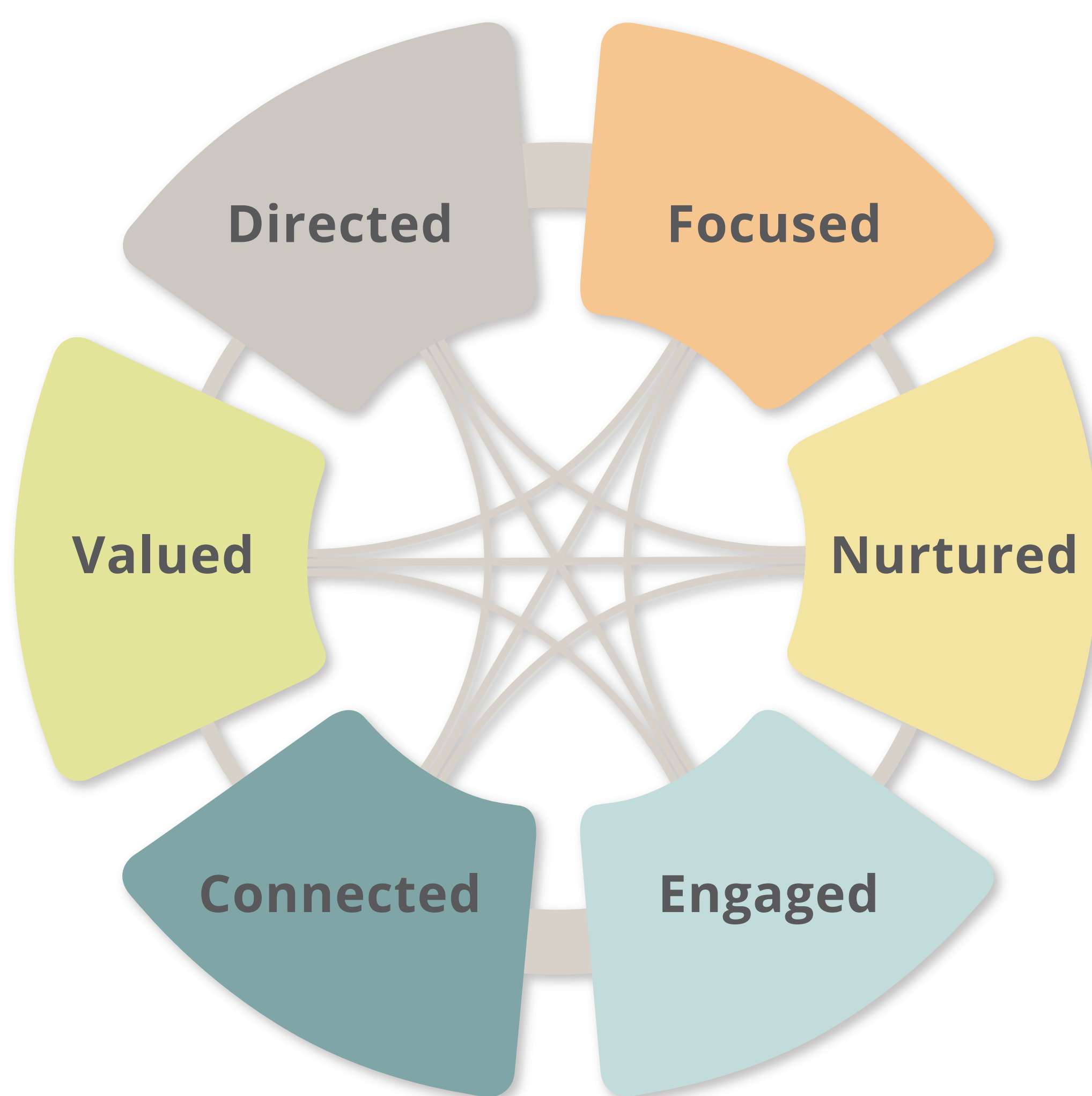


Six Success Factors that Support Student Achievement

Research on community college support indicates that students are more likely to achieve their goals when the Six Success Factors are present.

- ▶ **Directed** — students have a goal and know how to achieve it
- ▶ **Focused** — students stay on track, keeping their eyes on the prize
- ▶ **Nurtured** — students feel somebody wants and helps them to succeed
- ▶ **Engaged** — students actively participate in class and extracurriculars
- ▶ **Connected** — students feel like they are part of the college community
- ▶ **Valued** — students' skills, talents, abilities and experiences are recognized; they have opportunities to contribute on campus, and feel their contributions are appreciated



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