

ACADEMIC ADVISING MENTORING PROGRAM

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February 19th 9:30 – 11 am CSS 101 FF

February 20th 3:00 – 4:30 pm CSS 101 FF

LEARNING OUTCOMES

As a result of this session, you will be able to:

- Identify resources for an advising mentoring program.
- Acclimate new advisors to academic advising at the University.
- Create electronic records for students.

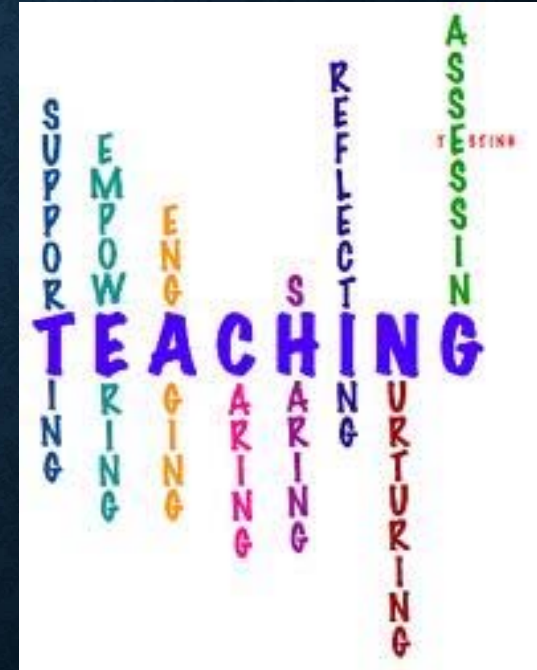


ADVISING IS TEACHING

Teach (teach) 1. Give lessons 2. to bring understanding to someone, especially through an experience 3. to impart knowledge or skill



inspire
teach
CHANGE



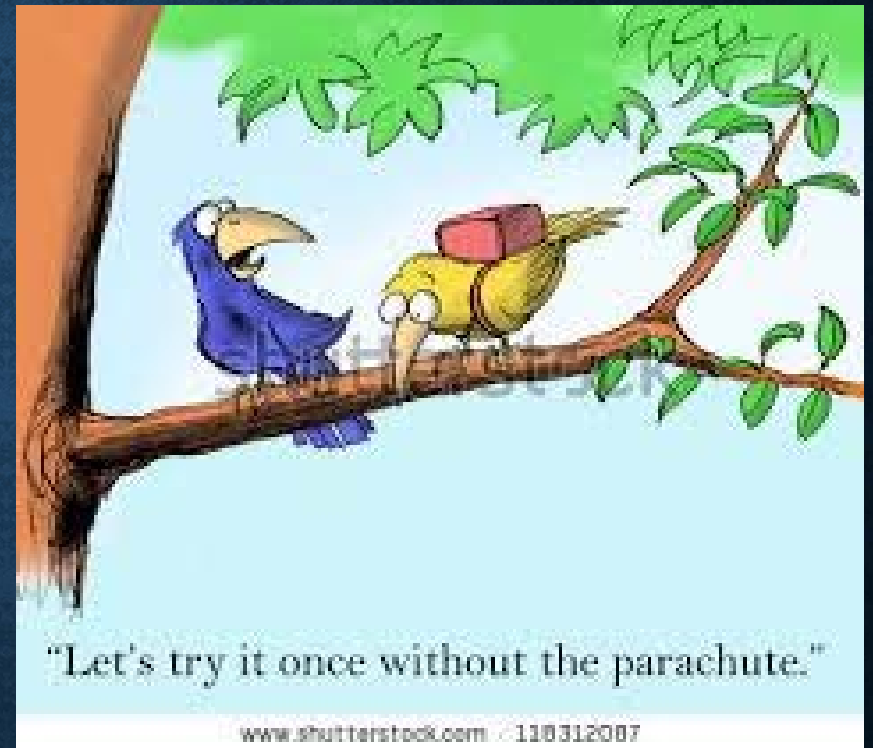


Matching New Advisors
to Master Advisors

MATCHING NEW ADVISORS TO MASTER ADVISORS

- How to get started finding mentors within your college.
- Getting to know the new advisor. For example, go to lunch together.
- Set up regular biweekly meetings to review advising information.

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HOW TO FOSTER A MENTORING RELATIONSHIP



Master Advisor Listening Skills

“THE PROGRAM”

Appointments One - Seven

APPOINTMENT ONE

- Graduation Requirements
- Advising Philosophy Statement at Ferris State University
- Where to Find Materials
- Detailed Outline of Learning Outcomes and Materials
- Student Support Services Guide
- And...

CULTURE OF ADVISING IN THE COLLEGE



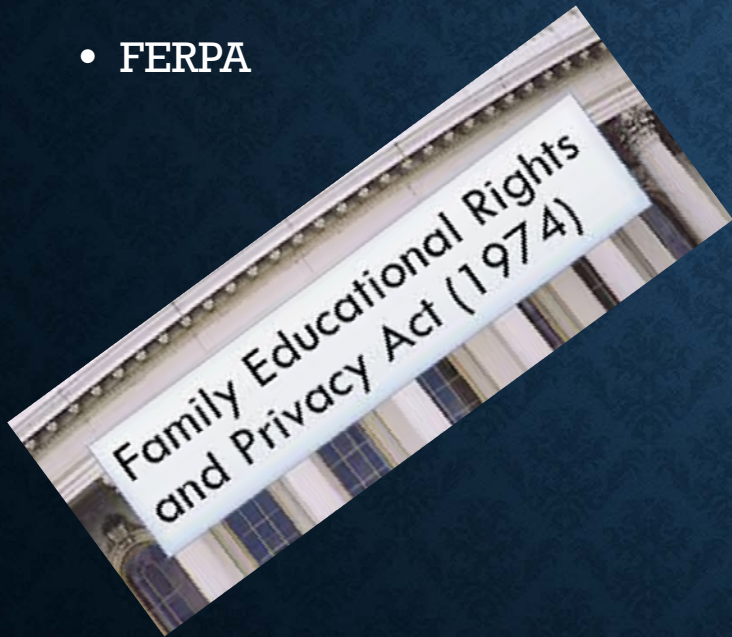
APPOINTMENT TWO

- Foundational Strategies for Advising



FOUNDATIONAL STRATEGIES

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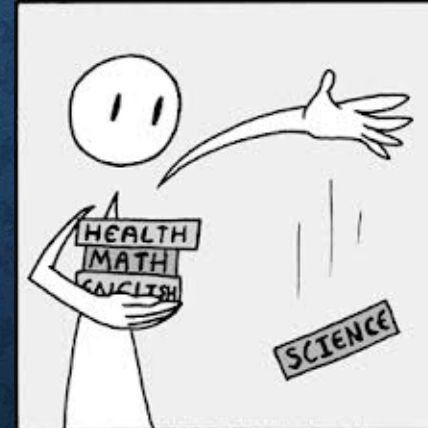


- Balanced Class Loads and Schedules



STRATEGIES CONTINUED

- Developmental Classes / Prerequisites
- Dropping or Adding Classes



MORE STRATEGIES



Repeating Classes

Reasons



Withdrawal

From the University

Medical

Administrative



Summer School

Voluntary

Mandatory

FINAL STRATEGIES

- Additional Sources of Credit



- Common Advising Mistakes



APPOINTMENT THREE: TRANSFER STUDENTS



APPOINTMENT FOUR: TECHNOLOGY



BUILD YOUR OWN BLACKBOARD ADVISING SHELL



APPOINTMENT FIVE: STUDENT ISSUES AND REFERRALS

- Problem Classes
 - Structured Learning Assistance



STUDENT ISSUES CONTINUED

- Lonely
- Homesick
- Distressed
- Overwhelmed

Counseling Center



STUDENT ISSUE

- Probationary Student
 - Strategies Program



STUDENT ISSUE

- Students with Disabilities
 - Educational Counseling and Disabilities Services



STUDENT ISSUE

- International Students
 - International Student Office and Advisors



STUDENT ISSUE

- Career Decision Making
 - Educational Counseling and Disabilities Services



STUDENT ISSUE

- Transition to Postsecondary Writing
 - Writing Center



APPOINTMENT SIX: COLLEGE SPECIFIC INFORMATION



APPOINTMENT SEVEN



DELIVERABLE FOR PDI

- Using the seven appointment format, list what you would discuss with a new advisor at each of the appointments.
- Be specific to your college.
- Email to Deb or Sheila.



THANK YOU!



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