SFCC on Facebook](#), [SFCC on Twitter](#).*

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