10/21/24: Counseling Meeting Minutes

Attendees: Perez, Allen, Moy, Scurry, Castro, Ross, Towle, Castaneda and Alturk

Counseling Updates/Accreditation

District-wide Fall Clean Up event is underway and Merritt's day is scheduled for Friday, November 1st

Bin or banker box is being requested by counselors- co chairs will email Angela

Merritt is up 7% in FTES units for enrollment- rest of the District remained flat

SAS Students Course Subs for GE

Course subs can be asked for Math GE only by SAS students

Students have to show they attempted to pass the Math class. Needs a letter from the instructor detailing what they attempted. Need to show they have met with a student. Show they have had to take exams. A Learning Disability specialist needs to write a letter of support. All documentation goes to the Math Chair to show the substitution will be approved. 80% of the course has to be completed. This is supported by the SAS Counselor only.

Grade would have to be D, F, W

This counts for local GE only. For transfer, it could be a possibility, but SAS Counselor would discuss with CSU.

Examples- English 1A, 5, COMM 45

https://peralta4-my.sharepoint.com/:w:/g/personal/fmoy_peralta_edu/ES8mCIVGqKIGnZ6g5krlna0B42xBWmgC5j6ZOFQr6Y3BJg?e=S09HL8

IGETC - Sandi vs Charlotte

Reminder- for degree petitions using IGETC for CSU, counselors do not have to provide documentation for LOTE. When students request that Charlotte completes an IGETC certification, the LOTE (if not done by a class) needs to be on file. However, the earlier the better, so please encourage students to submit it when you first meet with them.

Classroom Observations in progress

College Night/ Noche de Colegio (OUSD & Charter Schools) - Jorge said these events are canceled

Student Services Enrollment Planning Dates:

OUSD Virtual Parent Info Session Spanish/English:

Virtual- Thursday December 12, 2024 6:00-8:00PM

Sara Alturk

Marty Zielke- Spanish Speaking Counselor

Frances Moy

Lorenzo Ubungen

Omar Sanchez-Spanish Speaking Counselor

Virtual Application Events Spanish/English (Public)

Virtual: Nov: Tuesday November 26, 2024 12:00-2:00PM

Lesley Scurry

Derrick Ross

Veronica Castro- Spanish Speaking Counselor Rosa Perez - Spanish Speaking Counselor

Virtual: Dec: Wednesday December 04, 2024 12:00-2:00PM

Emil Margolis

Marty Zielke- Spanish Speaking Counselor Edwin Towle- Spanish Speaking Counselor

Rose Allen

Program and Committee Updates

Articulation/Committee

N/A

Career/Committee

Handshake should be live and launched by November- SA finishing up training

SA went over updates of working on interdisciplinary degrees

Centro Latino/Committee

N/A

EOPS/Committee

N/A

FYE/Committee

N/A

Puente/Committee

N/A

Matric/Committee

N/A

SAS/Committee

SAS event was a huge success. Many instructors brought their classes.

Transfer/Committee

N/A

Umoja/Committee

N/A

Veterans/Committee

N/A

HSI/Committee

N/A