



COLLEGE OF APPLIED TECHNOLOGY AND GENERAL STUDIES

MISSION AND GOALS

Mission

The College of Applied Technology and General Studies is committed to upholding and promoting the mission and philosophy of The University of Texas and Texas Southmost College by creating a 21st century platform of education that provides opportunities for academic, career, and social pathways. The College strives to develop and disseminate standards of practice, research-based instruction, and inclusion of emergent technologies to increase educational attainment, upward mobility, and professional opportunities.

Goals

1. Maintain curriculum standards which will enable learners to develop critical thinking, leadership, team-building, technological, and communication skills;
2. Provide career pathways for students with diverse academic, linguistic, cultural, and economic backgrounds through workforce education, applied technologies, and general education programs;
3. Promote excellence in research and teaching by providing opportunities for faculty to engage in scholarship, service, and professional development;
4. Implement a program evaluation and effectiveness system to enhance program development, based on national academic standards, as well as student, community, and workforce needs.