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College Readiness Committee

October 8th, 2014, 2:15-3:30pm

2. **Discussion Items:**

- a. COMPASS Prep Workshops update
- b. Health Care Bridge Update, Office/Accounting Bridge
- c. Learning Center/Page One Update
- d. College Bridge Scholarship and English 101 Success
- e. Transitions Events Planning

3. **Items of Interest to the Student Cabinet and/ or SAC:**

a. Compass prep workshop used to be on a drop-in basis and the information about it was also available in the school website. However, there is a problem with funding which might cause the program in 3 different. Lately, after several meetings, the committee decided to bring back the compass preparation class, especially for preparing the ESL student to enter college level. Math tutoring center also plans to give an online tutoring. Compass preparation also will be included in the GED program, by paying 25 dollar. In addition, next quarter, The GED class will separate compass prep class, reading and writing skill. This is important announcement as we could help this committee to promote to the students and engage participation in the Compass prep workshop.

b. Now, the health care class is opening for ESL student level 4a - 6b and ABE. There are many students who are interest in this program, especially nursing. There are 75 applications and only 20 spots for students. Hence, they have a limited space for this class. I think the Student Leadership could reach out this committee, and maybe we could help them to provide space.

c. Mostly, there are no any major problem with the new tutoring center. However, they need more staff in the tutoring center. In addition, they also have a naming problem between in English Learning Center and The Loft; this sometimes leads to confusion for the students. Hence, the committee hopes that the name could just change to "Student Learning Centre".

d. There is an application open for students to apply for the Eng&101 class. To be eligible for this program, students have to have taken Eng 97 - 98 and ESL class from level 5 to 6. I think SAC can really help to promote this event because there will be a lot of students is interested with this scholarship program, especially with those who has finical difficulties.

e. Transition events planning to offer 2 different transition classes. They have 101 success and IEP. This event will prepare the IEP student to go college level. Hence, the committee are planning to make class advising for ESL Level 6. There is also a concern about the ESL class diversity.