

Achieving The Dream Core Group Meeting

ELS Presentation

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*Best Practice
Researched:
Hostos Community
College's Success Academy
Intrusive Advisement*

Academic Engagement and Early Intervention Program for first year students. Peers, staff and faculty provide students intensive

- guidance
 - mentoring
 - tutoring
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Activity 1

SUPPORT FOR ENW-107 STUDENTS

Challenges for ENW107 Students

**Difficult transition from ENW 040 to ENW
107**

7 credits to 3 credits

In person lab to online lab

**No access to College Writing Center or
Gateway Center for tutoring.**

Activity 1- Proposal

Create in person lab for ENW 107 and link to course section

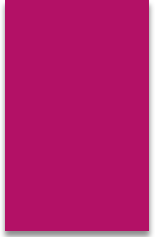
ENW 107 instructor teaches lab.

Embedded tutor for class and lab provides extra support for students.

Activity 1-linked lab and embedded tutor

Implementation time: spring 2016

Means of Assessment: department final pass rate and retention



Activity 2

ACTIVITY TWO: SUPPORTING ELS STUDENTS THROUGH SOCIAL MEDIA



Challenges for All ELS Students

Connecting with teachers and other students

Living in a “cultural bubble.” (shared language and /or cultural background)

Not understanding the American educational system and not having role models to guide them

Activity 2 - Proposal

Using social media to increase communication and a sense of community:

Create an ELS Facebook page

Activity 2 – Using Social Media: Facebook

- Disseminate college and department information in a timely manner
- Provide an “online help desk”
- Showcase successful students
- Connect students with student mentors

Activity 2- Social Media Support for All ELS Students

Implementation time: fall 2015

Means of Assessment: stats on page visits, number of subscribers, number and length of interactions, student survey



Any Questions?

