learning effectiveness program

Stop, Collaborate and Listen!

As students transition from home to university, it is important for families to have open communication about expectations and a plan in place for how they will share information with one another.

Use the following prompts to help get your discussion started:

Use of LEP Services

The LEP is a student driven program, so you need to choose to go to your Academic Counseling meetings, schedule tutoring, or use the other supports available.

- What LEP supports do you expect to use? What does your family expect?
- If you miss your academic counseling meeting, how will you communicate this with your family?
- How will you share your usage of tutoring with your family?

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Grades & Academic Standing

- How do your expectations regarding grades compare with the expectations of your family?
- How will you plan to keep your family informed of your grades and academic standing?

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General Communication: How will you stay in touch?

How many times a week would you like to communicate?

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In what ways would you like to communicate?

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How will you let your family know if your communication is too much or too little? How can they let you know?

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If you become very stressed, what do you want your family to do?

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If your family is concerned and cannot reach you, they may take a variety of actions:

- Continue calling and texting until you respond
- Contact SOS so a campus specialist can reach out
- Reach out to one of your friends

How do you feel about these options?

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What other communication expectations do you need to establish?