#### 2016-2017 CUE FUNDING REPORT TEMPLATE

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*Note*: The purposes of this report are to specify institutional priorities for CUE funding, document CUE-funded activities, and report on progress towards goals and challenges related to CUE-funded activities. This report is not intended to provide a comprehensive account of undergraduate priorities, high impact practices or progress toward particular institutional goals, other than those established specifically for CUE-funded activities.

COLLEGE: York College

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**ENROLLMENT DATA** (source: OIRA 2016-2017 Preliminary PMP)

	Fall 2014	Fall 2015	Fall 2016
Undergraduate enrollment (headcount)	8,438	8,446	8,258
Undergraduate enrollment (FTE)	5,961	5,988	5,807

### PERSISTENCE/BASIC SKILLS DATA (source: OIRA 2016-2017 Preliminary PMP)

	Entering Class	Entering Class	Entering Class
	of Fall 2013	of Fall 2014	of Fall 2015
One-year retention rate (baccalaureate programs)	76.7%	73.6%	73.1%

### **GRADUATION DATA** (source: OIRA 2016-2017 Preliminary PMP)

	Entering Class	Entering Class	Entering Class
	of Fall 2008	of Fall 2009	of Fall 2010
Six-year graduation rate (baccalaureate programs, institution rate)	29.0%	26.7%	30.3%

#### I. CUE BUDGET REPORT

Please fill out and submit the attached Excel spreadsheet and enter summary data from the spreadsheet for each area below. Note that we are requesting totals for Non-CUE funds that were allocated in each area here and not in the budget spreadsheet.

# **TOTAL 2016-2017 CUE ALLOCATION: <u>\$375,067</u>** (source: OAA)

	CUE Allocation			Non-CUE funds Allocated		
Goal #1 Summary	PS	OTPS	Total	PS	OTPS	Total
Instruction (direct instruction only)	\$ 114,375	\$ -	\$ 114,375	\$ 42,000 Immersion Expansion	\$	\$
Tutoring (actual tutoring only)	\$ 18,522	\$ -	\$ 18,522	\$ -	\$ -	\$ - \$
Training/Development/Support	39,514	7,100	46,614	-	-	-
Goal #1 Total	\$ 172,411	\$7,100	\$ 179,511	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -

<sup>\*\*</sup> Please include totals for funds other than CUE that were allocated to support these initiatives

	CUE Allocation			Non-CUE funds Allocated**		
Goal #2 Summary		OTPS	Total	PS	OTPS	Total
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	
First-Year Initiatives	6,879	-	6,879	-	-	\$ -
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	
Student Success Initiatives	-	-	-	-	-	\$ -
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	
Goal #2 Total	6,879	-	6,879	-	_	\$ -

<sup>\*\*</sup> Please include funds other than CUE that were allocated to support these initiatives

	CUE Allocation			Non-CUE funds Allocated**		
Goal #3 Summary	PS	OTPS	Total	PS	OTPS	Total
Academic Support Services and	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Initiatives	84,034	3,314	87,348	-	-	-
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Tutoring & Supplemental Instruction	142,061	-	142,061	-	-	-
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Goal #3 Total	226,095	3,314	229,409	-	-	-

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### II. Report on Outcomes for 2016-2017 CUE FUNDING GOALS

The annual goals and evidence you submitted are listed in the columns. Please briefly report on the outcomes of each goal and if it was met-- based on the evidence you proposed in your goal submission document-- in the column on the right. (Please refer to your goal submission document to review the evidence you cited)

**OAA PRIORITY AREA I**: Immersion and summer bridge programs with the broad goals of improving college readiness and accelerating progress through remediation and into credit-bearing gateway courses. Community and comprehensive colleges should include a goal related to your plans and commitment to providing opportunities for students who intend to pursue a non-algebra intensive major that is aligned with the students' intended path of study.

Institutional Mission Program Goal	Key Activities/ Goals	Measurables/Evidence	Outcomes/ Use of Results
2015-16 PMP Goals and Metrics, York	Enable students' early successful	Immersion Program	
College	completion of entry exams through	Number of unduplicated students in pre-	241 unduplicated students in pre-summer
<u>University Goal 3</u> Ensure that students	Immersion and SEEK summer programs	summer immersion offerings compared to	immersion offerings
make timely progress toward degree		2015. Goal: 214 students or higher	
completion		_	
		Exam pass rates for pre-summer	For pre-summer:
		immersion students	Math pass rate = 80 percent or higher
		Goal: Establish baseline	Writing = 70 percent or higher
		Pass rate for students taking CEAFE math	88.2 percent CEAFE pass rate in summer
		workshops in summer immersion 2016.	2016
		Goal: 80 percent or higher	
		CWAT Pass rates for ESL and non-ESL	Outcome not achieved:
		students taking summer immersion	57 percent pass rate (increased numbers
		workshops Goal: 65% pass rate, 5% higher	of lower level ESL students enrolled). We
		than summer 2015	will consider providing more support for
			ESL/ELL students.
		SEEK Summer Program	By the end of the summer program,
		CWAT Pass Rates Goal: 95%	98.7% of the students passed the reading
			and writing portion of the exam,
			compared to 99% of the 2015 cohort.
		CAEFE 90% of the students who need to	Outcome not achieved. Only 83.4% of the
		pass the workshop and CEAFE will	2016 cohort passed the CAEFE and math
		successfully do so by the end of the 2017	exam, a 11.1% decline from 2015 94.%
		pre-freshman summer program.	passing rate. However, due to the
			additional support for math proficient
			students, we are able to create a baseline

			study for student success in Math courses: 104, 111, 115.
2015-16 PMP Goals and Metrics, York College University Goal 3 Ensure that students make timely progress toward degree completion	Increase student success in key gateway courses through Striving for Excellence (SEP) Immersion programs and SEEK summer reading and writing workshops	Immersion Program Expanded number of Striving for Excellence (SEP) summer workshops across multiple disciplines.	7 SEP Workshops in Summer 15 13 SEP workshops in Summer 16
		Number of SEP students achieving C or better in matching gateway courses vs. students with similar entry exam scores not taking SEP.	Grade of C or better for combined Chem, Bio, and Physics: SEP = 54.9 percent Non-SEP = 33.7 percent
		SEEK Summer Program  Number of SEEK students passing SEEK summer reading and writing workshops with a B or higher	We are no longer reporting on this measure as it doesn't capture how well workshops prepare students for the CATW and for ENG 125/126. Instead, we SEEK CATW pass rates (see above) and the number of SEEK students passing ENG 125 and 126 with a C or better (see below) will be used to assess workshop success.
		Number of SEEK students passing ENG 125 and 126 with a C or better.	SEEK will use a cohort analysis to determine the effectiveness of summer reading and writing workshops and of including "Pre- English" component in the summer program. Baseline data collected in 2016-17 reflects a cohort pass rate in ENG (125/126) at 62.5% and 71.8% respectively.

<u>OAA PRIORITY AREA II</u>: First-year and student success initiatives including programs for new transfer students, with the broad goal of improving first-to-second year retention rates for both native and transfer students.

Institutional Mission Program Goal	Key Activities/ Goals	Measurables/Evidence	Outcomes/ Use of Results
2015-16 PMP Goals and Metrics, York	Strengthen mentoring for first-year	Survey data from SD110 teaching staff,	Goal met. Of 235 students who took
College	students through Undergraduate Fellows	Undergraduate Fellows, and students in	SD110, 168 students completed the
University Goal 5, Improve Student	Program in SD110	SD110	survey. 78% reported that they had
Satisfaction with Academic Support and			gotten helpful information from the
Student Support Services			Fellows and 73% that they felt

Specific Strategy			comfortable talking to Fellows about their
Expand the Undergraduate Fellow			academic and personal experiences.
Program (student mentoring)			According to faculty evaluations, 83% of
			Fellows frequently or very frequently demonstrated competency in all areas
			evaluated; however, 17% rarely showed
			initiative and self-motivation.
			77% of students surveyed reported that
			SD110 was helpful for their adjustment to
			college and 80% that they learned skill sets useful for being in college. One
			Undergraduate Fellow presented her
			experience of mentoring SD110 students
			at the 2017 CUE Conference along with
			faculty and CUE administrators.
		Curricular progress toward making SD110	We revised the SD110 syllabus, modeled
		required for all students	after best practices in first-year seminar
			courses. However, the proposal to the
			College Curriculum Committee, (a change from 2 credit to 3 credit course, first step
			towards to the plan of requiring the
			course of all students) was narrowly
			rejected. The proposal will be revised and
			resubmitted to the Curriculum Committee
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2015-16 PMP Goals and Metrics, York College	Strengthen students' engagement in common reader program through	Number of ENG 126 adjunct faculty attending English Department workshops	26 adjunct faculty (both ENG 125 and ENG 126) attended F16 workshops; 5 faculty
University Goal 3 Ensure that students	curricular use of the book in English 126,	in Fall 2016 to prepare to incorporate	teaching ENG 126 in Spring incorporated
make timely progress toward degree	Writing Through Literature and art	common reader into curriculum for Spring	the text. To increase participation, we will
completion	contest	sections of ENG 126.	engage adjunct first-year composition
Measure 3, Increase 1-yr. retention rate			instructors in actively developing ideas for
to 75.1%;			the 2017-2018 common reader program.
		Number of sections of ENG 126	10 sections of ENG 126 incorporated the
		incorporating common reader in Spring	reader in S17 (approx. 250 students)
		2017	8 sections of SD 110 incorporated the

	book in F16 and S17 (approx. 240 students)
Number of students submitting artwork to contest.	Only 2 students submitted artwork for the Like Water for Chocolate art contest, though contest was well advertised. Better results were obtained for a Mexican fiesta event (40 students) and a movie screening event (21 students). We will foster more direct faculty encouragement of students next year to increase co-curricular participation
1-year retention rate	Fall 2014 baseline retention rate for first-time full-time freshmen was 73.6 percent The new common reader program was was instituted in 2015-2016. In Fall 2015, retention rate dropped 0.5%, from 73.6% to 73.1%. Retention data will be examined more closely to see if students' participation in common reader program is having positive retention impact.

**OAA PRIORITY AREA III**: Academic support services, with the broad goal of enhancing the impact of academic support services on student success in targeted areas.

Institutional Mission Program Goal	Key Activities/ Goals	Measurables/Evidence	Outcomes/ Use of Results
York College Strategic Plan, 2010-2020	Increase number of students receiving	Number of students tutored in Writing	Writing Center session count 3,177, a
Goal 2 Integrate student support services	tutoring in Academic Achievement Center	Center (head count and session count)	surprising drop from 5,477 in AY 2015-16.
throughout all stages of student life to	and Writing Center.		We will investigate data to ascertain
ensure student success at York			causes.
College/CUNY			
		Number of students tutored in Academic	Academic Achievement Center session
2015-16 PMP Goals and Metrics, York		Achievement Center	count 4,004.
College		(head count and session count)	
University Goal 5, Improve Student	Provide quality tutoring that meets		Unique headcount of individuals
Satisfaction with Academic Support and	student needs		registered for both Writing Center and
Student Support Services			Academic Achievement Center together:

		Establish a baseline of student satisfaction	1,329.  According to student satisfaction surveys,
		with Writing Center and Academic Achievement Center tutoring services through data collection in Spring 2017	approximately 75% of students were very satisfied. 37% were satisfied. 11% were unsatisfied (requested more hours and more tutors). Unfortunately, available hours and tutors are limited by budget.
York College Strategic Plan, 2010-2020 Goal 2 Integrate student support services throughout all stages of student life to ensure student success at York College/CUNY	Enhance advisement in the Academic Advisement Center through College Assistant advising support staff to individualize advisement services.	Number of College- Assistant supported advising workshops  Number of students assisted by support staff.	2 College- Assistants supported 36 advising workshops, through Fall 2017.  A total of 550 students assisted by CA support staff in Fall 2017.
2015-16 PMP Goals and Metrics, York College University Goal 5, Improve Student Satisfaction with Academic Support and Student Support Services			(CUE budget supplies only half of funds for Academic Advisement Center CA needs.)
2015-16 PMP Goals and Metrics, York College University Goal 3 Ensure that students make timely progress toward degree completion			

### **III.** CUE Goals for 2017-2018

Provide a brief narrative overview of your priorities and intended outcomes for 2017-2018 CUE funding and fill out the three charts below with your proposed goals and proposed evidence for 2017-2018. Please consider this a first draft to be revised as necessary after 2016/17 allocations are made.

## Priority Area 1

In 2016-2017, about 43% of York's CUE budget was allocated to fund Immersion and SEEK Summer Programs. These programs will remain a priority in 2017-2018. In Summer 2017, a new curriculum for the Immersion reading workshops will be implemented. Two exam pass rates we would like to improve are the SEEK CAEFE pass rate and the Immersion CWAT pass rate, which fell in Summer 2016, possibly because greater numbers of lower-level ESL/ELL students took the exams.

In the past few years, the Immersion program has greatly expanded its Striving for Excellence Program (SEP), a bridge-to-college program to enhance student success in gateway courses. Results have been promising: in Fall 2016, the number of students receiving C or better grades in biology, chemistry and physics courses was nearly 23 percentage points higher for SEP students than for non-SEP students. In Summer 2017 we expect to be offering additional SEP mini-courses in College Algebra and College Elementary Trigonometry to better enable students to enter directly into their desired first-year math courses. A new SEP course in anatomy and physiology will also be offered.

### Priority Area 2

Around 2% of our CUE budget goes to CUE Priority Area II. Because so much CUE funding is needed for Priority 1 and Priority 3 areas, York generally uses other funding to support first-year and student success initiatives. In 2017-18, CUE will continue to fund the Undergraduate Fellows program and provide a small amount of funding to encourage first-year faculty to integrate Common Reader text into first-year courses. Another goal for the Common Reader program is to increase student participation in related co-curricular activities.

### Priority Area 3

More than half of York's CUE budget (around 55%) funds academic support initiatives at the College. Goals for 2017-2018 are to continue to integrate our two formerly separate tutoring facilities, the Writing Center and the Academic Achievement Center, which merged recently into a new Collaborative Learning Center to provide a centralized location for student tutoring across disciplines. In 2017-2018, we will focus on marketing the new Center's services. We are expecting new laptop computers (purchased through York's Technology Fee) to enhance tutoring in the Center, and also to enable us to implement an assessment plan drawn up in 2016-2017. We will continue to implement our College Reading and Learning Association (CRLA) certified Level I tutoring training program for tutors, through which 5 Writing Consultants and 5 Subject Area tutors attained certification in 2016-2017.

CUE will also allocate some funding to the Academic Advisement Center to provide College Assistant support for Center activities.

**OAA PRIORITY AREA I**: Immersion and summer bridge programs with the broad goals of improving college readiness and accelerating progress through remediation and into credit-bearing gateway courses.

<b>Institutional Mission</b>	Key Activities/ Goals	Measurables/Evidence	Outcomes/ Use of Results
Program Goal			
2016-17 York College PMP	Enable students' early	Immersion Program	
Goals	successful completion of	Number of unduplicated students in pre-summer	
Concern 1 Maintain a sharp	entry exams through	immersion offerings compared to 2016. Goal: 240	
focus on moving more	Immersion and SEEK	students or higher	
students to graduation	summer programs		
		Exam pass rates for pre-summer immersion students	
2015-16 PMP Goals and		Goal: Exceed Summer 2016 baseline rates by 5%	

Metrics, York College		Baseline:	
University Goal 3 Ensure		Math=80%	
that students make timely		Writing =70%	
progress toward degree			
completion		Pass rate for students taking CEAFE math workshops.	
l l		Goal: 90 percent or higher	
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		CWAT Pass rates for ESL and non-ESL students taking	
		summer immersion workshops Goal: 65% pass rate, 8%	
		higher than summer 2015	
		SEEK Summer Program	
		CWAT Pass Rates Goal: 95% or higher	
		CAEFE Pass Rate Goal: 90%.	
		Establish baseline accuplacer-6 pass rates for students	
		taking a pre-accuplacer 6 workshop vs. control group	
	Increase student success in	Striving for Excellence (SEP) program	
	key gateway courses	Enrollments in biology, chemistry, physics minicourses	
	through Striving for	and new Summer 2017 minicourses: anatomy and	
	Excellence (SEP) immersion	physiology, College Algebra and Elementary	
	programs and SEEK summer	Trigonometry	
	reading/writing and ENG		
	125 workshops	Number of SEP students achieving C or better in	
		matching gateway courses vs. students with similar entry	
		exam scores not taking SEP	
		SEEK Program	
		Number of SEEK students passing ENG 125 and 126 with	
		a C or better.	

**OAA PRIORITY AREA II**: First-year and student success initiatives including programs for new transfer students, with the broad goal of improving first-to-second year retention rates for both native and transfer students

Institutional Mission/ Program Goal	Key Activities/ CUE Goal	Measurables/Evidence	Outcomes/ Use of Results
York College Strategic Plan for	Further improve new student	Faculty's evaluations of	
2010-2020	mentoring by improving	fellows.	
Goal 1 Enhance and expand	relationship between faculty and	Fellows' evaluations of	

opportunities for engaging,	undergraduate fellows: provide	faculty.	
rigorous, and transformative	more structured instructions to	,	
learning experiences	faculty for mentoring fellows to		
5 .	model leadership skills and to		
2016-2017 PMP Goals	foster initiative in working with		
Concern 3 Continue to invest in	students in the SD110 classes.		
the areas of tutoring, mentoring			
and effective advisement.	Continue with the goal of getting	Formative evaluation of the	
	SD110 as a required course for all	approval process.	
2015-16 PMP Goals and Metrics,	first year students.		
York College			
<u>University Goal 5</u> , Improve Student			
Satisfaction with Academic			
Support and Student Support			
Services			
Specific Strategy			
Expand the Undergraduate Fellow			
Program (student mentoring)			
2015-16 PMP Goals and Metrics,			
York College			
University Goal 3 Ensure that			
students make timely progress			
toward degree completion			
Measure 3, Increase 1-yr.			
retention rate to 75%;			
	Increase curricular use of Common	Number of courses and	
	Reader and student participation in	sections in which Common	
	Common Reader activities;	Reader is incorporated	
	Increase adjunct faculty teaching		
	engagement and motivation by	Number of adjunct faculty	
	involving adjuncts in curricular	developing assignments and	
	development for first-year	activities for Common Reader	
	composition courses.		
		Number of students	
		participating in related co-	
		curricular events	

**OAA PRIORITY AREA III**: Academic support services, with the broad goal of enhancing the impact of academic support services on student success in targeted areas.

Institutional Mission/ Program Goal	Key Activities/ CUE Goal	Measurables/Evidence	Outcomes/ Use of Results
York College Strategic Plan, 2010-2020 Goal 2 Integrate student support services throughout all stages of student life to ensure student success at York College/CUNY  2016-17 PMP Goals Goal 2 Increase graduation and retention rates  2015-16 PMP Goals and Metrics, York College University Goal 5, Improve	Collaborative Learning Center (CLC) (Writing Center and Academic Achievement Center merged in Spring 2017) Increase number of students receiving tutoring in CLC.	Number of students tutored in reading and writing (head count and session count)  Number of students tutored in disciplinary courses (head count and session count)  Number of student workshops	
Student Satisfaction with Academic Support and Student Support Services	Provide quality tutoring that meets student needs  Increase student success in courses	offered and number of students in attendance.  Track student satisfaction with CLC tutoring services through data collection of online surveys in Spring 2018  With Office of Institutional	
	through CLC tutoring  Academic Advisement Center Continue to enhance advisement in the Academic Advisement Center through advising support staff to individualize advisement services.	Research, analyze correlations between student tutoring in the CLC and course grades.  Number of College- Assistant supported advising workshops  Number of students assisted by support staff.	

Offer specialized academic workshops for the schools of Business & Information Systems and Health Science and Professional Programs	