TRiO Student Services

Vision/Narrative

TRIO Student Support Services is a federally funded student support services program designed to empower first-generation, low-income, and disabled Gavilan College students as they obtain a two-year degree and/or transfer to a four-year university. TRIO Student Support Services is funded by a grant that is provided from the Department of Education. Gavilan College TRIO has continually made progress on meeting its intended grant outcomes. It is our objective to continually meet the grant outcomes as they relate to student success. For example,

- TRIO has exceeded the persistence rate goal for the 15-16 reporting year. The goal is 80 % and TRIO's outcome was 87%. (16-17 report is in progress)
- The Good Academic Standing rate goal requires that 65% of the students remain in good academic standing. The Gavilan TRIO outcome was 89%, which exceeded the goal by 24%. (16-17 report is in progress)
- The goal to graduate students with Associate Degrees/ Certificates is 55% for the TRIO Grant. For the 15-16 reporting year, the graduation rate dipped to 27%, where the previous year it was 41%. However, for the 16-17 academic year the graduation rate is projected to rise to 50% Summer Bridge

TRIO's Summer Bridge is a 5-week experience that helps transition graduating high school students to Gavilan College. Special attention is focused on enhancing math skills, higher education life skills and student development. The summer bridge program has evolved over the last few years into a Math acceleration summer bridge to help close the gap of the time students spend to reach graduation. The following data provides insights into the Summer Bridge Program's Outcomes.

2017 Cohort

- 58% of the Basic Skill level math students increased their scores and moved up 1-4 math courses
- 100% of the students were the first generation in their families to attend college
- The Ethnic breakdown was as follows. 90% Latino, 5% African American, and 5% Asian
- 41% of the students did not have a computer in their residence

2014 Summer Bridge Cohort (longitudinal)

- 78% persistence rate
- 68% are slated to graduate and/or transfer within this academic year (within 4 academic years)

Feedback from Supervisor / Dean

The TRIO team regularly evaluates outcomes and continuously reviews improvements leading to increased student outcomes. This is demonstrated in changing the Bridge courses and evaluating student satisfaction and success. The work to meet or exceed grant related goals as stated above.

Program Objective #2562 TRiO Student Services

Program Objective 1: Evaluate and refine the implementation of TRIO's Summer Bridge Program In lieu of Guided Pathways and the change to Basic Skills

Strategy and Goal(s):

Strategy #2: Increase student completion and meet institutional goals, improve student services and enhance curriculum and programs.

Goal #1: Increase student, institutional and programmatic outcomes as defined by Institutional Effectiveness, Equity, and other college benchmarks.

Strategy #1: Optimize enrollment, course offerings, and services to reflect the findings of the 2017 Educational Master Plan (EMP).

Goal #1: Create an institutional approach to offer and integrate student outreach activities, recruitment, assessment, orientation, counseling, retention and follow-up efforts, with particular attention to educationally under-represented student populations as reflected in the demographic information of the EMP.

IEC Program Review:

No: Grant Requirement and good

Progress:

No- None -

Activity 1: Evaluate the effectiveness of the recent change of Bridge from a Math Acceleration to Communication Course to determine which type of bridge program will be offered

Personnel Request - *none* Non-Personnel Request - *none*

Activity 2: Extend the Bridge Program to include additional days/time for bridge orientation and preparation activity

Personnel Request - *none* Non-Personnel Request - *none*

Activity 3: Create mechanisms to determine early in program entry the learning needs that require support from the Accessibility Resource Center. Provide appropriate accommodations to ensure the students are successful in the course.

Personnel Request - *none* Non-Personnel Request - *none* Activity 4: Infuse guided pathway into Summer Bridge such as continuing to provide the Communication Certificate as a guided pathway and milestone for TRIO Students.

Personnel Request - *none* Non-Personnel Request - *none*

Rankings:

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Dean		
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Budget Committee		
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Program Objective #2563 TRiO Student Services

Program Objective 2: Enhance Programing that targets populations experiencing inequitable outcomes at Gavilan College

Strategy and Goal(s):

Strategy #2: Increase student completion and meet institutional goals, improve student services and enhance curriculum and programs.

Goal #1: Increase student, institutional and programmatic outcomes as defined by Institutional Effectiveness, Equity, and other college benchmarks.

IEC Program Review:

No: Grant and Student Equity Plan

Progress:

No- None -

Activity 1: Develop programing/ activities to support men of color on campus.

Personnel Request - *none* Non-Personnel Request - *none*

Activity 2: Serve additional TRIO Students beyond the grant's minimum requirement

Personnel Request - *none* Non-Personnel Request - *none*

Activity 3: Develop additional programing determined by the new Equity Plan analysis in Spring 2019

Personnel Request - *none* Non-Personnel Request - *none*

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Program Objective #2564 TRiO Student Services

Program Objective 3: Provide academic support targeting courses with low rates of TRIO Success

Strategy and Goal(s):

Strategy #2: Increase student completion and meet institutional goals, improve student services and enhance curriculum and programs.

Goal #4: Evaluate gaps in student outcomes and identify and implement programs and services to increase student achievement.

IEC Program Review:

Yes, this Objective is based from the last IEC Program Review.

Progress:

No- None -

Activity 1: Analyze TRIO course success rates to determine targeted areas of support

Personnel Request - *none* Non-Personnel Request - *none*

Activity 2: Provide Tutoring assistants for targeted courses

Personnel Request - *none* Non-Personnel Request - *none*

Activity 3: Provide new or additional Academic Excellence Workshops (SI) for target courses

Personnel Request - *none* Non-Personnel Request - *none*

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