

EXXONMOBIL SUPPORTS BACHELOR OF APPLIED ARTS & SCIENCES DEGREE IN LEADERSHIP & MANAGEMENT



Odessa College will welcome its first semester of students to the ExxonMobil Bachelor of Applied Arts and Sciences (BAAS) Degree in Leadership and Management in the Spring of 2021.

“We chose Odessa College for its excellent track record in education, particularly in STEM and energy-related fields,” said Enrique Garcia, Permian production manager at XTO Energy, a subsidiary of ExxonMobil. “Many of the professionals we hire come from the Permian Basin, so this is another important step to strengthen our local talent right here in the communities where we operate.”

“Odessa College is honored to receive this important support from ExxonMobil,” said Dr. Greg Williams, president of Odessa College. “Our program is the only one in the region that allows a student to obtain their BAAS degree from start to finish without already having their associate’s degree.”

The BAAS Leadership and Management program at Odessa College focuses on providing a solid understanding of business operations, ethics, accounting, finance, cultural competence and business planning.

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SCHOLARSHIP TESTIMONIAL

"Becoming a recipient of the Odessa College Foundation Student Success Scholarship was a tremendous blessing. After my family and I experienced unexpected hardships, I was uncertain if continuing my education was still an option. I would like to send a big thanks to my amazing Odessa College family and our community for their contribution to this life changing scholarship as I was able to continue taking classes towards achieving my dream of earning my Associate degree in Early Childhood Education. Now, being a full-time employee, I am truly blessed to be given the opportunity to give back to the scholarship that has not only helped me achieve my dreams, but has helped our amazing, smart and talented students achieve their dreams as well."

GPA: 3.8 **Major:** Early Childhood Education

STUDENT SUCCESS SCHOLARSHIP

ARI GRANADO

WRANGLER FOOD PANTRY MARKS ONE-YEAR ANNIVERSARY

The Wrangler Food Pantry has proudly served 370 households, totaling 1,032 individuals since October 2019. The Pantry has received 11,278 pounds of food and hygiene donations to date from OC faculty, staff, students, local businesses and community members.

This month, OC employees donated \$3,320 for holiday baskets for students. The baskets will contain items such as mashed potato mix, stuffing, vegetables and a dessert. The Pantry plans to make 200 baskets to distribute in November and December. Students who wish to receive a basket simply need to come to the pantry during the distribution. While they are picking up baskets, we will collect information from the students and will give them more information about Student Support Services.

The Wrangler Food Pantry is located in the SPUR Building, Room 140 and open on Wednesdays from 3 to 6 pm and Thursdays from 9 to 11 am. To donate to the Wrangler Food Pantry, e-mail foodpantry@odessa.edu or call (432) 335-6861.

