

September 16, 2016
DVR Student Services Committee Meeting Minutes:

Attendees: *Mike Reingruber, Linda Alvarez, Marijana Uremovic, Sarah VenHorst, Rolando Martinez, Alison Till, Gretchen Selzer, Stephanie Nix, Jameta Rodgers, and Carla Williams*

Upcoming Meeting Dates for 2016-17

October 14, 2016
November 18, 2016
December 16, 2016
January 20, 2017
February 24, 2017
March 10, 2017
April 28, 2017

2016-17 Goals:

1. Continue increasing communication between high schools and Triton College with a focus on Dual Credit.
2. Continue receiving career related professional development through roundtable discussions from industry professionals and using that information to help guide our students.
3. Continue to use and promote Programs of Study with our students.
4. Further develop a relationship with the Explorers program to help maximize our student's exposure to local career posts and giving them career related opportunities.

New Members

We have 3 new members this year: Jameta Rodgers (Triton), Gretchen Selzer (Ridgewood), and Stephanie Nix (PMSA).

Meeting Dates:

We spent time discussing and setting the upcoming meeting dates for this coming school year. They are listed above.

Roundtables:

The committee was made aware of the November 18th Engineering roundtable, as well as the January 20th Medical roundtable. Other roundtable dates will be December 16, February 24, and March 10th with topics/speakers that Anne organizes.

Career Programming Evaluation Tool:

The committee still had questions on what needs to be on this tool. We can easily put together a survey on Naviance or create a google form. We need questions answered like: what grade level(s)?, How many questions?, what time of the year? Any certain questions you want answered? We can then start to put this survey together at our next meeting in October.

Dual Credit Updates:

There will be a mandatory orientation for those taking dual credit courses this spring, in November. This orientation will take place for off and on campus students and will involve students and parents. Aiming for November 29th. Will send a timeline via email. All students registering for dual credit need a test score to get their registration complete.

Triton Updates:

There will be a campus visit day in October. Rolando will email the committee that date. Triton has a new Bio-Technology program. It is a 2 year associates degree. The Compass test will be done in November—the test replacing it is called Accuplacer (sp?). People are happy about this and say the study guides are better suited for the students.