

Student Success and Support Program (3SP) Committee
February 7, 2019
2:30 – 4:00 pm
SSC 232

Present

Members of the Dev Ed and others invited to the regular 3SP meeting

Agenda/Announcements

- No additions

Minutes

- Tabled to March
- Copy of Assembly Bill 705 attached
- English course sequence
- Math course flow chart
- ESL implementation time line

Discussion on Placement Decisions and Tools

- Beth did a brief history of multiple measure
- 2014 we became pilot college for the statewide multiple measures initiative
- DVC was also a Common Assessment pilot college
- 3SP committee agreed to follow the matrix from the RP group as delivered for multiple measures
- We looked at tools, we adopted Sierra College's tool
- It was user friendly and web based
- Manual process of loading results to students records directly
- In FA 2017 we had to design a new tool to work behind the portal
- This would allow automatic updates
- Accuplacer is still here
- Will have Accuplacer for late start and summer classes
- We will continue using Accuplacer for placement in ESL
- We will be using guided self-placement

How do we envision the student experience?

- In terms of placement, multiple measures is the only tool we have working
- Will this tool be used interactively with other tools developed
- When we start using the decision matrix, will it be available for those who used multiple measures?
- Lindsey, from math department, explained the chart that shows what steps a student would take to be in the correct placement
- The type of chart would work for ESL
- How do we collaborate on student experience?
- We may want to make some adjustments that will take longer
- We do need to make decision on use of the current tool

How do we envision the student experience?

- How do we continue the bigger picture of student experience
- Start discussion about guided self-placement
- Changes to English and Math testing
- All feedback is incorporated
- This is an opportunity for us to make other suggestions
- High school visits for placement start at the end of February

- We will flip the switch to new decision matrix the week of the 19th.
- This will give us next week to submit changes to district IT
- Open discussion on exact verbiage to use and placement on the instruction page
- Screen shot of explanation and instruction page to be sent to all committees
- English and Math will furnish language for result page
- In depth conversation on the verbiage and results published on this page
- Results should be published on the top of the page and explanations below

Next steps and timeline

- The focus for the spring 3SP meetings will be on design, development and implementation

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