Mission Statement
The Department of Speech, Language, and Hearing Sciences provides students pre-professional and professional training in speech-language pathology and audiology, which is founded on state and national standards, evidence-based practice, research, and science and technology, to prepare them to serve persons with communication disorders and their families in an ethical and culturally competent manner.

Vision
The Department of Speech, Language, and Hearing Sciences at Cal State East Bay will deliver innovative instruction, excel in research, and expand community-based collaboration to create a vibrant and supportive learning community that engages and inspires students, faculty, staff, and clients with communication disorders.

Strategic Goals
Goal 1: Build departmental strength through recruitment and retention of qualified faculty.
Goal 2: Enhance growth in faculty scholarship and productivity
Goal 3: Enrich the academic and clinical training experience through innovative instruction that meets the needs of our pluralistic communities.
Goal 4: Provide comprehensive academic and career advising to our diverse study body to support student success and transition to a successful professional career.
Goal 5: Develop and enhance external collaborations and resources for academic and clinical faculty and programs.

The department will work on these strategic goals guided by department leadership with input from all department stakeholders as it relates to their specific role and responsibilities in the department.