

NSO Committee Meeting 6/26/17

Updates on Orientation:

- Pathways will be shifting a bit and be taking full force come this fall. Will try new things out come this October with incorporating the different pathways. Figuring out where the “Undecided” students will go.
- Have the presenters for “Your Student Success” really break down a program or two so students can understand better. (“Reality check” as Tracey Quada does)
- Mandatory Orientation are in effect. Students who haven’t attended an NSO will be put “on hold” until they complete orientation. “Apprentices & Transfer” student are exempt from this.

Orientation Goals:

- Mary Johnson -> Possible higher “cap” on NSO’s. Maybe more around 125ea instead of 120? Little buffer room.
- Colleen Olson -> How to contact your counselor / Have a room available with personnel, for students who want more info after the NSO
- Sue Newington -> How to navigate MyValley / How to add/drop a class
- Coty Dunten -> We don’t want students to leave an NSO feeling overwhelmed / Utilize the service desk downstairs for students who felt rushed out of the counselor session to be able to make an appointment with a counselor
- Megan Pauken -> Put undecided students into TRS class if reading score is low enough...kind of pre-register them.

Potential Collaboration:

- Have Ron Young snip-it’s of him teaching. Classroom expectations. Have Ron attend an NSO
- Update videos even more?