

Developmental Education Program Survey

Institution Summary Report

LAMAR UNIVERSITY

Organization of D.E. Programs

Is the Developmental Education Program Centralized?

Yes

Does this Institution have a D.E. Coordinator?

N/A

Note: Only Institutions that were decentralized responded to this question.

Does this institution's D.E. program have D.E. mission statement?

Yes

Academic Advising for D.E. Students

Is Academic Advising provided for D.E. students?

Yes

Is Academic Advising required for D.E. students?

Yes

Note: Only Institutions that were reported to providing academic advising responded to this question.

How often are D.E. students required to receive Academic Advising?

Once a Semester

Note: Only Institutions that were reported to requiring academic advising responded to this question.

What are the consequences to the student if they do not undergo Academic Advising?

Barred from Registration

Note: Only Institutions that were reported to requiring academic advising responded to this question.

Is there specialized Academic Advising for D.E. student?

Yes

Note: Only Institutions that were reported to requiring academic advising responded to this question.

Are D.E. students required to undergo Academic Advising before taking their first credit bearing course?

Yes

Note: Only Institutions that were reported to requiring academic advising responded to this question.

Does this institution develop individual education plans for D.E. students?

Yes

Does this institution use diagnostic tools from College Readiness Assessments?

Yes

Monitoring D.E. Students' Academic Performance

Does this institution monitor the academic performance of D.E. students?

Yes

Who monitors the academic performance of D.E. students?

Faculty
Academic Advisors
Others

Note: Only Institutions that were reported to monitoring the academic performance of D.E. students responded to this question

How often is academic performance of D.E. students monitored during a semester?

Once

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Does this institution have an Early Warning System?

Yes

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Student Support Services Provided at Institution

Services	Provided for all Students	Service that Targets DE Students
Academic Advising	X	X
Health Services	X	
Tutoring	X	X
Summer Bridge Program		X
Academic Counseling		
Learning Communities	X	X
Financial Aid	X	
Child Care Services	X	
Job/Career Services	X	
Psychological Services	X	
Computer / Technology Support	X	
Freshman Orientation	X	X

Number of Student Support Service for D.E. Student at this Institution: 6

College Readiness Assessments Delivered at this Institution

Assessment	Subject Area	Administered at this institution	Assessment	Subject Area	Administered at this institution
ACCUPLACER	Math	X	ASSET	Math	
	Reading	X		Reading	
	Writing (Objective)	X		Writing (Objective)	
	Writing (Essay)	X		Writing (Essay)	
Assessment	Subject Area	Administered at this institution	Assessment	Subject Area	Administered at this institution
COMPASS	Math		THEA	Math	X
	Reading			Reading	X
	Writing (Objective)			Writing (Objective)	X
	Writing (Essay)			Writing (Essay)	X

Other College Readiness Assessments used at this institution to determine College Readiness:

College Readiness Assessments	Used at this institution
ACT	X
SAT	X
TAKS	X
None	
Other	X

What is the deadline for Taking College Readiness Assessments at this institution?

Before Enrolling

Faculty Development

Does this Institution have a Faculty Development Unit?

Yes

Does this institution have Professional Development Opportunities for D.E. Faculty?

Yes

Do policies exist at this institution encouraging the use of the following Learning Techniques/ Strategies?

Techniques/ Strategies	Reported a policy existing
Mastery Learning	X
Critical Thinking	X
Learning Strategies	X
Active Learning Techniques	X
Classroom Assessment Techniques	X
Other	X

*each row of the table independent of the other.

Number of Faculty Development programs for Developmental Education Faculty at this institution: 5

Developmental Education Faculty Communication

Does this institution hold regular meetings of D.E. Faculty to discuss Institutional Strategies?

Yes

What is the frequency of D.E. Faculty meetings at this institution?

Monthly

Does this institution include D.E. part-time lecturers/ adjunct faculty in D.E. Faculty Meetings?

Yes

Developmental Education Course Information

What is the frequency of Developmental Education Course Levels of D.E. by subject area for this institution?

Mathematics	Reading	Writing
3	1	1

* Developmental education course level represents the number of courses where a student is placed at the lowest level of developmental education may have to complete to finish all developmental education courses at an institution.

Types of Course Combinations Offered at this Institution.

Does this Institution offer paired courses by D.E. subject area?

Subject Area	Paired courses reported
Mathematics	No
Reading	No
Writing	No

*Paired course are two courses for which students must co-register. These "linked classes" are where faculty work to coordinate syllabi and assignments, but may teach their classes separately.

Does this institution offer D.E. Course Groups and Cluster Courses?

Groupings	Reported at this institution
D.E. Course Groups	No
D.E. Course Clusters	No

*D.E. Course Clusters are a cohort of students enrolled in three to four discrete courses linked by common themes, historical periods, issues, problems and must include a credit bearing and D.E. course(s).

D.E. Course Group is a cohort of students enrolled in three or four, discrete D.E. courses; linked by common themes, historical periods, issues, and problems.

Evaluation of D.E. Courses

Does this institution have a systematic plan for D.E. Course Evaluations?

Yes

Which departments at this institution are responsible for D.E. Course Evaluations?

Departments / Units	Reported as authority
D.E. Department	X
Subject Area of Course	
Other	

Study Skills / Learning Strategies

Does this institution offer Study Skills / Learning Strategies Courses?

Yes

Are students at this institution required to take Study Skills / Learning Strategies Courses?

Other

Does this institution offer Study Skills / Learning Strategies Seminars / Workshops?

Yes

Which students are evaluated on Study Skills / Learning Strategies at this institution?

None

Non-Course Based Remediation

Does this institution offer Non-Course Based Remediation?

No

*Non-Course Based Remediation (Education) may include, but is not limited to, such activities as tutoring, supervised self-study, and participation in learning assistance centers. Non-Course Based Developmental Education is not eligible for state formula funding.

Does this institution use technology to supplement D.E. courses?

Yes

What types of technological services used in D.E. courses are provided at this institution?

Technological Services	Accounted as a provision
Online Tutoring	
Online Grade/ Performance Updates	
E-mails about Services	
Discussion Boards	
Online Lecture Notes	
Other	X