



Friday, May 2, 2008

Time does not change us. It just unfolds us. -Max Frisch

Where the Action Is

- Academic Senate
Fri, 5/2 1:00-3:00 Board Rm.
- Academic Standards and Policies
Fri, 5/9 3:00-5:00 LRC 107
- Acad. of the Redwoods Advisory
Fri, 5/9 1:00-3:00 LRC107
- Accreditation Steering Comm.
Wed, 5/7 3:30-5:00 Board Rm.
- Assessment Team
Fri, 5/9 1:00-3:00 Lakeview
- Board of Trustees
Tues, 5/6 3:00-5:00 Board Rm.
- Coordinated Planning Council
Fri, 5/2 9:00-11:30 Lakeview
- Curriculum Committee
Fri, 5/9 1:00-3:00 Board Rm.
- Facilities Committee
Fri, 5/2 Time/Location TBA
- Institutional Effectiveness
Wed, 5/7 12:00-1:00 Board Rm.
- Institutional Research Advisory Committee
Fri, 5/2 9:00-10:30
- Multicultural and Diversity
Fri, 5/2 11:30-1:00 LRC 107
- Program Review Committee
Fri, 5/2 9:00-11:00 Board Rm.
- Technology Advisory Group
Thurs, 5/8 8:30-9:30 Board Rm.

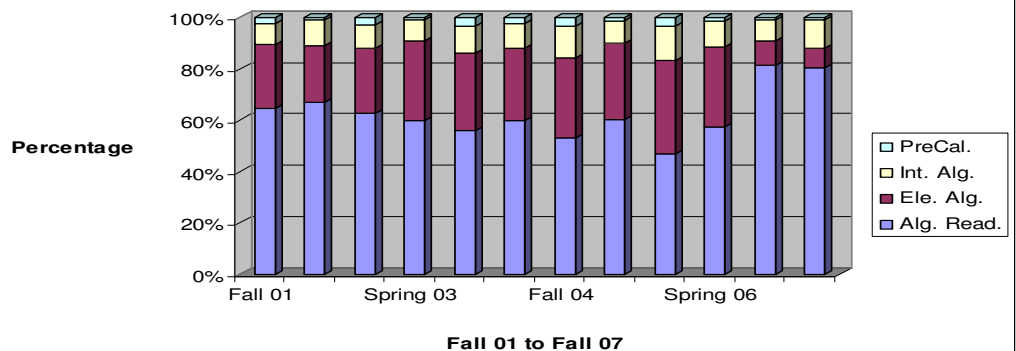


To all the staff, faculty, and administrators who are retiring at the end of this academic year:

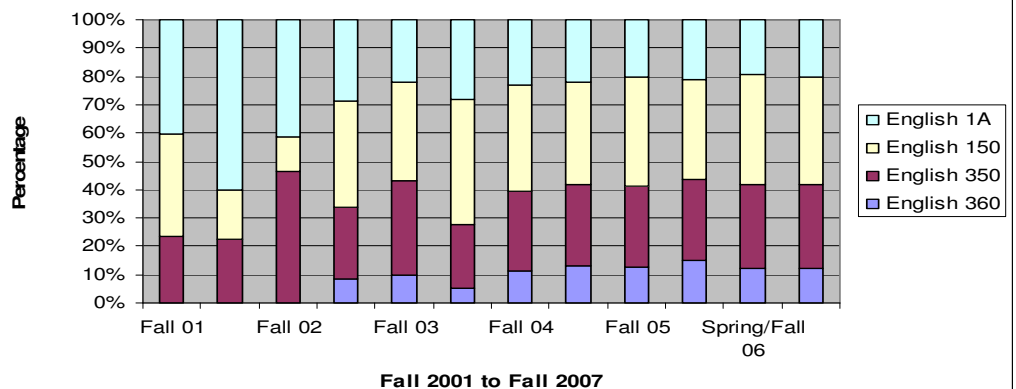
- ↔Jeff Bobbitt, Academic Affairs, 11.2 years with CR↔
- ↔Ruth Clements, Maintenance, 19.1 years with CR↔
- ↔Steve Durham, Sociology, 33.7 years with CR↔
- ↔Larry Frazier, English, 18.8 years with CR↔
- ↔Dave Harris, CIS, 29.7 years with CR↔
- ↔Bill Hoopes, English, 33 years with CR↔
- ↔Marcy Manning, CAL SOAP, 10.3 years with CR↔
- ↔Cheryl Rau, Children's Center, 12.9 years with CR↔
- ↔Christine Schomer, Mendocino, 22.9 years with CR↔
- ↔Maureen Scott, Academic Affairs, 14 years with CR↔
- ↔Sandra Taylor, Math, 17.8 years with CR↔
- ↔Keith Winger, Diesel & Heavy Equipment, 30.3 years with CR↔

Data Watch

Math Assessment Trends

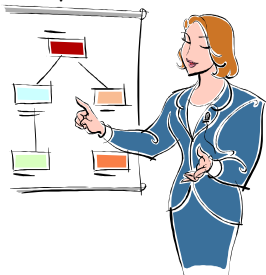


English Placement Trends



Did you know...

- ◆ **Institutional Research Director Martha Davis** met with the Board of Trustees at the April 7th board retreat at the Mendocino Coast Campus. She presented an overview of the development of the strategic planning process and explained how measurable objectives link to key performance indicators. Martha also reviewed for the Board the **Integrated Planning Model** developed by the College during the 2007-2008 academic year. The model illustrates how program review requests are addressed by functional groups such as facilities, technology, library resources, student services and human resources. The model also outlines how **action plans**, which may be initiated by individuals, groups or cross-functional teams, are awarded.



To take full advantage of Martha's expertise, the Board of Trustees requested a follow up presentation on downloading information from the **California State Data Mart** and navigating the new internal and external web pages. This presentation is scheduled for **Tues. May 6.**

You need to know...

- ◆ Plan to honor and celebrate **CR's retiring employees** by attending the Annual CR Retirement Party (food and drink provided) on **Tuesday, May 13 from 11:30-1:30 in the Lakeview Room.**



CR NEEDS YOU!!

- ◆ To volunteer to help at the **Saturday, May 17 Eureka campus commencement ceremony from 10:30-2:30.** Make this very significant day for our students and their families possible by volunteering to usher, hand out graduation programs, help with robing, and manage crowds in the photo area. Contact Connie-Carlson@redwoods.edu (x4142) and let her know that you'd like to be part of this important event.
- ◆ The Office of Institutional Research is working with the Curriculum Committee and Student Services to complete the new **2007-08 ACCJC Student Learning Outcomes Report.** This report requires extensive information on general education courses, all courses and disciplines, all programs and degrees, and both informational and student services divisions.
- ◆ On April 25, 2008, after concluding action plan proposal presentation sessions, the **Coordinated Planning Council** agreed by consensus to fund eleven action plan proposals for a total of **\$61, 841.** You can see the original action plan proposals, the functional group input, and the funding amount of individual action plans by visiting the CR Strategic Planning website at <http://inside.redwoods.edu/StrategicPlanning/ActionPlanning/index.asp>.



Point and Click: Websites Worth Visiting

UNESCO Institute for Education Statistics

<http://www.uis.unesco.org/>

National Center for Education Statistics <http://www.nces.ed.gov/>

Association for Supervision and Curriculum Development
<http://www.ascd.org/>

Association for Educational Communications and Technologies
<http://www.aect.org/>

History of American Education Web Project
<http://www.nd.edu/~rbarger/www7/>

The Educator's Reference Desk
<http://www.eduref.org/>

Education Resource Information Center <http://www.eric.ed.gov/>

Have an item or idea you'd like to see included in the next Linkages?

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