

2008-2009 Planning Cycle: Annual Unit Objectives

Madisonville Community College

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Division, Academic Program, or Unit: Humanities Division

Unit Objectives (in Priority Order)	Link to MCC Goals	Resources Needed to Accomplish Objectives	Action Steps (Briefly list steps you will complete to accomplish objectives)	Assessment Measure (Link to PI)
1. Improve critical thinking skills of students across the curriculum using active learning strategies	1.2	Reassignment	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Implement classroom research project in COM 181 2. Develop & implement CT learning activities in ENG 102 3. Identify learning activities and assessments that address CT Gen Ed Competency 4. Expand continuous improvement project to include COM 181, ENG 102, and ENC 091. 	CAT scores CCTST scores Course Completion Reports CCSSE CT folders on file
2. Continue faculty participation in professional development opportunities (e.g. presenting at conferences, participating in local PD)	1.1	Travel funds	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Submit COM 181 proposal to regional or national conference 2. Submit ENG 102 proposal to regional or national conference 3. Faculty attend at least one local critical thinking or active learning PD opportunity 	PD logs PPE Self Assessment
3. Strengthen developmental reading and writing courses	1.1 1.3	Time (% of effort on PPE)	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Identify core developmental writing & reading competencies for assessment 2. Develop capstone assessment assignment & rubric 3. Link assessment to CT competency 4. Develop capstone assessment process 5. Offer learning communities, online reading, and bi-term courses 	Locally developed assessment process Course Completion Reports CCSSE
4. Strengthen transitions from high school to college, from developmental to credit-bearing courses, and from MCC to four-year colleges by improving academic advising.	1.1	Time (% of effort on PPE)	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Recruit additional Division members to serve as FSE advisors. 2. Advisors will attend PD related to advising and will provide transfer information to advisees 	PPE self assessment Advising evaluations