Institutional Effectiveness Annual Report 2015-2016

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Southeastern Baptist College

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Institutional Effectiveness Annual Calendar

June/July

- 1. The Institutional Effectiveness Committee completes the current year's I.E. Annual Report by reviewing the assessment results for the year (Column Four) and by making determinations to address in the next academic year. (Column Five).
- 2. The Institutional Effectiveness Director presents results from the current year's student/faculty evaluations to the Institutional Effectiveness Committee. Strengths and weaknesses are identified based on the surveys, and ways to improve are established; evaluation results are then added to the current year's Annual Report, along with an analysis of the year's strengths and weaknesses (with planned improvements for the next year). Results and plans are distributed to all full-time faculty and staff.
- 3. The Institutional Effectiveness Committee adopts outcome statements and procedures for the next academic year (Columns One, Two, and Three) based on the following:
 - (a) Action Plan Objective Steps in the Five-Year Planning Document
 - (b) The current year's "Use of Results" determinations
 - (c) New ideas discussed/approved during this annual I.E. Committee planning session
 - (d) The current year's Survey Results

October

First of Month: The Institutional Effectiveness Committee presents the new academic year's Assessment Plan (Columns One, Two, and Three) to the Board of Trustees for approval, along with the previous year's I.E. Annual Report results.

Last of Month: The Institutional Effectiveness Committee meets to assess the progress being made on the current year's plans/intended outcomes.

Throughout the Year

Data collection is conducted as appropriate, coordinated by the Institutional Effectiveness Director.

January

The Institutional Effectiveness Committee meets to assess the progress being made on the current year's plans/intended outcomes.

July

Cycle begins again.

2015-2016 PLAN NUMBER 1.1 – ADMISSIONS/RECRUITMENT

Program Objectives & Institutional Goals	Intended Outcomes	Assessment Procedures	Assessment Results	Use of Results
Institutional Goal: Plan number 1.1 Strategy: We will pursue continued growth in enrollment through intensified recruiting efforts. Action Plan Objective: Establish an enrollment growth plan through the year 2020.	Enrollment will see a growth of 5% from the previous year. (Fall/Spring enrollment in 2014-15 was 82 students, with an FTE of 65.) Goal this year: 10% growth.	Monitor enrollment; record actual enrollment numbers.	Fall/Spring enrollment in 2015-16 was 89 students, with an FTE of 66.	Continue to strive for enrollment growth; for next year: goal of 100 students total.

Program Objectives & Institutional Goals	Intended Outcomes	Assessment Procedures	Assessment Results	Use of Results
Institutional Goal: Plan number 1.2 Strategy: We will pursue continued growth in enrollment through intensified recruiting efforts. Action Plan Objective: Ensure that personnel resources are adequate for recruiting needs.	Personnel for the recruiting and admissions office will be adequate for the recruiting needs. For this year: focus on online recruiting through social media, with a goal of 20 new students.	Monitor; determine if sufficient.	Other staff members helped with Facebook advertisements and posts. However, no new students were gained from this avenue.	Continue to ensure adequacy. For next year, use other staff members to help with advertising, promotional events, and social media outlets.

Program Objectives & Institutional Goals	Intended Outcomes	Assessment Procedures	Assessment Results	Use of Results
Institutional Goal: Plan number 1.3 Strategy: We will pursue continued growth in enrollment through intensified recruiting efforts.	Color recruiting brochures and publications of professional quality will be developed and produced.	1. Observe materials that were produced. Use results from the "Registration Satisfaction Survey" to determine student opinions concerning all college publications.	1. New brochures for the new extension classes were produced (Natchez and Cleveland).	For next year: -Meridian extension brochures -one brochure that lists all of our degrees/info about them -print some professionally
Action Plan Objective: Develop and distribute high quality printed materials and other media to enhance recruiting efforts.	2. The college website will be improved in appearance and in ease of use. Focus this year: make it more mobile-friendly.	2. Observe/record any changes made to the website. Gather informal feedback from faculty and students concerning any change.	2. The website was not made to be more mobile-friendly. However, other improvements were made: -button added for credit card contributions/pay bills -extension class site information page -updated faculty biography page to include extension class faculty -information/logos/links concerning our recent national awards posted	2. For next year: -make the website more mobile-friendly -begin investigating the transition to a WordPress website

Program Objectives & Institutional Goals	Intended Outcomes	Assessment Procedures	Assessment Results	Use of Results
Institutional Goal: Plan number 1.4	1. A festival which targets feeder schools and churches will be held in the Spring.	Receipts will be kept on file, and lists of all attendees will be kept as well.	Spring festival was held, but a Fall one was not.	1. Continue to hold Spring festival, and add a Fall one as well.
Strategy: We will pursue continued growth in enrollment through intensified recruiting efforts.	For next year: add a Fall festival to the calendar.	Feedback from recruiter/any involved as to their success.		
Action Plan Objective: Broaden the potential recruiting base.	2. The recruiting area will be extended. For next year: seek prospective students in the following areas for extension classes – Natchez, Meridian.	2. Maintain files of prospective students. Gain feedback from extension site. Conduct evaluations of any courses.	2. New students were added for extension classes in Meridian and Cleveland, but not Natchez.	2. For next year, investigate the possibility of an extension class in Amory.
	3. The demographics of the current student population will be surveyed.	3. Examine student records; formulate percentages of population based on race and gender.	3. Male- 74% (43) Female- 26% (15) White- 53% (31) Black- 43% (25) Hispanic- 2% (1)	3. Continue to survey demographics.

Program Objectives & Institutional Goals	Intended Outcomes	Assessment Procedures	Assessment Results	Use of Results
Institutional Goal: Plan number 1.5 Strategy: We will pursue continued growth in enrollment through	1. Increase the number of students who pre-register. (Focus this year: Keep records of the number of students contacted and how they were contacted – phone,	1. Compile a list of students who have not pre-registered and contact those via email, encouraging them to register and, if they choose not to, to give the college reasons why	1. Records were kept, and email was the best way to reach students about preregistering.	Continue to promote pre- registration.
intensified recruiting efforts. Action Plan Objective: Establish and implement a program designed to improve retention of current students.	mail, email.) 2. The following existing programs will be strengthened: A. Student assimilation (chapel, orientation program, and student activities).	they are not. For students who do not respond to emails, contact them by phone. 2. A. Distribute and then evaluate student surveys concerning chapel, orientation, and student activities.	2. A. This was not the assigned year for chapel/student activities' surveys. However, orientation was evaluated (since it is a semester course),	2. A. For next year, Student Activities: - investigate the cost/estimated success of reinstating the "goody cart" -plan monthly outings/activities for students and staff -investigate any "Bible
	B. Academic advising program. For this year: provide each student's "Degree Plan Worksheet" on Populi.	B. Distribute and then evaluate student surveys concerning Academic Advising.	with positive responses. Also, concerning Chapel: -attendance was newly kept on Populi as "class" -links to Chapel service videos were posted on Populi B. This was completed.	bowls" in the area that can be participated in (or start our own) -investigate possible radio spots for ministerial students B. For next year, investigate possibility of current staff member also serving as advisor concerning job placements/career counseling.

2015-2016 PLAN NUMBER 2.1 – PUBLIC RELATIONS

Program Objectives & Institutional Goals	Intended Outcomes	Assessment Procedures	Assessment Results	Use of Results
Institutional Goal: Plan number 2.1 Strategy: We will endeavor to enhance the college's public image through continued and new public relations efforts. Action Plan Objective:	Advertising in appropriate media will be accomplished. *For this year: use an intern to conduct advertising on other social media outlets in addition to Facebook.	1. File receipts of all advertisement costs in Business Office. Gain informal feedback from constituents/viewers/users of the advertisements. Note students gained through these avenues.	1. An intern was used. In addition: -billboard advertisements were used -press releases in MS papers about our awards were made -no new students specifically from these avenues, though	Continue to advertise, for next year: -radio spots on KLOV and 95.9 -Google ads -continued press releases -attend several festival/street events in the state -create Instagram account -increase Facebook activity
Increase visibility.	2. Competitive informative materials will be produced. For next year, make new brochures for any additional extension classes.	2. Update materials as needed. Seek approval from Administration.	New extension class brochures were made for Meridian and Cleveland.	2. For next year, produce one brochure with all degrees' information & more extension class brochures.
	3. The campus appearance will be improved. *For this year: -seal the parking lot -investigate the cost of renovating the two campus signs.	3. The maintenance staff will tour campus and grounds routinely and make a list of updates needed. The President will determine what items can be done fur to finances.	3. The parking lot was sealed. However, one campus sign was sold with land, and the remaining sign was not renovated.	3. For next year: -repair campus sign lighting -update front of administration /gym buildings -take up carpet in hallway & main office (replace with tile)

2015-2016 PLAN NUMBER 2.2 – PUBLIC RELATIONS

Program Objectives & Institutional Goals	Intended Outcomes	Assessment Procedures	Assessment Results	Use of Results
Institutional Goal: Plan number 2.2 Strategy: We will endeavor to enhance the college's public image	1. The annual meeting of the BMAM will be hosted on campus.	1. Oversee the use of the facilities. Use students as hosts/hostesses. Observe/gain feedback from attendees.	The meeting was successfully held on campus.	1. Continue to host meeting.
through continued and new public relations efforts. Action Plan Objective: Increase on-campus visitation.	2. Civic, community, and business leaders will be invited to speak in chapel services.	2. The Chapel Committee will produce a chapel speakers schedule. Chapel programs will be promoted. Chapel services will be recorded/posted on website.	2. This was not done.	2. Carry this intended outcome over to next year; begin with an invitation to the Laurel Mayor.
	3. Pastors and parents will be encouraged to attend the Spring festival; follow ups will be made with phone calls and mail outs to attendees. For next year: also host a Fall Festival.	3. Record/file addresses and phone #s of pastors and parents who attended the event. Follow up with calls and mail-outs.	3. A Spring festival was held, but not a Fall one.	3. Continue Spring festival and add a Fall one.
	4. Our facilities will be made available to outside groups in accordance with our written policies. * For this year: hold a Bible conference (with an invited speaker).	4. Record all uses of our facilities, noting needs, successes, etc.	4. The Bible conference was held. Also, visitors included homeschool group and homeschool basketball teams/fans.	4. Continue to encourage visits. For next year, focus attention on promoting the college during basketball games.

2015-2016 PLAN NUMBER 3.1 – FINANCIAL RESOURCES

Program Objectives & Institutional Goals	Intended Outcomes	Assessment Procedures	Assessment Results	Use of Results
Institutional Goal: Plan number 3.1 Strategy: We will endeavor to increase revenue through continued appeals to traditional sources and initial appeals to new sources.	1. Efforts will be made to increase the number of supporting churches, contacting them directly. (The number of supporting churches in 14-15 was 108, with a total of \$155,506.59 given.)	1. Maintain lists of churches added. Also, create a list of churches that discontinued and contact in order to determine reasons for their support termination.	1. The number of supporting churches in 15-16 was 98, with a total of \$181,132.42 given.	1. Continue efforts with churches.
Action Plan Objective: Intensify efforts to increase regular and special donations.	2. Efforts to increase the number of individual donors will be intensified. (The number of individual donors in 14-15 was 24, with a total of \$63,116.00 given.)	2. Record new individual donor information. Create a list of donors who have terminated and contact them by mail and/or by phone.	2. The number of individual donors in 15-16 was 16, with a total of \$13,795.61 given.	2. Continue efforts with donors.
	3. A support base from alumni will continue to be developed. *For this year: create an alumni form to present/distribute at the BMAM State Meeting.	3. Tabulate and evaluate results from the alumni questionnaire.	3. This was completed. Overall results were positive, presented to the I.E. Committee for review, and posted on the website under "student consumer information".	3. For next year: -Reach out through Facebook and Instagram -Work on the reinstitution of the "President's Club" or develop a new, similar promotion
	4. An increase in the number of financially-supporting local associations will be sought. (The number of supporting associations in 14-15 was 7, with a total of \$9,557.16 given.)	4. File President's and administration's promotional visits to associational meetings; record support.	4. The number of supporting associations in 15-16 was 8, with a total of \$9,156.71 given.	4. Continue efforts with associations.

5. A Strategic Reserve Fund will be developed.	5. Once created, the following rules/stipulations are to be applied: - ½ of special contributions will be deposited into this Fund money will be borrowed from it only in emergency situations.	5. The Fund was created; however, it was depleted.	5. While this is important, for next year, focus on other projects. Discontinue this intended outcome.
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2015-2016 PLAN NUMBER 3.2 – FINANCIAL RESOURCES

Program Objectives & Institutional Goals	Intended Outcomes	Assessment Procedures	Assessment Results	Use of Results
Institutional Goal: Plan number 3.2 Strategy: We will endeavor to increase revenue through continued appeals to traditional sources and initial appeals to new	1. Efforts to increase student credit hours will continue. (In 2014-15, there were 927 student credit hours.)	1. Compare credit hours to the year before and evaluate progress (through recruiting/retention efforts).	1. This year, there were 861 student credit hours.	Continue efforts to increase student credit hours.
students. Action Plan Objective: Intensify efforts to increase income from students.	2. Student fees and tuition will be increased (as needed) to offset rising costs of operation.	2. Examine student charges sheet and the annual budget, determining if any increase is needed (and if so, how much); seek input/approval from the Board.	2. No increases were made.	2. Continue to monitor needs; for next year, study/plan for tuition increases in the near future. No increases for next year, though.

2015-2016 PLAN NUMBER 3.3 – FINANCIAL RESOURCES

Program Objectives & Institutional Goals	Intended Outcomes	Assessment Procedures	Assessment Results	Use of Results
Institutional Goal: Plan number 3.3 Strategy: We will endeavor to increase revenue through continued appeals to traditional sources	Promotional materials will be developed for the Foundation.	1. File materials created and distributed. Receive informal feedback from potential donors.	No new materials were made.	Develop materials as needed.
and initial appeals to new sources. Action Plan Objective: Intensify efforts to increase Foundation income.	2. More individuals will be contacted about making large donations. (Contributions to the Foundation in 14-15 totaled \$10,766.57 from 2 individuals.)	2. Compare income from individual donors to the Foundation and evaluate the progress. Also, record any new donor information.	2. Contributions to the Foundation in 15-16 totaled \$5,700.00 from 2 individuals.	2. Continue to contact.
	3. More churches will be enlisted to give budgeted support. (2014-15: income from 5 churches totaled \$3,191.57.)	3. Use promotional materials in associational meetings. (The President will attend associational meetings and promote the Foundation.) Gain input/feedback from members of the churches visited.	3. This year, income from 6 churches totaled \$3,613.23.	3. Continue to enlist churches.

2015-2016 PLAN NUMBER 4.1 – PHYSICAL PLANT

Program Objectives & Institutional Goals	Intended Outcomes	Assessment Procedures	Assessment Results	Use of Results
Institutional Goal: Plan number 4 Strategy: We will endeavor to maintain high quality physical facilities, equipment, and departmental resources as needed to accomplish our mission. Action Plan Objective: Establish and implement a schedule for addressing maintenance, equipment, and improvement needs of physical facilities and grounds.	The following projects will be completed: - hire an hourly maintenance/groundskeeper - seal the parking lot - investigate the cost of renovating the 2 campus signs - begin monitoring the physical plant through a quarterly plant assessment (w/checklist)	College administration will coordinate volunteer and/or paid efforts, overseeing progress made. File receipts of any money spent on projects. Evaluate success of the projects through observation and staff feedback.	All of the listed projects were executed. Upon investigation, however, the 2 campus signs were not renovating (one because it was sold with land, and the other due to finances).	For next year: -repair campus sign lighting -update front of administration /gym buildings -take up carpet in hallway & main office (replace with tile)

2015-2016 PLAN NUMBER 4.2 – PHYSICAL PLANT

Program Objectives & Institutional Goals	Intended Outcomes	Assessment Procedures	Assessment Results	Use of Results
Institutional Goal: Plan number 4.2 Strategy: We will endeavor to maintain high quality physical facilities, equipment, and departmental resources as needed to accomplish our mission. Action Plan Objective:	1. Departmental needs will be evaluated through "Departmental Annual Reports".	1. The Institutional Effectiveness Director will distribute the form to each staff department/explain its use, and then collect completed forms for evaluation. Administration will address departmental needs.	1. Departmental Annual Reports were distributed to each full-time employee at the beginning of the academic year. Each monitored and recorded expenses/activities throughout the year on the Report form. Forms were returned to I.E. Director and given to Administration to aid in budget planning.	1. Continue to evaluate departments in this manner.
Evaluate the needs of each department in materials and services.	2. A new "Faculty Budget Request Form" will be created.	2. Created/overseen by the IE Director, this will be handed out at the first Inservice meeting. Each will be used to help form the year's budget. Examine past/present budgets & compare the effectiveness of collecting this additional data in this new format.	2. This was completed. Breaking down the requests by semester (rather than annually) had a positive impact on budget planning.	2. Continue to seek requests from Faculty in this manner.

2015-2016 PLAN NUMBER 5.1 – ACADEMIC PROGRAMS

Program Objectives & Institutional Goals	Intended Outcomes	Assessment Procedures	Assessment Results	Use of Results
Institutional Goal: Plan number 5.1 Strategy: We will endeavor to offer high quality educational programs through continued upgrading of academic programs. Action Plan Objective:	1. Evaluate the five degree programs through formal student and faculty surveys and evaluation procedures including: Student Course Evaluations, Student Program Evaluations, Faculty Course Reports, Faculty Questionnaires, and Faculty Program Checklists.	1. Through formal surveys and evaluations from students and faculty members (examining results), the Academic Dean and I.E. Director will identify strengths and weaknesses for these programs. Then, establish a list of improvements to be made.	1. All evaluations were completed, reviewed by the I.E. Director, and presented to the I.E. Committee (including the Academic Dean). Notes were made concerning needs, issues, and/or improvements to be made.	Continue to evaluate programs in this manner.
Establish a plan to create, evaluate and/or revise programs.	2. The feasibility of offering a Master's degree (specifically whether a group of instructors can be secured) will be investigated.	2. The Academic Dean will contact potential instructors, review resumes, and compile a list of possible, probable, and committed instructors for this potential new degree. Administration and appropriate staff will use the information gathered to determine if it is feasible to pursue the development of this degree.	2. This was not done/deferred to a later time.	2. Terminate this plan. Instead, for next year, investigate the possibility of offering a AA degree in missions.

2015-2016 PLAN NUMBER 5.2 – ACADEMIC PROGRAMS

Program Objectives & Institutional Goals	Intended Outcomes	Assessment Procedures	Assessment Results	Use of Results
Institutional Goal: Plan number 5.2 Strategy: We will endeavor to offer high quality educational programs through continued upgrading of academic	1. The faculty employment needs will be monitored on a continual basis.	1. The Dean will monitor any faculty employment needs, take resumes, hold interviews, and report recommendations to the President for approval.	Dr. Scott Carson was hired as an adjunct online instructor.	1. Continue to monitor.
programs. Action Plan Objective: Assure that adequate faculty is employed.	2. The following instructors' positions will be filled: - computer instructor	2. File new contracts and create new academic files for new instructors. Evaluations on them will be given informally and formally by students and by the Dean.	2. This was not filled; our current computer instructor still held the position.	2. For next year, hire an additional online Bible instructor.

2015-2016 PLAN NUMBER 6.1 – LIBRARY RESOURCES

Program Objectives & Intended Outcomes Assessment Procedures Assessment Results Use	of Results
Institutional Goals	ontinue to monitor.

2015-2016 PLAN NUMBER 6.2 – LIBRARY RESOURCES

Program Objectives & Institutional Goals	Intended Outcomes	Assessment Procedures	Assessment Results	Use of Results
Institutional Goal: Plan number 6.2 Strategy: We will endeavor to maintain an adequate library to support the courses being taught.	The Athena computerized catalog program will be filled with more cataloging records.	1. Monitor progress of the books being transferred from print to electronic catalog.	1. A small amount was done this year, due to the librarian's other/more pressing responsibilities as the director of the Self-Study process.	Continue to fill the Athena program with more cataloging records.
Action Plan Objective: Evaluate the needs of the library in materials and services.	2. The use of the library will be promoted to local and state ministers.	2. The librarian will write an article for the MS Baptist. Also, she will send out letters to church pastors. Gain verbal feedback from ministers; observe any rise in visits to the library from local/state ministers.	2. The article was published, and letters were sent out. There was no rise in visits to the library, however.	2. For next year, add a new display table to the main area to promote specific book collections.

2015-2016 PLAN NUMBER 7.1 – COLLEGE PERSONNEL

Program Objectives & Institutional Goals	Intended Outcomes	Assessment Procedures	Assessment Results	Use of Results
Institutional Goal: Plan number 7.1 Strategy: We will endeavor to maintain high quality of service to students through selective employment and continuing support of college personnel. Action Plan Objective: Recruit personnel to fill vacancies that presently exist that will develop in the near future.	Personnel will be adequate to assure that the strategy is achieved. Focus this year: - Hire a permanent President - Hire a new computer instructor - Hire an hourly-paid maintenance/grounds keeper	Personnel needs will be monitored and evaluated (ongoing) to assure that the strategy is achieved. File new contracts.	 A permanent President was hired. A new computer instructor was not hired. An hourly-paid maintenance/grounds keeper was hired. In addition, a new Academic Dean was hired to replace our retiring Dean. (Our retiring Dean will still teach Bible courses.) 	For next year, hire an additional online Bible instructor.

2015-2016 PLAN NUMBER 7.2 – COLLEGE PERSONNEL

Program Objectives & Institutional Goals	Intended Outcomes	Assessment Procedures	Assessment Results	Use of Results
Institutional Goal: Plan number 7.2 Strategy: We will endeavor to maintain high quality of service to	The current compensation package for employees will be evaluated.	1. Evaluate/determine feasibility of salary increases by the President.	1. and 2. No changes to employee compensation packages/salaries were made due to lack of funds.	1 and 2. Continue to evaluate.
students through selective employment and continuing support of college personnel. Action Plan Objective: Improve personnel compensation.	2. Salary/cost-of-living increases will be provided is financially feasible (to be determined after fall registration is complete).	2. The President will approve based on budget constraints.		

2015-2016 PLAN NUMBER 7.3 – COLLEGE PERSONNEL

Program Objectives & Institutional Goals	Intended Outcomes	Assessment Procedures	Assessment Results	Use of Results
Institutional Goal: Plan number 7.3 Strategy: We will endeavor to maintain high quality of service to students through selective employment and continuing support of college personnel. Action Plan Objective:	1. Make provisions for professional development (i.e. workshops, conferences, etc.), figuring the cost of these expenses into the planning budget.	1. Keep records of all expenses related to professional development activities. Administration will receive presentations on information gained through the workshops/conferences (determining if continued attendance at them is of value).	1. The Director of IE attended the ABHE conference (\$1500).	1. Continue to make provisions.
Strengthen efforts in personnel development.	2. Dues for memberships in professional organizations will be paid.	2. File receipts of paid memberships and expenses to meetings. Administration will receive updates from staff on the value/knowledge gained (determining if continued membership is of value).	2. The librarian's membership to ACL was paid (\$45).	2. Continue to pay dues.
	3. Assistance with tuition and time off for personnel pursuing advanced degrees and/or training will be given.	3. File receipts of all costs paid for personnel by the college. File transcript updates in faculty files.	3. None was needed this year.	3. Continue to assist when needed.

2015-2016 PLAN NUMBER 8.1 – STUDENT SERVICES

Program Objectives & Institutional Goals	Intended Outcomes	Assessment Procedures	Assessment Results	Use of Results
Institutional Goal: Plan number 8.1 Strategy: We will endeavor to provide a	1. Orientation will be evaluated, with feedback from students.	Evaluate through a formal Orientation survey.	1. Orientation (both on campus course and online course) was evaluated through student course evaluations.	1. Continue to evaluate, making improvements when needed.
positive educational experience for students through ongoing attention to student services. Action Plan Objectives: Improve new student orientation.	2. A "New Student Welcome Event" will be planned.	2. Hold an event (planned by Student Activities Committee and/or Dean of Students) during the Orientation oncampus time slot. File receipts of money spent. Gain feedback from participants.	2. This was not done.	2. Carry this intended outcome over to complete next year.

2015-2016 PLAN NUMBER 8.2 – STUDENT SERVICES

Program Objectives & Institutional Goals	Intended Outcomes	Assessment Procedures	Assessment Results	Use of Results
Institutional Goal: Plan number 8.2	Good standing in Federal Title IV program will be maintained.	1. All necessary eligibility requirements of Title IV will be submitted to the U.S.	Good standing was maintained.	Continue to maintain good standing.
Strategy: We will endeavor to provide a positive educational experience for students through ongoing attention to student services.		Dept. of Education. Eligibility to participate in Federal Title IV program is either certified of declined by the U.S. Dept. of Education.		
Action Plan Objectives: Develop sources of financial aid.	2. Individuals and churches who will underwrite scholarships will be sought. For this year: a scholarship will be underwritten through Big Creek Baptist Church.	2. Contact individuals and churches by mail or through personal contact at associational meetings. Maintain records/receipts or scholarship donations. The President's Office will send scholarship status reports in December.	2. A Big Creek scholarship was underwritten.	2. For next year, pursue receiving the MTAG grant.

2015-2016 PLAN NUMBER 8.3 – STUDENT SERVICES

Program Objectives & Institutional Goals	Intended Outcomes	Assessment Procedures	Assessment Results	Use of Results
Institutional Goal: Plan number 8.3 Strategy: We will endeavor to provide a positive educational	1. Annual Spring festival of food and games will be held. For this year: host a Fall festival as well.	1. Receipts will be kept on file, and lists of all attendees will be kept as well. Feedback from recruiter/any involved as to their success.	1. Spring was held, but not Fall.	Carry over to next year.
experience for students through ongoing attention to student services. Action Plan Objectives: Intensify efforts to provide a positive educational experience for students through ongoing attention to student services.	2. A "New Student Welcome Event" will be held.	2. Hold an event (planned by Student Activities Committee and/or Dean of Students) during the Orientation oncampus time slot. File receipts of money spent. Gain feedback from participants.	2. This was not done.	2. Carry over to next year.

2015-2016 PLAN NUMBER 8.4 – STUDENT SERVICES

Program Objectives & Institutional Goals	Intended Outcomes	Assessment Procedures	Assessment Results	Use of Results
Institutional Goal: Plan number 8.4 Strategy: We will endeavor to provide a positive educational experience for students through ongoing attention to student services. Action Plan Objectives: Enhance the quality of dormitory life by modernizing and improving the facilities.	A new air-conditioning system will be installed in the R.A's apartment in the girl's dorm.	Administration will coordinate hired personnel, overseeing completion of projects; file receipts of any purchases. Gain feedback from staff/constituents.	This was not done due to: it was decided (due to need and due to finances) that the girls' dorm would be closed indefinitely.	For next year: -put 3 new A/C units in the upstairs dorm apartments -update the front of Hilbun Hall.