



ILLINOIS EDUCATION AND CAREER
SUCCESS NETWORK

Success Network Policy Committee

Q2 Meeting

June 6, 2023

Today's Topics

- Welcome
- Introductions
- Leadership Community Spotlight
- Success Network Dashboard
- Legislative & Budget Highlights
- Transportation Workgroup
- Wrap-Up & Announcements



Welcome & Introductions

Please share your name and organization in the chat, and:

If you could have access to a data dashboard about anything, what would it be?

Who We Are



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Leadership Community Spotlight

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Partnerships That Work!

VOTEC – Area Vocational Center

- Until 2005, all high schools in Vermilion County were members of the AVC
- In 2005, it became financially unsustainable to continue its operation
- Superintendents approached Danville Area Community College for support
- College Express was born



College Express

- Dual Credit CTE at DACC
- Junior and Seniors
- Taught by DACC instructors
- Not adapted coursework...true college coursework
- 18 programs, 73 courses, serve over 400 students
- Funded by tuition paid from the school district (grant funds not used)
- Discounted (1/2) tuition rate provided by DACC
- Aligned with local job projections (another great partner in Vermilion Advantage)



- Education Conference
- Career Camp
- Skills USA
- Career Fair
- Health Professions Day



College Express

Accelerate Your Career while in high school with VVEDS and Danville Area Community College's COLLEGE EXPRESS DUAL ENROLLMENT Career & Technical Programs.

Learn job skills required by local and national employers AND earn high school and college credit for the courses completed at no expense to parents or students.

Programs & Courses Offered Daily 12:30-2:00 p.m.

AGRICULTURE

- ◆ Agriculture Technology
- ◆ Agriculture Economics
- ◆ Agriculture/Animal Science
- ◆ Agriculture Management

AUTO TECHNOLOGY

- ◆ Intro to Engine Technology
- ◆ Engine Overhaul
- ◆ Fuel Systems & Emission Controls
- ◆ Steering & Suspension Systems
- ◆ Braking Systems

BUSINESS ADMINISTRATIVE TECHNOLOGY

- ◆ Business Etiquette & Ethics
- ◆ Principles of Management
- ◆ Virtual Technology for Business
- ◆ Business Communication Strategies

COMPUTER NETWORKING

- ◆ A+ Certification Preparation
- ◆ A+ Linux Operating Systems
- ◆ Client Operating Systems
- ◆ Server Operating Systems

COMPUTER PROGRAMMING

- ◆ Concepts in Programming C++
- ◆ Advanced C++ Programming
- ◆ Intro to Python
- ◆ Advanced Python

CRIMINAL JUSTICE*

- ◆ Intro to Criminal Justice
- ◆ Criminology
- ◆ Patrol Techniques
- ◆ Intro to Corrections

CO-OP

- ◆ Career Readiness Fundamentals
- ◆ Advanced Career Preparation
- ◆ Career Readiness Internship
- ◆ Intermediate Career Preparation
- ◆ Professional Development

CONSTRUCTION

- ◆ Intro to Green Building Skills
- ◆ Green Building Skills II
- ◆ Advanced Green Building Skills
- ◆ Basic Residential Wiring

CULINARY ARTS

- ◆ Bakeshop I
- ◆ Bakeshop II
- ◆ Culinary Essentials
- ◆ Cooking Methods & Principles

COMPUTER TECHNICAL GRAPHICS

- ◆ CAD/CAM
- ◆ Intro to AutoCAD
- ◆ Engineering Graphics
- ◆ Applied AutoCAD

EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION*

- ◆ Guiding Children
- ◆ Creative Learning Experiences
- ◆ Children's Literature
- ◆ Math/Science for Children

GRAPHIC DESIGN

- ◆ Graphic Design Fundamentals for Print & Web
- ◆ Graphic Editing & Illustration
- ◆ Digital Pub. Design for Business
- ◆ Digital & Print Media Layout Bus.
- ◆ Illustrator

HVAC

- ◆ Electricity for HVAC
- ◆ Principles of Air Conditioning
- ◆ Heating Plants
- ◆ Advanced Air Conditioning

For more information
217-443-8742

HEALTH OCCUPATIONS*

- ◆ Orientation to Health Occupations
- ◆ Role of the Nursing Assistant I & II
- ◆ Basic Nursing Procedures

HEALTHCARE PROFESSIONS

- ◆ ICD-10-CM Diagnosis Coding
- ◆ Legal Aspects of HIM & Ethics
- ◆ Patho-Physiology and Pharmacology
- ◆ Healthcare Settings Insurance Procedures

HORTICULTURE

- ◆ Intro to Horticulture Science
- ◆ Intro to Floral Design
- ◆ Greenhouse Culture
- ◆ Landscape Principles

INDUSTRIAL TECHNOLOGY

- ◆ CNC Set up and Operations
- ◆ Technology in Advanced Manufacturing
- ◆ Machining I
- ◆ Industrial Safety

WELDING

- ◆ Structural Welding
- ◆ Pipe Welding
- ◆ Advanced Pipe Welding
- ◆ Cutting & Materials Prep
- ◆ Welding for Manufacturing
- ◆ Blueprint Reading

*Courses in these programs have reading:
writing and/or math prerequisites.

Education for Employment

VVEDS

Illinois Vocational Education Development System



Danville Area
Community College

2/13/2023

DUAL ENROLLMENT

P.M. COURSE OFFERINGS

2 year rotation of courses

A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I
College Express Program Area	DACC Program Name	Sem	DACC Course Name	DACC Course #	Credit	SIS State Course ID #	Building	Instructor
Agriculture Education/Technology	Ag Business	F24	Intro to Animal Science	AGRI 101	4	18101A002	Lincoln Hall	Brandy Marron
Agriculture Education/Technology	Ag Business	S25	Agriculture Management	AGRI 200	3	18201A001	Lincoln Hall	Brandy Marron
Agriculture Education/Technology	Agri-Business Mngmt	S25	Employment Seminar	INFO 245	1	22153A001	Lincoln Hall	Brandy Marron
Agriculture Education/Technology	Ag Business	F23	Agriculture Economics	AGRI 102	3	18202A001	Lincoln Hall	Brandy Marron
Agriculture Education/Technology	Ag Business	S24	Intro to UAS Technology	AGR 110	3	18402A001	Lincoln Hall	Brandy Marron
Automotive Technology	Automotive Technology	F24	Intro to Engine Technology	AUTO 111	3	20106A001	Tech Center	Dean Graves/Alan Wilson
Automotive Technology	Automotive Technology	F24	Engine Overhaul	AUTO 121	3	20109A001	Tech Center	Dean Graves/Alan Wilson
Automotive Technology	Automotive Technology	S25	Fuel Systems & Emission Controls	AUTO 128	5	20104A001	Tech Center	Dean Graves/Alan Wilson
Automotive Technology	Automotive Technology	F23	Steering & Suspension Systems	AUTO 134	3	20104A002	Tech Center	Dean Graves/Alan Wilson
Automotive Technology	Automotive Technology	S24	Braking Systems	AUTO 135	4	20102A001	Tech Center	Dean Graves/Alan Wilson

Procedures/Issues

- Students apply through their School Counselors
- Counselors send WVETS the applications
- WVETS assigns students into their program, notifies counselor
- Students attend M-F on the college calendar
- Grades reported by our office to Counselors quarterly
- Discipline is the job of the EFE director
- Many steps – paper app still
- Again, paper, not always reliable
- Number of students per section dictated by college
- Instructor and curriculum evaluated by college
- Grading often confusing /grades not always available online
- Disciplinary measures are limited, sometimes not all parties agree

All the stars aligned

- This worked for us...might not work for everyone
- College also wanted/needed our students
- High schools used to paying 5x's or more tuition for students
- College is relatively in the center of the county
- County is the boundary for the ROE, Community College, and the EFE

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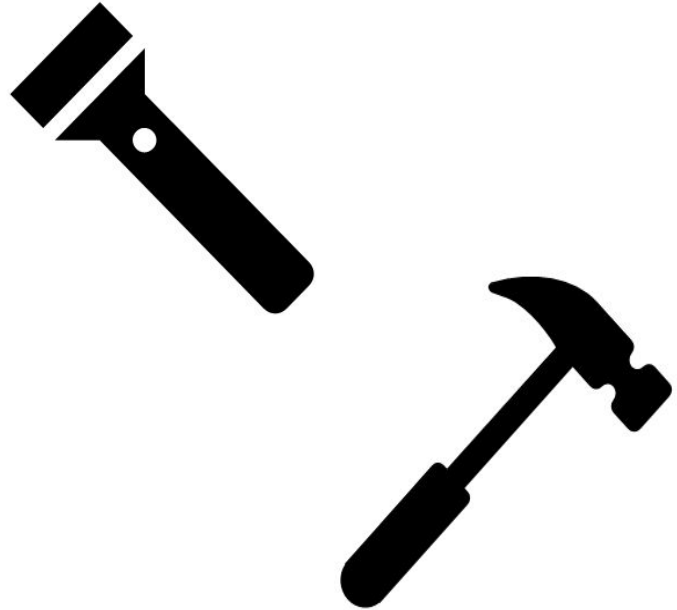


Success Network Dashboard Demo

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Data Analyst

Goals of the Dashboard

- Provide a nimble tool to support communities
- Enable communities to download their data for further use
- Provide trends over time and direct comparison of districts
- Highlight where you're making progress and inform where more work is needed
- Bring together multiple sources of data



Dashboard Overview

<https://ilsuccessnetwork.org/dashboard-postsecondary-enrollment/>

Engage with the Data

Explore the districts in your region. Use the dashboard to search for your local school district or a group of districts in your leadership community and answer the following questions:

- What are the postsecondary enrollment trends over the past five years?
- Are there any significant changes or patterns that catch your attention?
- Repeat this process for remediation rates. You can choose a particular type of remediation or the overall rates.

Dashboard Timeline & Next Steps

Timeline

- Phase 2 → CTE Enrollment & Early College Enrollment (Winter 2023)
- Phase 3 → 9th Grade on Track & Graduation Rates (Spring 2024)

Upcoming Regional Meetings

- June 26, 9:30 a.m. -1:00 p.m at Illinois Central College
[Registration Link](#)
- June 28, 9:00 a.m. -1:00 p.m at Harper College
[Registration Link](#)

Legislative & Budget Highlights

Budget Highlights

- ICCB Dual Credit funding line item: **\$3.15 million!**
- Career & Technical Education **\$4.66 million increase**
- Evidence-Based Funding **\$350 million increase**
- Minority Teachers of Illinois **\$8 million**
- Monetary Award Program (MAP) **\$100 million increase**
- Teacher Shortage Pilot **\$45 million**

HR 62: Teacher Recruitment System

- Urges ISBE to support the state goal of increasing the number and diversity of Illinois' educator workforce by collaborating with the IBHE, ICCB, and ISAC to develop and launch a statewide teacher recruitment system by July 1, 2024.



Scale Computer Science coursework and pathways

HB 1378: Graduate and Retain Our Workforce Act (IGROW Tech Scholarship)

- Establishes the IGROW Tech Scholarship Program for students pursuing tech degrees. Sets forth qualifications for recipients, degrees, and jobs.
- \$2 million

SB 2374: Computer Science Grants

- Competitive grant program to support the development or enhancement of computer science programs in the K-12 schools. This grant would be available to regional offices of education, intermediate service centers, State higher education institutions, schools designated as laboratory schools, and school districts.
- \$3 million

Exploring and addressing key barriers to work-based learning

- [HB 3590](#): School Career Development Liability Insurance
- Description:
 - Originally required that ISBE in collaboration with agencies establish a system of providing liability insurance to cover public high school and community college students participating in career development experiences. Has been amended to convene a Student Career Development Liability Insurance Advisory Committee to issue a report including recommendations for providing liability insurance.

Smooth postsecondary transitions and transfer

HB 3760: Uniform Admissions

- Beginning with the 2024-2025 academic year, each institution shall create a 4-year uniform admission system pilot program to admit community college transfer students.

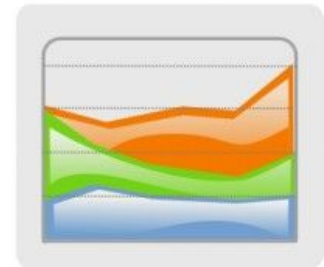
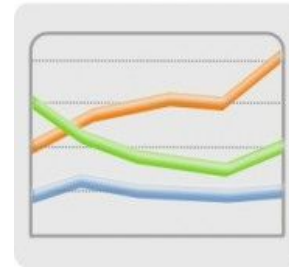
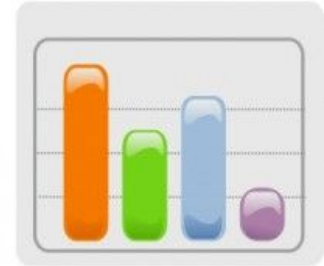
SB 2288: Illinois Articulation Initiative (IAI) Amendment

- Requires that all public institutions' Illinois Articulation Initiative major courses must be transferable as direct course equivalents toward the requirements of the major.
- Calls for elementary and secondary education panel shall be convened by IBHE and ICCB.

Both of these passed unanimously in both houses

Enhancing data reporting to inform statewide equity work

- [SB 2031](#): Aims to include more disaggregated data on the Illinois School Report Card. This was a student-led initiative from Leader Lightford's district.
- [SB 2240](#): Each community college board will have to provide its member high schools with remediation data for their past students who have enrolled in the community college for any term upon request.





Discussion

Any highlights we missed?

What are you most excited about?

Transportation Workgroup Updates

WBL Transportation Work Group

Process

- Plan to meet 3-4 times
- Sharing findings with P-20 Council, IWIB Career Pathways for Target Populations Committee, IWIN, ISBE, etc
- Aim to release a memo of findings and recommendations by August

Topics we want to cover

- Focus on supporting in-school youth
- Dive into access obstacles
 - Resource limitations, policy barriers, etc.
- Explore creative solutions



Transportation-Related Barriers to WBL

What's emerged

- Restrictions on vehicle type
 - Vehicles that are allowed are hard to find or too expensive
- Logistic challenges of only transporting individuals or a small group of students
- Credential requirements and lack of available drivers (and substitutes teachers overall)
- Lack of student fares for public transit
- Some areas do not have access to public transportation
- Funding (both lack of or limitations)
- Ability to pay students engages in WBL
- Equity concerns related to having students secure their own transportation
- Lack of flexibility for creative scheduling

Anything else?

Next Steps

- Brainstorm and discuss possible solutions
- Outline and draft memo
- Finalize and share findings

Questions

- Are there any creative solutions you think we should learn more about?
- Is there anything you have already heard from students?
- How can we keep possible solutions centered in equity?



Wrap-Up & Announcements



**Did we miss
anything?**



**What do you
want to know
more about?**



**What
should we
explore?**

Also save the date for these other events!

College Changes Everything Conference

- When?
 - Thursday, July 13, 2023
- Where?
 - Tinley Park, Illinois



Back in person for 2023!



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**Next transportation
workgroup meeting:
July 10, 2-3 p.m. [register](#)**

**Next meeting:
September 13, 9-10:30 am
[register](#)**



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Thank You!

