

*The department improved Core College Connections reading and writing curriculum to meet the needs of under-prepared students who tested below 56 on the college placement tests*

40 students enrolled in the class fall term 2007, and 32 completed. Student retook the college placement test and the average point gain on the Accuplacer Reading test was 21 points.

### **Strategic Direction**

- Create a diverse and inclusive learning college: develop institutional capacity to respond effectively and respectfully to students, staff, and community members of all cultures, languages, classes, races, genders, ethnic backgrounds, religions, sexual orientations, and abilities.
- Commit to a culture of assessment of programs, services and learning.
- Foster the personal, professional, and intellectual growth of learners by providing exemplary and innovative teaching and learning experiences and student support services.

### **Learning Plan Goals**

- Curriculum enhancement.
- Enhance student success and retention
- Increase support for innovation in instruction.

### **Student Affairs Plan Goals**

- Ensure success-oriented systems and experiences.
- Commit to a culture of routinely assessing programs, services, and learning to encourage continuous quality improvement.
- Assess the student experience from pre-enrollment through goal completion.

### **College Council Priorities**

- 1.e. Enrollment Management: Increase Credit Enrollment Level
- 1.b. Enrollment Management: Recruitment and Retention