



Trinity Valley Community College

Goal #1: Students will improve collegiate survival skills through a mandatory Learning Framework Course

Goal #2: Students will develop a strong connection to TVCC through Freshman Orientation

Talking Points

What is a Quality Enhancement Plan (QEP)? What is our QEP?

- The QEP is a required component of the SACS COC accreditation process committed to improving student learning
- TVCC identified college readiness as the focus of our proposed QEP. By providing pathways for the first year experience, the proposed QEP should empower the first-time-in-college (FTIC) students to improve collegiate survival skills

How were the QEP goals selected?

- Faculty, staff, students, administrators, and community leaders identified issues affecting student learning
- Our plan emerged from surveys and roundtable discussions

How will the QEP goals be implemented?

- FTIC students during their first semester at TVCC to complete a **Learning Framework** course, EDUC1300 or PSYC 1300
- FTIC students will participate in an engaging and mandatory **freshman orientation**

What activities are included in the Learning Frameworks course?

- Students are required to create, schedule, and modify a semester course calendar that identifies due dates and study times
- Develop note taking, study skills, and test taking skills
- Strengthen their emotional intelligence skills
- Discover pathways to careers and colleges

What activities are included in the freshman orientation?

- Access and utilize college technology resources
- Visit college resources including the library
- Cardinal Success Center, advising, and financial aid

When is our SACS COC on-site evaluation?

- The on-site evaluation team members are scheduled to visit all TVCC campuses **October 24-27**



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