

Education is the key to success . . .



is here to help!

In August 2003, Jefferson County Public Schools Adult and Continuing Education (JCPSACE) and Jefferson Community Technical College (JCTC) entered into a formal partnership to serve entering students in need of basic skills. The result is the nationally-recognized Educational Enrichment Services (EES) program.

The success of the program is attributed to tailored transition curriculum, taught by adult education instructors, as well as utilizing a common data system, maintaining monthly communication meetings, and continually evaluating and adapting the program as needs change. Because EES classes are tax-payer funded, students benefit from approximately \$247,842 in annual tuition savings (collectively for the 562 EES students served in 2015).

Kentucky Education Reform Efforts

- 1997 Reform of Post-secondary education
- 2000 Restructuring of Adult Education - called for a seamless, integrated system for educational delivery

Memorandum of Understanding

- Outlines how referrals are made to EES based on COMPASS entry-level scores
 - Reading 49-69 (5.5-8.9)
 - English 14-25 (5.6-8.0)
 - Math 17-27 (4.6-7.2)
- Details roles and responsibilities for each partner
- Illustrates information and data sharing agreements

The students in the EES program persist at rates that exceed the average community college student.

In 2014,

- 89% of EES students with 12 or more hours completed the course.
- 55% of EES students were eligible to move to next course or higher.
- 15% of EES students skipped one or more developmental courses, saving a semester for each level skipped



EES classes follow the college schedule in both time and structure to provide a seamless transition into postsecondary coursework.

- Most students are enrolled in EES and JCTC classes simultaneously.
- Classes are held on the college campus.
- Classes maintain a syllabus.
- Instructors are paid by Kentucky Adult Education and facilities are provided by the college.

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