

# STUDENT LEARNING OUTCOMES

The college is accredited by the Western Association of Schools and Colleges (WASC). As part of the college accreditation process all courses and programs must have student learning outcomes (SLOs). The SLO process assesses the abilities students acquire through their participation in a course or program. SLOs have been identified for the vast majority of courses and are housed in each division office with the corresponding assessment rubrics. SLOs for a given course must be provided in the syllabus for each section. More information on SLOs at Rio Hondo College can be found at [www.riohondo.edu/SLO](http://www.riohondo.edu/SLO).

## **YOUR STUDENTS**

Are diverse

Work full or part time

Have families and often children

Many are first generation college students

May not have been successful in high school

Often have financial difficulties

May have transportation issues

Do not understand how to do things at college

Need help defining goals and staying on track

You are the key to their successful experience at Rio Hondo.