



Role and Relationship of Coordinators Importance of a Learner-Centered Syllabus

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Role as Coordinators

To collaboratively ensure that the program at iUSC complies with SACS requirements by meeting Broward College academic standards of quality.

- Course Schedule
- Syllabi- College Course Outlines
- Textbooks
- Credentialed instructors
- Academic support services and resources





Basics of a Strong Relationship

The 3C's Relationship Model

Communication

Collaboration

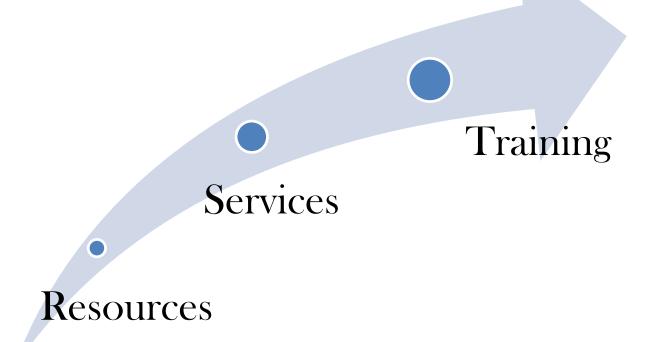
College Academic Standards

The Beginning Stage

- **►** EAP Sequence
- Course delivery- fast track
- ➤ Student population- high-intermediate EAP levels
- >Textbooks

The Beginning Stage

- ➤ Focus towards SACS accreditation
- ➤ Needs Analysis Report- for each site visit



Affiliate Stage

- ➤ Development of the academic schedule
- ➤ Testing implementation: LOEP and CPT
- ➤ Marketing and recruiting for students
- > Searching for instructors
- > Student Affairs and Library Services

International Center Stage

> Training

College Internal Database (CID)

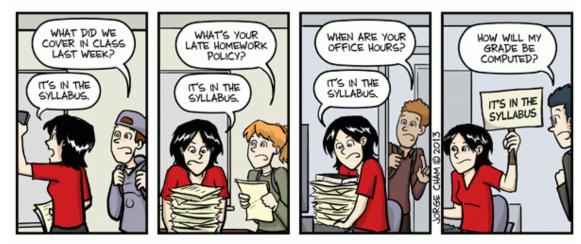
Professional development

D2L (college online learning platform)

- > Classroom observations
- ➤ 7th Broward College Latin American Summit



Learner-Centered Syllabus



IT'S IN THE SYLLABUS

In pairs, answer the following questions:

- What is a learner-centered syllabus?
- What is required to be on the syllabus?
- What is NOT required?

A Learner-Centered Syllabus is...

- > To establish a *contract for learning*
- To communicate the course goals, organization, policies, expectations, and requirements to students
- To set the tone of the class
- ➤ To help students manage their learning
- To communicate course goals and content
- ➤ To provide a learner-centered PLAN

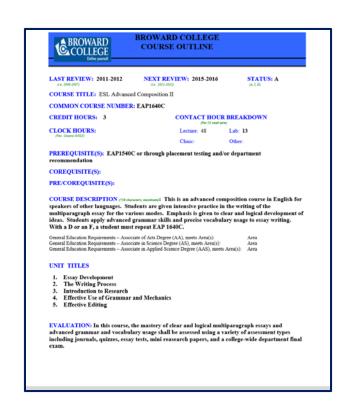
Learner-Centered Syllabus

Designing a learner-centered syllabus means that students and their ability to learn are at the center of what we do. Being learner-centered means that you:

- View and foster learning as a partnership with students
- Shift from an instructor's point of view to the student's perspective
- Provide your students with tools and information to promote active learning
- Accommodate different learning styles

Syllabus Construction

A strong syllabus is built on a solid foundation of **course design**. The course design should be based upon **Broward College course outlines** and consistent with policies and guidelines of the College.



A Syllabus Contains

Basic Information: Instructor's name, contact information, and office hours; title of the course, location, times

Course Description: Prerequisites, overview of the course

Course Learning Outcomes: general student learning outcomes from the course outline- Blooms Taxonomy

Materials: Primary/required books and readings, including other lab equipment, software,

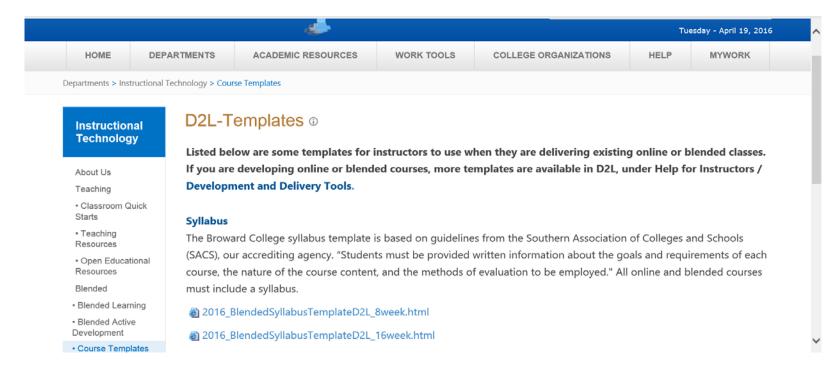
Learning Assessments: Exams, quizzes, projects, assignments, problem sets, reports, etc.

Course Policies: Grading procedure and scale, academic policies, attendance, class participation, missed exams or assignments, late policies, standards for academic honesty

Schedule: Tentative calendar of topics, firm dates for exams and assignments



Broward College Syllabus Templates



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Questions?

