Transfer Academy Summer Institute Notes
June 29 – 30, 2012

Year 2 - 3

- Fall 2012
  - 1 counseling appointment each semester
  - Transfer workshop or application workshop
- Starting Fall 2013
  - Counseling 33 (Frances), TA only, year 2 students
    - In September (week 1-3)
    - 2 sections
      - Planning to apply in current fall semester
      - Planning to apply next fall
    - Bring in UC, CSU, Private reps
- Attend TA kick-off, day 2
- Maintain GPA requirement (2.5 GPA)
- Enroll and complete 12+ transferrable units
- Must take 1 TA class/semester
- How to centralize Math 40 students in semester 2?
- Students must apply for 1-year extension
  - Submit a prescriptive plan
  - Approved by counselor and director (committee)

Year 2-3 Classes

- Serving community?
  - Mentoring Year 1 students?
  - Stoneman?
- Fall 2012
  - ENGL 221 (11-12)
- Spring 2013
  - BIOSC 10 (11-12, 12-13) required to take 1 + GE 12-13
  - SPCH 110
  - DRAMA 16
  - PSYCH 11 - Davi/POLSC 10 – Zimny (Frances)
  - 1 unit Library course?
- Summer 2013
  - BIOSC 005? (11-12, 12-13)
Questions to Pursue Deeper

- What students know v. what they don’t
- Can we visit each others’ classes? (Sample teaching)
- Share Syllabi online? Paper copy?
- Add instructors to Blackboard courses
- Regular check-ins
- For seminars:
  - AB540/Dream Act workshop
  - $

(WICOR) Reading Strategies

- Predatory reading
- Text to text
- Evidence/inference [Costa’s levels?]
- Synthesis
  - Graphic organizers (pro/con sheets)
- Pearson – Computer Lab
- Journals
- Peer review – organization
- What are we doing when we read?
- Modeling – successful assignment/product
  - (@ end & process)
  - Collaboration
  - Putting language to it
- Group/pair – teach out

WICOR + Listening = “WICLOR”

Strategies We Are Committing To:

- Learning Logs
- Using a common vocabulary
  - Know technique
  - Read more than once
  - Interact with the reading
- Fall 2013
  - PSYCH 11 (Frances)/POLC 10 (11-12, 12-13)
  - ASTRO 10 (Dave) (13-14) w/special permission only
  - HIST 29/30
  - ENGL 221 (for 12-13)
  - COUNS 33 (req. for 12-13)

Summer Academy

- Invite year 2 students this week
- Year 2-3 students sign renewal agreement on day 2

Deadlines and Probation Plan Tools

- Progress reports (EOPS style)
  - Mid-semester or 2 times per semester
- Meet with all faculty during office hours
  - In first 2 weeks
  - Document
- Visits to CORE or use of tutoring
  - CORE writes ½ sheet and sends to TD
- Interaction/use of Student Services
  - Financial Aid
  - Scholarships
  - Career Center
- Additional counseling appointments

Probation

- Issued at end of semester/ beginning of next semester
- Lasts for 1 semester
  - If completed and all reg. req., back in good standing
  - If not completed, dropped – appeal?
- Probation Plan
  - If minor, letter with make-up/corrective requirements (i.e. missed trip, missed 1 counseling appointment)
  - If major
    - Meet with Scary Dave
    - Meet with Frances to develop plan
    - Dave approves (possible additional meeting)
    - Checklist style with narrative
Make the Transfer Center the “Home of the Transfer Academy”

- 1 time per month, TA parties in TC with food – need to fund raise
- “Welcome to the Transfer Center, Home of the Transfer Academy”

Possible Spring Classes

- PSYCH 11, Frances, Spring ‘13
- ECON 5
- HIST 29/30
- POLSC 10
- ASTRO 10, Dave, Fall ‘13