

Final Report, Spring 2010

The following report includes a summary of SLA activities from the spring 2010 semester. The spring 2010 Pass-Fail report and the spring 2010 Student Satisfaction Survey results are attached.

Program Statistics

- SLA was offered with 36 sections of 19 courses.
- SLA workshops were attached to more sections in Spring 09, but more courses were offered in Spring 10.
- SLA served 841 students in Spring 10 which was 168 less than students served in spring 09.

New Courses and Initiatives

- There were 2 new courses offered with SLA this semester. They were BIOL 122 and NURS 351.
- Due to limited funding and the fact that the pass rate in NURS is very high, NURS will no longer have SLA attached .
- There were two new faculty members participating in SLA for Spring 2010 and one new facilitator.
- ECON 221 will be a new addition to SLA in fall 10.

Outcomes for Spring 10

- BIOL 122 was a new addition in Spring 10, and the SLA section had a 100% pass rate which was 12% higher than the non-SLA sections.
- CHEM 103 had an 83% pass rate and this was 16% higher than the SLA pass rate in spring 09. The instructor was the same in both semesters but a different facilitator began in fall 09 and continued through Spring 10.
- MATH 010 had an 85% pass rate in SLA and this was 23% higher than the SLA sections in spring 09. Different instructors could account for the higher pass rate in Spring 10.

Student satisfaction indicators for those who attended the SLA workshops;

- 80% were glad that they took an SLA section.
- 90% said they would recommend SLA to others.
- 75% reported a positive effect on their grade (1/2-1 letter grade improvement).