# **Coop Ed 2010-11**

# **Increase Number of College Now Articulated Courses**

### **Summary:**

Initiative #8

Increase number of College Now course articulations while assuring quality and integrity of alignment resulting in additional College Now FTE.

## **Description**

Provide funds for Lane faculty Department Liaisons to meet and align high school and college courses in cooperation with high school teachers. (Part-time faculty pay for College Now work.)

Implement new standards required by JBAC program including development of a manual and student handbook.

### **Questions and Answers**

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Lane has a long history of developing College Now articulated courses. Within the last several years the number of articulated courses has greatly increased. As the number of College Now courses increase Lane benefits through increased FTE and students benefit because they are able to earn college credit while in high school which gives them a head start on their college degrees.

#### Describe the resources needed:

Ancillary Funds of approximately \$7,500.

What specific measurable program outcomes do you expect to achieve with this initiative? The outcomes should be specific enough to be measurable. Also, outline the method that will be used to determine the results.

The benefit to the college of this initiative is the continuation of College Now meeting state standards. The new JBAC standards increased the expectation of more interface between community college faculty and high school teachers. This interface will take faculty time. Potentially it will include site visits, joint training, setting up joint courses and other collaborative activities. This investment maintains the quality and integrity of the articulated courses.

Over the last five years College Now has increased the number of articulated courses by 65 percent 309 to 507. The related FTE increase was 378 to 860.

#### **Department Priority:**

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#### **Unit Resources:**

There are no unit resources for this initiative.

**Funding Request: Carl Perkins** 

**Funding Request: Curriculum Development** 

**Funding Request: Technology Fee**