

# Developmental Education Council Meeting

Wednesday, Sept. 26, 2018 – Ware Student Commons 416 from 12:00 – 1:30 p.m.

**Meeting Leader:** Edie Carter

**Attendees:** Stephanie Brackett, Diane Brice, Carol Buse, Edie Carter, Penelope Davies, Becky Easton, David Hall, Melissa Hightower, Michael Kitten, Michelle Lamons, Kristin McDonald-Willey, Linda Munoz, Kelly Murphy, Ernesto Olmos, Matthew Piech, Christy Robinson, Dennis Sarine, Carol Summers, Luinda Verden, Collin Witherspoon

**Absent:** Kim Crowley, Kim Hays, Mitch Parker, Kim Pinter, Michele Rupe, Jamie Smith, Vicky Taylor-Gore

**Minutes:** The May 2, 2018 minutes were approved as printed.

**Dev Math:** Edie reported that co-req model is being used to align with HB#2223: 50% of Dev Math students are in co-req classes. Edie negotiated with Pearson for a \$60 math code for the eight-week students. After a Hereford teacher resigned just before classes began in the Fall, Edie is using ITV in her Intermediate Algebra class to also teach 9 Hereford students. Penelope is driving to Hereford to teach the night class.

**Reading/Dev English:** Carol said her department is using the co-req model also with 57% of the students in co-req classes. The middle level course is being eliminated, but AERW and INRW are remaining. English 1301 has been redesigned and is being piloted this semester.

**AEL:** Michelle reported AEL is also using ITV with Perryton students. She said the online TABE test that was used before class started had multiple challenges. The test doesn't have a good diagnostic report. AVID training will be Nov. 1-2 on East Campus specifically for Dev Ed instructors, Tech Ed instructors and Advisers. The Community Link Open House is Oct. 5 from 9 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. to celebrate the updated facility.

**East Campus:** David said the IBEST model is being used with 15 students receiving TSI review training at the same time they are taking their Tech-Ed classes. He believes the review needs to be added to their class schedule.

**ESL:** Linda said three rooms in Russell Hall were renovated for ESL classes with new furniture, artwork, carpet and a state of the art laptop cart. This fall, 332 students are enrolled which is down 50 students from last year. Matthew reported new teachers have been hired in Hereford, Pampa and Perryton. He is looking at English-language training classes for the workplace. ESL and HSE classes are being developed for the Potter County Detention Center. Meetings with Tyson are being set up about possible employee training.

**Advising:** Ernesto said the advisers are working on 2<sup>nd</sup> 8-week schedules. Spring registration begins Nov. 12. They will have a Counselor's Showcase at East Campus Oct. 30 for area high schools. They plan to have pre-loaded flash drives to give the counselors.

**Data:** Collin said 80% of FTIC students complete in three years if they complete 30 hours in their first year. That percentage drops to 55% if fewer hours are completed in their first year. What kind of supports do we need to build for Dev Ed students to help them complete?

**Testing:** Stephanie said they are the busiest in the summer.

Stephanie moved to adjourn the meeting. Michelle seconded.

**Additional Meeting Dates:**

- Nov. 7, 2018
- Feb. 13, 2019
- April 10, 2019