

Discussion Questions:

1. What are the main reasons students don't complete college? What factors get in the way of student success?
2. How do we measure the success of a program? For example do we measure the success of a developmental writing course by how well students do at the next level and/or by the numbers of students retained to the next level?
3. Is Basic Writing an endangered species? Is the nationwide migration of developmental courses to the community colleges a first step in eliminating those courses?