

## Definition of Student Success

### **Student success is:**

- (1) The exploration, identification, and achievement of personal goals; and**
- (2) The advancement from enrollment to academic achievement resulting in college readiness, certificate/degree completion, transfer, and/or employment.**

This definition has two clear components – one focused on individual success driven by personal interest and one focused on institutional success focused on measurable outcomes.

This definition aligns with the institution's strategic priorities of college readiness, transfer readiness, and employment readiness, while also allowing for individual qualitative outcomes.

This definition clarifies the intention to include college readiness as a component of student success.

The purpose is to establish a common understanding of student success. Further, we will determine goals and have key performance indicators as guideposts for institutional progress.

We will continue to discuss the qualitative aspects of individual student success and its measurement.

We would like to have final feedback on the definition from Senate and Community Assemblies by the end of April.