

Academic Vertical Alignment Training And Renewal

AVATAR (Academic Vertical Alignment Training And Renewal) Expression of Interest

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Education Service Center, Region 20 is interested in participating in the the state-wide scale-up of AVATAR: Academic Vertical Alignment Training And Renewal. The goals for the AVATAR grant are:

1) to design scalable secondary and postsecondary training processes for vertical and horizontal curriculum alignment that support successful transition and completion for students preparing for postsecondary and careers and

2) to facilitate state-wide secondary and postsecondary faculty, administrators, and P-16 council leaders work groups to conduct horizontal and vertical curriculum alignment among high school courses, higher education lower division course sections and between lower division course sequences in 2- and 4 year higher education settings.

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Disciplines for Curriculum Alignment will be: (check all that apply)

X Mathematics X English Language Arts X Chemistry

Partners (name) will be:

School District (s): San Antonio Independent School District

Two-Year Institution (s) of Higher Education: Alamo Colleges

Four-Year Institution(s) of Higher Education: University of Texas at San Antonio

Regional P-16 Council (s): P-16 Plus Council of Greater Bexar County