

OPEN EDUCATION RESOURCES AND ZERO TEXTBOOK COST COMMITTEE MEETING

DATE:

4/15/2026

TIME:

1-2:00 pm

LOCATION:

70-173 or Zoom

AGENDA

1. Approval of 3/18/26 meeting minutes
2. Chair updates
 - a. Call with Chaffey College
 - b. ZTC grant spending
 - c. Bookstore markings
 - d. [ASCCC Senate resolutions as of April 2026](#)
 - i. 105.04 S26 Estimating Student Savings and Standardizing OER/ZTC Savings Estimates
 - ii. 105.01 S26 Protecting the Integrity of Student Course Information
3. Copywritten work in Canvas
4. PlayLab chat bot for XB12
 - a. statewide [pilot program](#) and [results](#).

CHARGE

The Open Education Resources and Zero Textbook Cost Committee (OERZTCC) reports to the Academic Senate. The OERZTCC provides a forum for OER and ZTC awareness, adoption, and support for faculty and students. The committee provides recommendations, guidelines, and standards (including accessibility) for the integration and sustainability of OER, ZTC, and low textbook cost (LTC) materials. The committee ensures that ZTC/LTC is clearly indicated in the class schedule for students. Ultimately, the OERZTCC works to eliminate barriers to education, increase equity, and improve student outcomes.

MEMBERSHIP

Zayden Tethong, OER ZTC Committee co-chair

Nadra Farina-Hess, OER ZTC Committee co-chair

Holly Reed, AHN (Allied Health and Nursing)

Ericka Banda, Counseling

Hadeel Yaqoub, ESBS (English, Social, and Behavioral Sciences)

Ondrea Mesquita, IOPS

Tate Hurvitz, GCCCD Administrators Association

Adelle Roe, OTLC Committee liaison

Lara Braff, ASCCC OERI Representative

Henry Cohn-Geltner, ARC (Accessibility Resource Center)

Alessandra Velasco, ASG (Associated Students of Grossmont)

NEXT MEETING

May 20, 2026