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### **SKYLINE COLLEGE HONORS STUDENTS' ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENTS**

**San Bruno, California – April 26, 2012:** The 12<sup>th</sup> Annual Student Recognition and Award Ceremony will award 208 scholarships to 115 students on Thursday, May 9, 2013 at 4:00 p.m. in the Theater, located at 3300 College Drive, San Bruno, CA 94066, Building 1. A reception for the scholarship recipients and families will be held immediately following the program. Skyline College Students will be awarded 80 scholarships totaling \$134,000 which includes funds donated from the community through the San Mateo County Community Colleges Foundation and from Skyline College faculty and staff. Recognition will also be given to all students who are on the Academic Dean's list, in the Honors Transfer Program, or are transferring to a four-year university to continue their higher education.

"It is such a pleasure to be able to award scholarships to over x deserving students to allow them to achieve their academic goals. Skyline College is a place where students are welcomed, guided and rewarded with programs like this toward success," said Dr. Regina Stanback Stroud, President, Skyline College.

Many of the scholarships students receive are generous donations from our community secured through the efforts of the San Mateo County Community College Foundation. The Foundation's mission is to promote student success and to nourish program innovation and excellence by providing special financial support for the District's colleges including Skyline College. For more information on the Foundation's scholarship program or to donate to Skyline College, please contact Stephani F. Scott, Executive Director, San Mateo Community College District Foundation at (650) 358-6871.

**Skyline College** is an accredited, comprehensive California community college serving more than 10,000 students offering over 80 Associate Degree and Certificate programs. Located on a 111-acre campus overlooking the Pacific Ocean, Skyline College has offered world-class educational opportunities to residents from North San Mateo County and beyond since 1969. Part of the San Mateo Community College District, Skyline College strives to inspire a global and diverse community of learners to achieve intellectual, cultural, social, economic and personal fulfillment.

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