

2.1 Increase academic support for students in the first year (e.g., proactive advising, embedded tutors, mentors, block scheduling).

The STEM Center is supported by Project PROMESAS, a U.S. Department of Education Hispanic Serving Institutions STEM grant. The STEM Center provides free tutoring for all CSUCI STEM gateway courses (e.g., BIO 203, CHEM 105, COMP 105, Math 150, PHYS 101) as well as some upper division courses. The Center offers a flexible schedule with STEM tutors able to tutor multiple disciplines. The STEM Center is open for six days a week (about 56 hours a week), including nights and Saturdays (Tuesday from 10:00 a.m.– 9:00 p.m., and Friday and Saturday from 10:00 a.m.– 4:00 p.m.). In addition to tutoring, the STEM Center

