GUIDING PRINCIPLES, VALUES, & STRATEGIC VISION FOR STUDENT SUCCESS AT WNC

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Guiding Principles

WE MUST...

• Enhance our culture of student success
• Provide collaborative learning environments for students
• Deliver responsive educational programs and services in formats, locations, and times that meet student needs
• Develop, strengthen and sustain beneficial partnerships with institutions, business, industry, and our community
• Be data informed and expand our culture of assessment that measures outcomes and makes appropriate changes
Key Actions

- Jump Start College
- Veteran support services
- Workforce program completions
- Prison education program
- Latino cohort
- Closing the gab
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Associated Results

• Jump Start College
  39% of entering program students received an associates degree within two years.
  94% of the students in this program passed their spring 2018 classes.

• Veteran support services – 109 students
  84% of the coursework taken by veteran students in spring of 2018 was completed successfully.

• Workforce program completions
  43% increase in skills certificates awarded (276 in 2014 and this increased 394 in 2018).

• Prison education program
  100% of students enrolled in classes successfully completed all coursework attempted for the spring 2018 term with a C- or better.

• Latino cohort
  52% of cohort students received an associates degree within three years.

• Closing the achievement gap
  The three year gradation rate for all Hispanic students is 28%. This is same graduation rate for all students on campus.
Future Strategies

- Enhance our first year experience for students
- Expand our advising program for all students
- Develop a series of linked courses
- Expand dual enrollment opportunities for high school students
- Identify and target interventions for at-risk students
- Develop high impact learning strategies for students
- Provide comprehensive student support services
- Provide structured pathways for students from outreach to graduation
- Provide flexibility through digital services

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Resources

- New faculty positions
- Release time for faculty advisors
- Resources for faculty traveling to remote sites for dual enrollment instruction
- Services for enhanced student communications
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2025 Target Outcomes

- Increase graduation rates for full-time students from 22% to 32%
- Increase numbers students with conferred awards from 830 to 1,100
- Increase fall to fall retention rates from 63.4% to 69%

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