

Two-year – Academic Plan of Work

Drive Student Success

- 1. Improve Student Success and Completion
 - a. Standardize placement testing across Barton to Accuplacer
 - b. Develop a Student Success Initiative to drive retention and completion, enhance advisement, and offer basic/essential skills for success
- 2. Enhance the Quality of Teaching and Learning
 - a. Provide access to instructional resources and professional development for faculty to support student success in various delivery methods
 - b. Evaluate need for additional faculty and staff to support continued growth in student enrollment

Cultivate Community Engagement

- 3. Cultivate and Strengthen Partnerships
 - a. Maintain and develop partnerships with universities and area school districts; identify ways to enhance post-secondary opportunities for students
 - b. Explore new partnerships in support of new programs and services; nurture existing partnerships *
- 4. Reinforce Public Recognition of Barton Community College
 - a. Develop communication and marketing initiatives for BartOnline, academic events & programs, and workforce/CTE programs
- 5. Provide Learning Experiences for the community
 - a. Offer short professional development and community centered courses both online and on-campus

Emphasize Institutional Effectiveness

- 6. Develop, enhance, and align business processes
 - a. Enhance online services for students and employees single registration, enhance portal
 - b. Identify and implement strategies to reallocate and increase revenue, and reduce expenses
- 7. Provide a welcoming and safe environment
 - a. Establish position and professional development for Title IX & Disabilities
 - b. Implement additional technologies to enhance campus safety

Optimize Employee Experience

- 8. Support a diverse culture in which employees are engaged and productive
 - a. Support & Recognize Professional Development of faculty and staff
 - b. Create a work environment that prioritizes personal, inter-division, and team development.

* The 2-year Academic Plan must contain one paradigm shifting action item