



Operational Working Agenda

April 19, 2016

Time 11:30-1:00

I. College Preparatory Operational Items to Discuss:

A. Update on Online Math Course Pilot and Next Steps

- Joseph Kulhanek, UTSA:
 - Need access to student information to ensure that students transition to Alamo Colleges and UTSA.
 - Update on Region 1 partnership for online CPMath course
 - Southwest HS and New Braunfels HS are involved in the pilot currently.
 - Goal is to have more students come on board.
 - Video of the course conversation at both campuses
 - Media Release
 - No cost to districts to use the online course materials.
 - POC is Sean Beatty, UTSA
 - Concerns from Pilot:
 - Kids are blocked from district firewall NBISD but not SWISD (speed is slow).
 - Teacher can choose activities, kids can't see what has been activated.
 - Brandi Simpson shared that the Math VAT reviewed the online course learning objectives with the syllabus and the team found very little difference between the two.
 - Considerations: equitable access for teachers, equitable access for students, resources available to every teacher
 - Update on Online CP English:
 - UTRGV - Collin - working on a model - portfolio approach to CP ELAR
 - Scholarly works - create project- presentation for students
 - POC: Greg Hazelton, UTSA
 - Visit to UTRGV to visit in May, 2016.
 - Who is interested? Opportunity for writing with Health Occupations - SWISD
- **Next Steps:**
 - Any ISD partner can use this online course - POC: Joseph Kulhanek
 - Training Model from May - August, 2016 - teachers TOT model this summer
 - Student testimonials



- Teacher testimonials
- Technology Troubleshooting - including an ISD Tech rep to be there with teachers
- Director, Instructor and Technology Triad to join training.
- Partnership Question:
 - Online vs. non-online? Required? Blended?
 - 6-8 week online course at UTSA with Writing and Health Occupations
 - MOU - where are we on the progress of MOU execution?

B. Partnership updates for 2016-2017 – CCR Cooperative - See below.

College Preparatory Partnership Cooperative:

ESC-20 WILL:

College and Career Readiness, College Preparatory Course Partnership:

- *Providing 4 meetings for the College Preparatory Operational, English and Math teams*
- *Providing 2 guaranteed participant slots College Preparatory Trainings of Trainers (4 offerings)*
- *Providing unlimited participant slots at the College and Career Readiness Forum*

THE LOCAL EDUCATION AGENCY (LEA) WILL:

- Provide administrative support to the vertical alignment team members for participation in meetings and training for the partnership.
- Assign an LEA Liaison to correspond on behalf of the campus leadership team.
- Arrange opportunities for vertical alignment team members to participate in meetings and trainings.

PRICING STRUCTURE:

College and Career Readiness Coop, College Preparatory Course Partnership: \$250

- *4 meetings for the College Preparatory Operational, English and Math teams*
- *2 guaranteed participant slots for College Preparatory Trainings of Trainers (4 offerings)*
 - *Academic Vertical Alignment Training and Renewal Overview for onboarding*
 - *Evaluation of the CP ELAR, CP Math - data dashboard*
- *Providing unlimited participant slots at the College and Career Readiness Forum*



II. Updates from ELAR and Math Committees

A. Math VAT - Brandi Simpson

1. Discuss opportunities with the UTRGV platform, textbook, webWork
2. Re-align syllabus to better meet student/teacher needs
3. Next steps for assessment/topics for next meeting

B. ELAR VAT - Shannon Abercrombie

1. Refine and further develop course resources for teachers - Rubrics/YAG
2. Build a bank of writing samples for teachers
3. College Prep 101/Beyond Nuts and Bolts

III. Questions for the group consideration

- A. What is the timeline for implementation with the partnership?

NOTES FROM OPERATIONAL 4/19/16:

ACTION ITEMS:

- ESC-20 - Opportunity to visit sites with pilot for CP English- Shannon Abercrombie and Ravae Shaeffer will coordinate faculty.
- ESC-20 - Coordinate a Triad Training this summer - with a student voice component
- Training Toolkit - package for teachers - for each ISD - optimal teacher profile for this course (consider delivery options). Consider proposing to RAC, BCCIO.

Survey - Your input is essential:

<http://goo.gl/forms/6r9YXzoQFT>

