# GP/AS Instructional Practices Work Team Recommendations: UPDATE

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### Recommendation 1: A Student Ready Pilot Program

The pilot program will support co-requisite support sections of transfer-level English and Math

#### **Student Ready Pilot Program Components:**

- 1. Professional development
- 2. Faculty commitments re: strategies for student engagement and culturally responsive instruction
- 3. Textbook adoption
- 4. Integration with academic support
- 5. Integration with Counseling

# Recommendation 2: A Campus-Wide Professional Development Program

#### **Professional Development Program Components**

- 1. Centralized Location: Physical and Virtual
- 2. Professional Development Team
- 3. Professional Development Activities
  - a. Peer-to-Peer Faculty Mentorship Program
  - b. Canvas Site for instructional resources
  - c. Outreach, coordination, reporting
  - d. Seeking grants and other funding sources

# Recommendation 3: Instructional Excellence Academic Senate Subcommittee

- Making PD recommendations to PD Program leads and Flex Committee
- Developing best practices for equitable and culturally responsive instruction
- Addressing GP Essential Practices
- Discussing best practices for meeting instructional needs of iGen students
- Sharing successful grants, innovative instruction, and positive outcomes
- Promoting programs, courses, and innovative teaching practices (in coordination with Marketing Committee)
- Making recommendations for gathering PD data, including data on Flex activities

### Revised Timeline...

Fall 2020: Finalize recommendations and seek formal approvals

Fall 2020: Develop components of each recommendation

**Spring 2021:** Launch recommendations