

Final Report, Fall 2008

The following report includes a summary of SLA activities from the Fall 2008 semester. The Fall 2008 Pass-Fail report and the Fall 2008 Student Satisfaction Survey results are attached.

Program Statistics

- SLA was offered with 20 courses in 56 sections.
- There were 24 facilitators, half of which were first-time facilitators.
- Likewise, 26 faculty participated in SLA, only 4 of which were new.
- SLA served 1,317 students.

New Courses and Initiatives

- There were no new courses offered with SLA this semester...
- Two sections of SLA were run again this fall with enrollment limited to education majors only. The SLAs for these sections, MATH 110 and ENGL 150, were tailored to offer test preparation for the Michigan Test of Basic Skills (MTBS) in addition to traditional workshop activities.
 - o Although the pass rates for the MTBS are not yet available, the pass rates in the sections were good. Of those that completed, 80% of ENGL 150 students and 93% of MATH 110 students passed with a C- or higher. One student withdrew from ENGL 150 and four withdrew from MATH 110.
 - o Dean Michelle Johnston provided partial funding for these sections through the King-Parks-Chavez grant.