

**BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF COMMUNITY COLLEGE
DISTRICT NO. 508
County of Cook and State of Illinois**

**Title V Program Open House
MALCOLM X COLLEGE**

THE CHANCELLOR

REPORTS

that on Wednesday, December 3, 2003, the Title V Program in conjunction with the Office of Enrollment Management and Student Services hosted an open house for Aspira, Inc. of Illinois/ Antonia Pantoja Alternative High School acclimating these alternative high school students to Malcolm X College and providing them with an orientation of the college programs, services and grant resources to create a structure that does not leave student success to chance. Approximately 55 Latino and African American juniors and seniors participated in this event. Plans are under way to host similar open houses for our GED/ESL students both on and off -campus and at other Alternative High School locations.

FURTHER

that there were presentations made by our college advisors, financial aid office and Testing and Assessment on the following topics:

- Overview of College programs, services and resources (Malcolm X College marketing video)
- The Community College Advantage/Why a Community College?
- Review of college degree and certificate programs
- Review of Federal grants to assist students (EOC, Talent Search, Upward Bound and Title V)
- COMPASS Placement testing
- Financial Aid Procedures and application process

This Open House provided these alternative high school students with valuable information in their pursuit of Post-Secondary Education. Additionally, the college's Health Sciences Program displays were also available for students to meet faculty and to inquire about their academic program of interest.

Respectfully submitted,

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