

Happy 2025!!
January Update of ERFSA-Stanislaus Campus Cares Fundraiser

Dear ERFSA Members,

I wanted to let you know that between October 1st and December 31st Stan-ERFSA with a 22% participation rate raised \$2275 toward our goal of \$4000 for the CSU Stanislaus Foundation Campus Cares (Basic Needs) Account. Checks in the amount of \$1100 and \$600 have been delivered to CSU Stanislaus Foundation for the Campus Cares Basic Needs. In addition, some of our members have contributed \$575 either directly or through payroll deductions to the CSU Stanislaus Foundation for the Campus Cares Basic Needs.

You may have read that several students at CSU Stanislaus lack the basic needs of shelter, food, and clothing. Students living in cars as they struggle to finish their degrees is a phenomenon of our time. The CSU Stanislaus Basic Needs Office has been set up to solve this unacceptable condition. ERFSA members would like to help by raising funds through a 2024-25 capital campaign and make a generous donation to the CSU Stanislaus Campus Cares Foundation Account, in lieu of a capital campaign for a Graduate Scholarship. Stan ERFSA members may still contribute to the ERFSA Graduate Scholarship, but we will not actively seek donations for the Scholarship Fund this year.

As Treasurer, I have been asked to take charge of the ERFSA-Stanislaus Campus Cares Fundraiser. All money collected by ERFSA will be transferred to the CSU Stanislaus Campus Cares Foundation Account. You may give at any time and as often as you want until July 31, 2025. With your help we can achieve our goal this year of 100% participation in raising \$4000 for our students in need.

Please make your checks payable to "CSU Stanislaus ERFSA," and in the memo section write "Campus Cares." You will receive an email confirmation from me of your donation, so please include your email address and send to:

ERFSA-Stanislaus
c/o Tom Abram, Treasurer
3646 Milano Way
Turlock, CA 95382-0475

If you prefer your contribution to be tax deductible, per tax code, make your check payable to CSU Stanislaus Foundation, and in the memo section of your check, write "Campus Cares Account." Please mail your check to:

CSU Stanislaus Foundation
One University Circle
Turlock, CA 95382

If you do send directly to the Foundation, please remember to email me the amount so I can account for all donations made by Stan ERFSA members.

Thanks again for your continued support and participation!
Tom Abram, Treasurer of ERFSA-Stanislaus