Common Financial Terms

Term	Definition	Example
Revenues	Account type 50 transactions,Usually associated with trusts.Can be viewed as cash inflows	PE Material fees received
Expenses	Account type 60 transactionsUsually cash outflows	Office supply purchases
Chartfields	 Consist of your business unit, fund, department, account, program, project, and class 	BKCMP BK001 D10160 501845
Funds	 Collection of transactions organized for specific purposes 	BK001 – General Fund
Account types	Types of transactions, i.e. liabilities, assets, revenues, expenses, etc	10-Assets, 20-Liabilities, 30-Fund Equity and Reserves, 40-Budgetary, 50 – Revenues, 60 – Expenditures, and 70 -BASB35 GAAP
Account Categories	Groups of accounts that categorized by account type	503 – Gifts Grants and Contracts, 504 – Sales and Services of Auxiliary Enterprises, 606 – Travel, 660 – Misc. Operating Expenses
Accounts	Specific accounts with account types and account categories	501842-Biology Crs Fee, 501843-Writing Course Matl Fee, 501846-PE Material Fee, 660002-Printing, and 660003-Supplies and Services
Programs	Transactions related to a specific program, such as commencement, Ed.D Program with Fresno State	1041-EdD Fresno Program, 1037-Commencement
Projects	 Usually associated with funds that are earmarked for specific activities, such as new parking lot 	40203 BCSD Family Literacy Project
Classes	 Some are user-definable, used to track transactions not otherwise specified Others are specified 	C0001 – User defined 001, 465 – TF Contracts and Grant Trust