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

**San Bruno, California – May 8, 2012:** The 11<sup>th</sup> Annual Student Recognition and Awards Ceremony awarding scholarships to 136 students will be held on Wednesday, May 9, 2012 at 4:00 p.m. in the campus Main Theater, located at 3300 College Drive, San Bruno, CA 94066, Building 1. Skyline College Students will be awarded 173 scholarships totaling \$170,621 which includes \$86,250 in funds donated from the community and \$84,371 in funds donated from college students, faculty, staff and the San Mateo Community College District Foundation. 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 130 deserving students to allow them to achieve their academic goals. Skyline College is a place where programs like this welcome and guide students toward success," said Dr. Regina Stanback Stroud, President, Skyline College.

Many of the scholarships that 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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