



LIT Partnership

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Members present: K. Shelton, H. Lozano, A. Durr, Azlyn Brackin, A. Burrell, S.Schwartz, L. Trabing

Items of Discussion:

New Business:

Homero Lozano has been named the official Director of Dual Credit. Azlyn Brackin is a new member of their team. LIT has over 2000 Dual credit students this year. Our MOU is up for renewal. Homero will send a sample in the future.

Recap of 2022-2023 school year:

Twenty ECHS students and 1 non ECHS student graduated with their Associate of Arts degree.

Goals for 2023-2024 school year:

We are all striving to help our students succeed. Everyone benefits with college hours but completion of degrees is the primary goal.

Starfish Access:

We have a new ECHS student liaison, Kaitlyn Langston, who will need access to Starfish in order to keep track of student grades. Blackboard Ultra communicates better with Starfish for grades but for official grades, we still need to rely on the grades that we receive from Homero.

Degree audits for Juniors and Seniors:

We would like audits for all of our juniors and seniors in the form of unofficial transcripts.

Professional Development:

Professional development for our instructors is online. Our instructors need to check emails from LIT for information concerning these trainings. LIT will coordinate training with Mr. McKeehan and Mr. McAnally. Dr. Spencer has assigned mentors to our LIT personnel and will coordinate observations. They would also like to send the online instructors to our campus one day soon so the kids can put a face to the instructors that they communicate with online.

LIT housekeeping:

We would like information concerning the appeals process especially concerning standards for approval or denial. Homero will check the policy and let us know specifics. We are all going to streamline add/drop deadlines so that students will not miss too many days of classes here or at LIT. Developmental classes will be finished by mid June and if kids want to take DC classes, they must complete all application requirements in a timely manner to be determined as we get closer to the beginning of the next school year.

College Prep English and Math Spring 2024:

We no longer have Stripes. We will identify kids that have not passed the TSI and start them in developmental classes early May, as soon as Spring LIT classes end and complete them mid June. This will allow us to be more efficient with scheduling and get kids into classes the first week of school rather than the second or third. Therefore, we will need to know which programs will be used and have codes for them at the end of April.

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Government 2305/2306:

We can build our master schedule to have these classes face to face next year. We may be able to arrange things to have 2306 meet in person in the spring.

Economics 2301:

We definitely don't want the instructor that we had last spring.

House Bill 8:

Homero would like a list of all of our eligible students, ECHS, Dual Credit and welders and their status from the past 4 years. No one is really sure how this is going to work because the state didn't provide many guidelines. We know that it will benefit eco dis students and that we could possibly tie the information to their TSDS ID.

Future Dates:

Silsbee Showcase: Tentatively February 2024

ECHS Banquet: Wednesday, May 8, 2024

LIT Graduation: Thursday, May 9, 2024 in the evening.