

## Library 2009-10

### Accomplishment Description:

#### Outreach

The library offered an Open House to students and faculty in January. These sessions provided library orientation, research tips, and updates on new library offerings. Each open house was tailored to its specific audience.

The library's spring in-service breakout session, "Beyond Google: Getting Better Assignments from Students," was standing-room-only, with more than 70 attendees.

The library brochure was updated and provided to the SOAR program, Women in Transition program, Lane Preview Night, and students visiting the classroom and reference desk.

Library displays are intended to market library resources on selected topics. These displays also create a dynamic educational environment. In 2009-2010 our displays included 2010 Science/Fiction (contemporary science and old science fiction), Haiti Earthquake, 2010 Peace Symposium: Confronting Militarism: Democracy vs Empire, Women's History Month, National Poetry Month (to coincide with the poet laureate's "Focus on Community Colleges" initiative), Latino books month (highlighting the library's Spanish language and ESL collections), and National Information Literacy Month. In recognition of National Poetry Month the library solicited and posted poems for its "Poetry Potpie" event.

#### Strategic Direction

- Promote professional growth and provide increased development opportunities for staff both within and outside the College.

#### Learning Plan Goals

- Facilitate more integrated and connected educational opportunities.
- Provide on-going technology training for faculty and staff.

#### Student Affairs Plan Goals

- Develop a campus-wide, coordinated, and targeted marketing strategy to enhance enrollment and image in the community.