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Teamwork

DIFFERENT INSTITUTIONS: INTERSECTING PUBLIC POLICY MISSIONS

OBAMA COMPLETION CHALLENGE

- More college students earn credentials/complete, particularly underrepresented
- Culture of going to College
- Student achievement data to reinforce student success rates

OBAMA'S BLUEPRINT FOR NCLB REAUTHORIZATION (PUBLIC SCHOOLS)

- College and careerreadiness
- Diverse learners
- Science, technology, engineering and math
- Accountability

High School Partners

- District 211
- District 214
- District 220 Cynthia Jaskowiak
 - Assistant Superintendent of Educational Programs and Assessment Barrington 220



A groundbreaking school alliance

It is an idea that makes so much sense that it doesn't seem possible that it could be groundbreaking.

The wonder is that it is news at all.

The wonder is that it hasn't been done before.

Harper College in Palatine and the three school districts containing the public high schools that

Our View

Harper College and its feeder public school districts want to work together, and the results could be far-reaching. Harper College, under the vision of Presiden Kenneth Ender, has been espousing an inter connected approach to education for the bette part of a year. With this partnership, it indeed i putting its money where its mouth is. The col lege will seed the partnership with \$250,000 t

'Together we can be great'

Harper, high schools may team up to prepare college-bound students

Data-Based Student Success

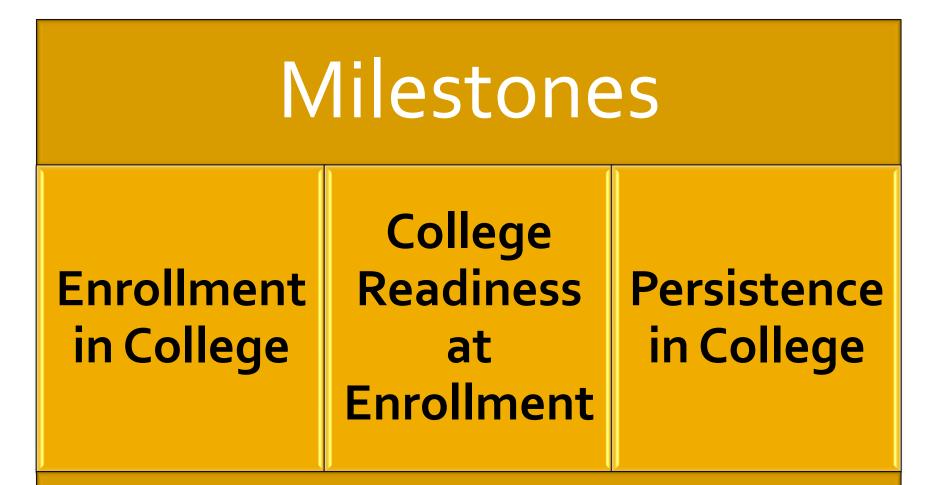


CCRC's mission is to conduct research on the major issues affecting community colleges in the United States and to contribute to the development of practice and policy that expands access to higher education and promotes success for all students.

Community College and High School Partnership Issues Brief

Focus on partnerships between community colleges and high schools that may make it more likely for students to complete college





Enrollment in college

 Increase the likelihood that students will view college matriculation as an option

Enrollment in College

- Inspire
- Upward Bound
- Co-attendance at AtD conference

College readiness at enrollment

- Work together to increase the number of students who are college-ready upon college enrollment
- Reduce developmental course sequences because of association with lower rates of degree completion

College Readiness at Enrollment

- Alliance for College Readiness
- COMPASS Testing
- Math Curriculum Project
- Choice Scholars/REACH Programs

Persistence in college

- Students often enter college only to leave before completing a degree, frequently during the first year.
- Their success can depend on the extent to which they make a smooth transition from high school to college.

Persistence in College

- Accelerated Pipeline
- Early Alert
- Student Engagement

- We are hitting the success milestones to help out students:
- Understand college is for them
- Be college ready
- Complete college

Barrington High School Harper College









Teamwork . . . Together

