DO'S, DON'TS, AND UNFOUNDED FEARS: MOVING FROM THE PILOT TO FULL IMPLEMENTATION

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CO-REQUISITE PAIRING

VSCC 1000: College Success and READ 0810: Skills for College Reading

• VSCC 1000 is now a requirement for University Studies majors.



Reading Plus



SPRING 2015 PILOT RESULTS

VSCC 1000

- Success (C or higher): 56.3%
- Retention (D or higher):
 62.3%
 Data for 151

students.

Success (C or higher):
 66%

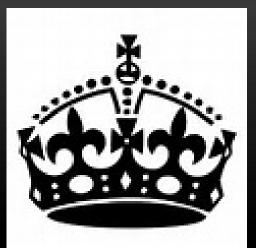
Data for 94 students

READ 0810

There were 6 co-req pairs on two campuses and a total of 6 instructors.

What I learned from the spring pilot and from preparing for fall 2015:

Redesigning the redesign can lead you to become like this:



KEEP CALM AND RE-DESIGN ON

AND ON

THE MODEL

<u>VSCC 1000</u>

- 28 students, 18 of whom are also in READ 0810
- 2 "sections" per VSCC 1000 class
 - VSCC 1000 002 (10)
 - VSCC 1000 X02 (18)

READ 0810

- 18 students per class
- same books
- online programs
- early exit

°Collaboration between instructors°

FALL 2015: THE NUMBERS

- Thirty (30!) co-req pairs on two campuses and a total of 30 instructors.
- Seventeen are new faculty.
- Nine had never taught college before this semester.

- Hire early
 - Get instructors processed through HR with enough time for them to learn
 - your LMS
 - college website
 - the online materials

- Train early
 - The more people who attend an intensive training (half-day), the fewer challenges during the semester
 - Create master online course; create online faculty forum
- Create a manual
 - Faculty binder

- Have FT faculty available
 - Hands-on help
 - Observation and evaluation of new instructors
- Become close friends with your publisher's rep/tech person

- Schedule optional faculty meetings during the semester; offer free food
- Keep detailed notes
 - New items to include in binder
 - Common questions and problems

DON'T

Hire late

UNFOUNDED FEARS

- Faculty buy in
- Room allocation
- Staffing
 - VSCC adjunct pay: \$500 650/credit hour
 - Qualifications
 - READ 0810
 - VSCC 1000

COMING NOT SO SOON TASSR 2016: THE RESULTS OF ONE WHOLE SEMESTER!

- MORE DATA
- LESSONS LEARNED
 - REPORTS WRITTEN
 - CHANGES MADE
- NUMBER OF TEARS SHED
- NUMBER OF POUNDS GAINED
- NUMBER CHOCOLATE BARS EATEN