

DCCCD Retention Best Practice Submission Form

Across the district there are many successful practices that contribute to the retention of students. As the district begins to develop a greater emphasis on its retention strategy, all locations are asked to identify and submit information about successful retention programs and activities. Please complete the following information on selected practices.

College/Location: Brookhaven College

The Retention Best Practice is primarily supported by what college/location area:

Instruction Student Services _____ Administrative _____

Combination of areas: (Please list)

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Retention Best Practice Title: "The Teaching and Learning Initiative"

Retention Best Practice Area of Focus:

Math _____ STEM _____ Honors College _____ Other _____

Retention Best Practice Executive Summary: approximately 50 words (Please use additional pages for a detailed description)

The "Teaching and Learning Initiative becomes a "Retention Best Practice " example through the simple premise that students value the best instruction an institution has to offer.

When faculty is afforded the opportunity to self evaluate and develop the best instruction they possibly can provide students, instructors, and the institution all succeed.

Successful students complete classes and return to further there educations

Please describe the evaluation measures utilized to support this initiative as a best practice.

The evaluation created within "The Teaching and Learning Initiative Project", would be as varied as the instructors initiatives.

In fact an instructor might select as their Initiative a more effective way to evaluate a students work.

Please submit this form to Dr. Sharon L. Blackman, DCCCD Educational Affairs by October 24, 2008