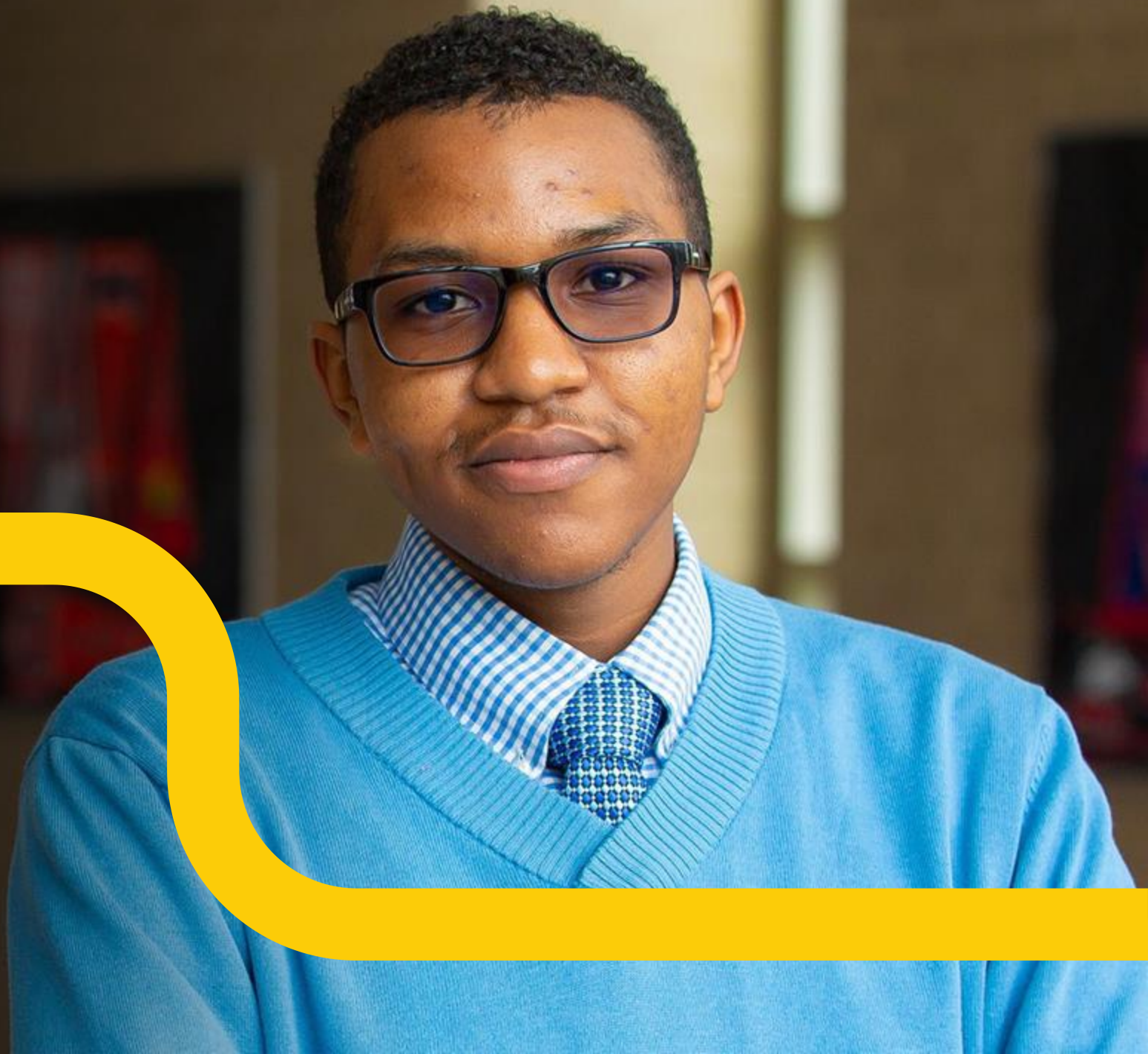


Chicago Roadmap



How a Citywide Pilot
Program is Enhancing
Post-Secondary Success
for Chicago's Youth

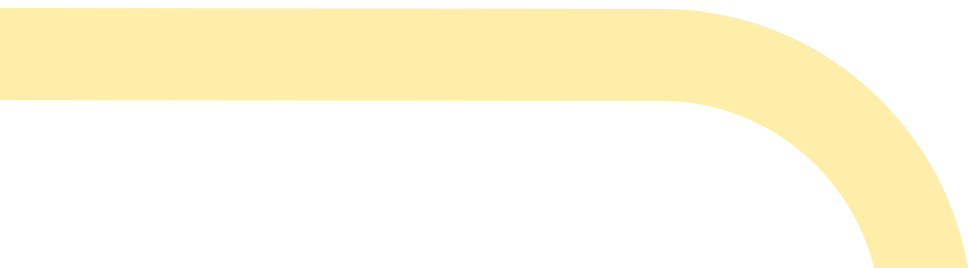


Meet your speakers

- Amanda Wojan, MPH
- *Director, Chicago Roadmap Special Projects*
- Dani Smith, MA
- *Manager, Accessibility Support*



Session Objectives

- Obtain a high-level understanding of what the Chicago Roadmap pilot program is.
 - Understand successes we've achieved so far and pivots we've made to get there.
 - Get a glimpse of our vision for the future of Roadmap – what does sustainability look like for us?
 - Envision what a program of this nature could look like on your campus
 - Ask us your questions!
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Establishing the Need



Challenging the Status Quo



Nearly 7 in 10
CPS freshmen say they hope to earn a bachelor's degree.



Two-thirds
of students require remedial courses in English, math or both once they arrive at CCC.



Nearly 50%
of CPS graduates who go on to CCC do not return for their second year.



Only 19% of CPS Freshman
continue their studies to earn a bachelor's degree within a decade of high school graduation.

Year-long Deep Dive to Identify 8 Assets & 12 Challenges



8 Assets
High School
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Early College Coursework
Transition Zone (12 th grade- 1 st year postsecondary)
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Transitional Math holds promise • STAR Scholarship • Four-year innovative models for transition programming
Cross-cutting
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Work-based learning gaining momentum • Structures to support underserved students for increasing access serving as foundation
Partnership
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CPS-CCC Executives • Strong partnership examples between some CPS schools & CCC campuses

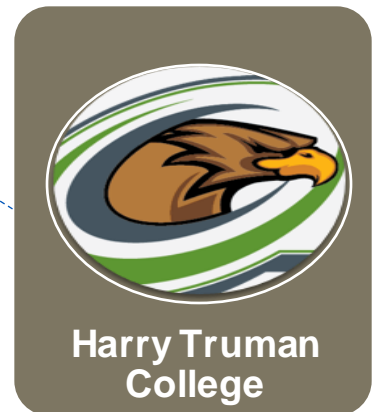
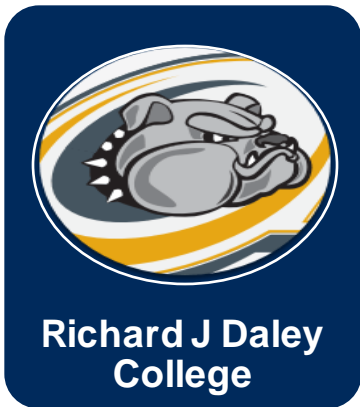
12 Challenges
High School
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Not enough students graduate HS ready for college-level coursework • Not enough students taking college-level coursework in HS • Not enough career exploration before graduation • Students on margin get less opportunities
Transition Zone (12 th grade- 1 st year postsecondary)
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CCC enrollment process is confusing • At CCC, academic interventions inconsistent • Unclear transfer pathways
Cross-cutting
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Students struggle to finance 4-year college pathway • More support for social & emotional competencies • Nonprofits fill gaps but not for those with most need
Partnership
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CPS, CCC & Nonprofits don't have access to same key information about students to effectively guide them through transition



Challenges & Setbacks

- CPS is the third largest school district in the country!
 - 250 High Schools
 - 3 High School Managers, 18 Navigators, 1 Disability Manager
 - Partnership with 2 LARGE bureaucracies
- CCC has 7 unique colleges, each with their own form of governance
- Roadmap falls under "District"
 - Stigma against DO





Roadmap Review



Driving Success for All Students



The Roadmap is focused on three **systems-wide outcomes that drive success for all students**, particularly those most marginalized by how our education systems have worked historically. The Chicago Roadmap is our comprehensive plan for ensuring employment and economic mobility for Chicago's students.



- **Postsecondary Enrollment:** Measured by the percentage of students who enroll directly in a certificate, two-year or four-year program after high school.
- **Postsecondary Completion:** Measured by the percentage of students who complete their postsecondary education, thereby earning a postsecondary credential (certificate, two-year or four-year degree).
- **Employment and Economic Mobility:** Measured by the number of students completing successful job training and placement in Chicago's workforce to create economic mobility and inclusion in our economy.

Main Priorities

»» Academic Readiness & Success

- + Our Goal: Ensure our students receive high-quality, well-aligned instructional practice across CPS and CCC.

»» Access to High-Quality Programs

- + Our Goal: Work with students to get ahead and earn early college credits while in high school.

»» Student Advising and Supports

- + Our Goal: Support students' ability to earn a post-secondary credential within a reasonable time and cost, while providing them with other resources to ensure they graduate from CCC.

»» Career Exploration & Preparedness

- + Our Goal: Encourage students to explore college and career trends earlier and with a path or goal in mind.

»» Strong Partnership Between CPS & CCC

- + Our Goal: Increase alignment between CPS and CCC for a sustained, successful partnership, which will improve the college and career success rates of our shared students.

Domain 1: Academic Readiness & Success

Game-changer for Equity Strategies:

- Expand opportunities for students to graduate high school ready for college and to succeed in their chosen pathway
- Convene CPS and CCC faculty to build a shared understanding and collaborate around instructional practice



"[After completing the Purpose Pathway workshop, I felt] accomplished, worthy, prepared". Spring 2023 pilot program completer

Signature Programs:

Transitional English and math curriculum development and continuous improvement are supported through work facilitated by the Chicago Roadmap partnership.

Purpose Pathway 101 is a workshop series that builds on CPS college/career competency curriculum and is designed to guide students through exploration of their purpose, values, vision, and passion toward future life and career goals.

Domain 2/4: Access to High-Quality Programs & Career Exploration, Experience and Preparedness

Game-changer for Equity Strategy:

- Implement strategic, dual-credit pathways aligned to credentials with strong labor market value
- Re-envision career and post-secondary exploration
- Strategically increase the supply of high-quality work-based learning across Chicago that includes Career and Technical education



Signature Programs

Model Pathways offer CPS students the opportunity to earn Early College credit through a predetermined sequence in 1 of 4 disciplines: Advanced Manufacturing, Construction, IT, Healthcare.

Career Launch Chicago offers work-based learning opportunities that connect Model Pathway students to college pathways and careers in high demand industries through high quality youth apprenticeships.

Career Spotlight Days offer middle- and high school students early exposure, career exploration, and hands-on engagement with dozens of certificate and associate degree programs at CCC.

Domain 3: Student Advising and Support

Game-changer for Equity Strategies

- Connect diverse learners to disability supports at CCC
- Expand and enhance academic advising and wraparound supports at CCC
- Streamline the student enrollment experience at CCC



Signature Programs

Postsecondary navigator in school support is offered at 84+ district, options, and charter high schools to guide CCC-bound CPS seniors through college enrollment steps.

Supports for Diverse Learners

Enrollment Day events connect CPS graduating seniors with registration support before they begin their fall semester.

Summer bridge programming reduces summer melt and get students acclimated to college in a lower pressure environment.

Options for the future scholarship covers tuition and fees for CPS options HS grads who come to CCC.

Domain 5: Transparency, Alignment & Collaboration

Game-changer for Equity Strategy

- Build sustainable, long-term infrastructure for CPS-CCC collaboration



CPSCollege&Career @CPSCareerReady · Apr 13

Excited to hear from our @GoodeSTEM students on their #ChicagoRoadmap experiences! Thank you @jfftweets for bringing the Congressional Staff Network visit to @DaleyCollege! @ChiPubSchools @ChiFirstFund

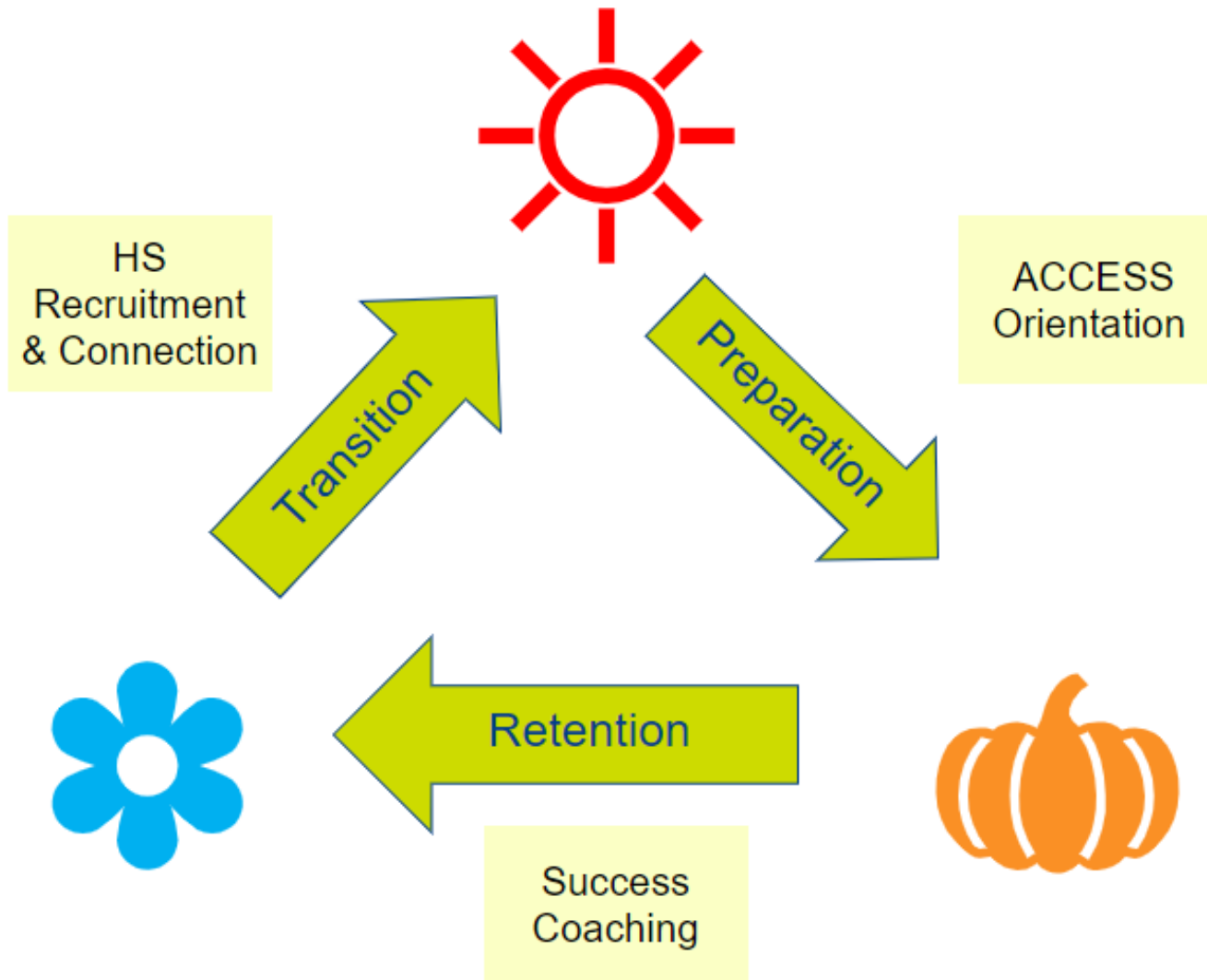


- Spread the word!
- Gather the right data
- Create agreements, MOUs that keep the partnership alive for years to come

PIVOT!



Supports for Students with Disabilities



TRANSITION 3950
A 1 credit hour Dual Enrollment course for students with Intellectual Disabilities

Do you have a Transition Cluster program with students who would like to work on soft skills?

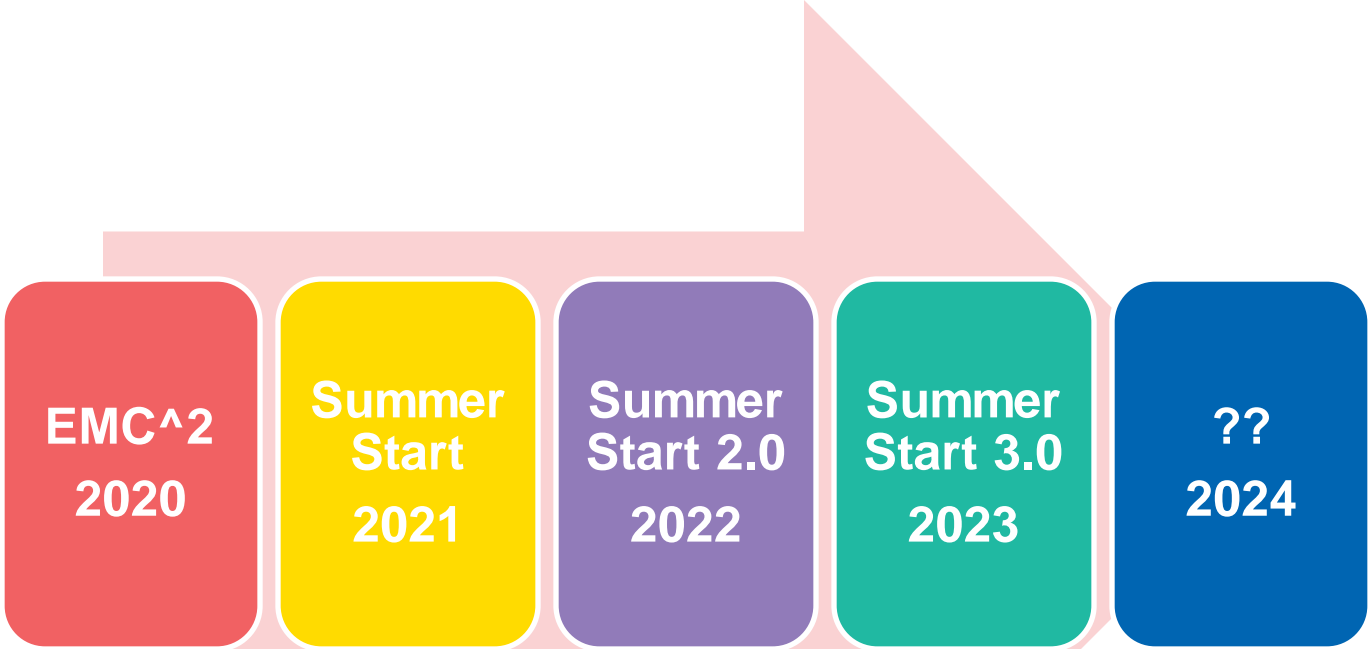
Would your students like to come to one of the 7 City College Campuses to earn college credit?

Then Transition 3950 may be perfect for you!

Fill out [THIS FORM](#) to share your interest, and someone will reach out to you ASAP!

[AFTER 22](#)

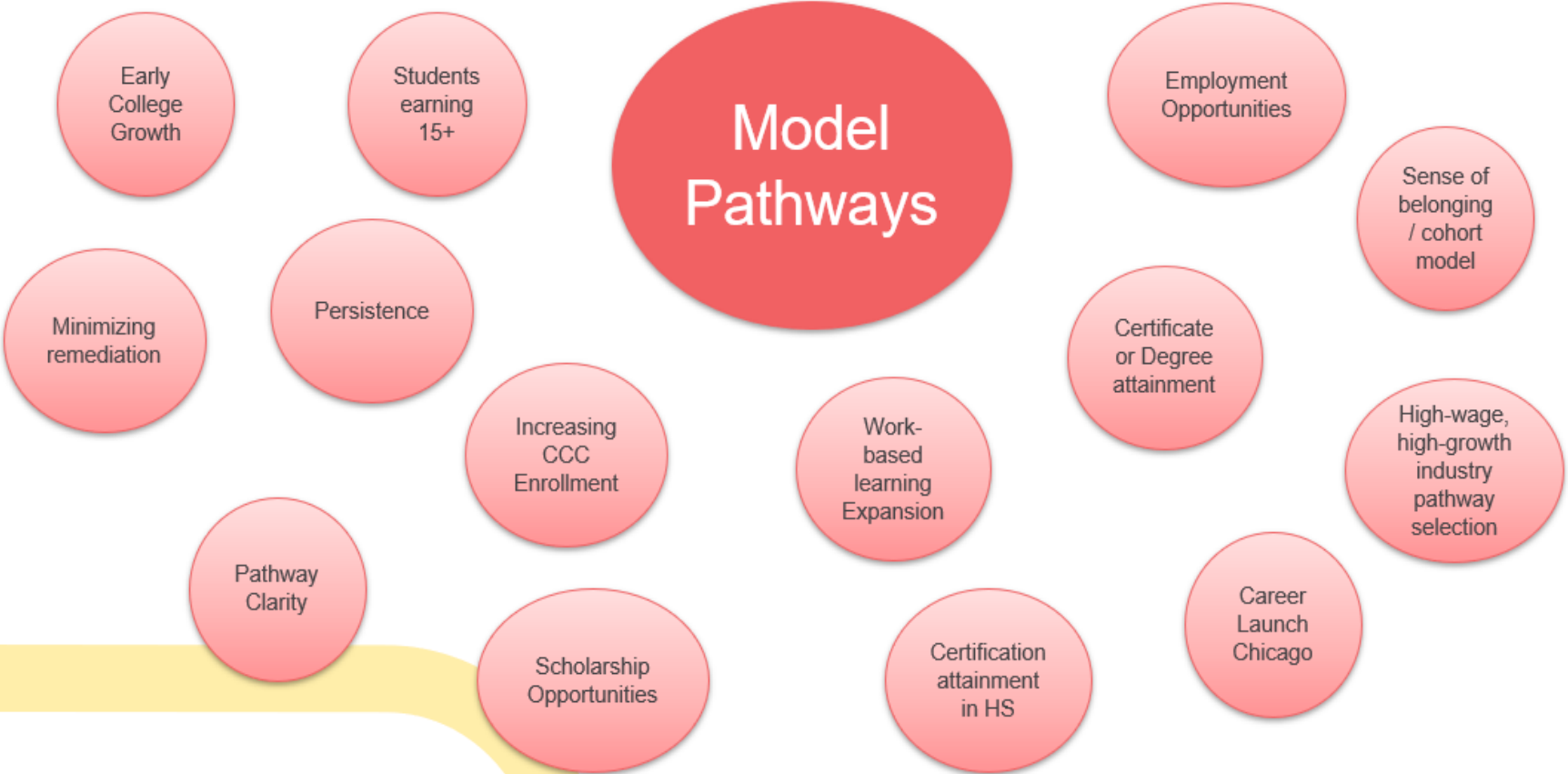
Summer Transition Support for New College Students



Getting students acclimated to college	
Instilling confidence in ability to complete college	
Instilling math-specific confidence	
Instilling English-specific confidence	
Acclimating students to wraparound supports at CCC	

Vision For the Future

Roadmap 2.0 The Nucleus: Model Pathways

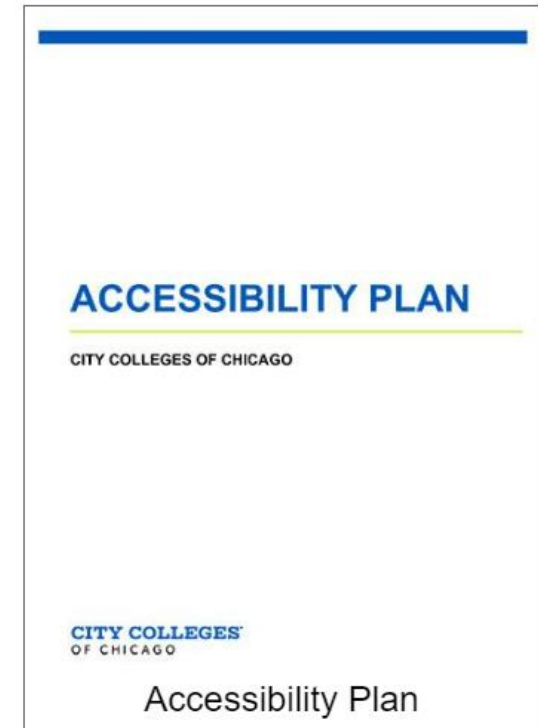


- Institutionalizing Roadmap signature programs
- Continuing to invest in partnerships, data-centered decisions, & institutional buy-in

Vision For the Future

To achieve our goal of disability equity, City Colleges convened a committee in June 2021 to create an Accessibility Plan. The committee consists of five subcommittees to address accessibility in the following areas:

- Culture
- Technology
- Infrastructure
- Curriculum
- Policy



Group Activity



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Thank You! >

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Appendix

SY2024 Implementation Objectives by Domain

Domain	Objective(s)
1 Academic Readiness & Success	Scale impact of transitional learning through increased school offerings and student pass rates.
2,4 Access to High Quality Programs & Career Exploration, Experience, and Readiness	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Provide comprehensive career exploration and experience opportunities in high-demand industries, in alignment with College and Career Pathway Framework professional learning opportunities. • Scale implementation and strategic alignment of model pathway offerings in Construction, IT, Healthcare, and Advanced Manufacturing. • Expand early college access with focus on priority groups, to connect students to degree pathway options with wraparound support.
3 Student Advising & Supports	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Enhance Postsecondary support and resources at district, Options, and charter schools by identifying and solving key enrollment challenges, and implementing relevant college and career programming for students. • In support of diverse learners, develop and implement communication streams throughout CPS and increase transitional support to and through CCC. • Enhance CPS-CCC transitional support programs and processes through improved collaboration between CPS and CCC postsecondary stakeholders and improved implementation and scaling of placement testing, scholarships, summer programming, Purpose Pathway and Enrollment Days.
5 Transparency, Alignment, and Collaboration	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ensure timely data production for KPIs and identify strengths & weaknesses • Produce key stakeholder-facing materials to ensure awareness, accountability and momentum.

Read our latest [Roadmap Impact Report!](#)

What questions do you have for us?

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