**Taft College Mission Statement and Value**

**Our Vision**

Taft College instills a passion for learning, leading to success for all.

**Our Mission**

Taft College is committed to creating a community of learners by enriching the lives of all students we serve through career technical education, transfer programs, foundational programs, baccalaureate programs, and student support services. Taft College provides an equitable learning environment defined by applied knowledge leading to students’ achievement of their educational goals.

**Our Values**

* Students and their success
* A learning community with teaching excellence
* An environment conducive to learning, fairness, dialogue, and continuous improvement
* A communicative, collaborative, collegial, and respectful culture
* A partnership of students, faculty, support services, and community
* Innovation, diversity, creativity, and critical thinking
* Academic, financial, personal, and professional integrity
* Employees and their professional development
* A transparent, accessible, participative governance structure