Peer Assisted Student Success (PASS) is the McLennan Community College (MCC) Quality Enhancement Plan (QEP). It is a five-year, research-based plan that aims to increase student perceptions of belonging on campus, pass rates in Learning Framework and gateway courses, and persistence from Year 1 to Year 2 for first-time-in-college (FTIC) students through a combination of peer-led academic and social support systems. To provide FTIC students with peer-led academic support, we will work to create standardized training and evaluation systems for all peer leaders, including Tutors, Learning Framework Mentors, and Supplemental Instruction Leaders; we will then integrate and promote these peer-led academic support programs campus-wide. To bolster peer-to-peer social support for FTIC students, we will integrate and promote peer social support programs and foster the development of relationships among students and mentors in Learning Framework sections. Through Peer Assisted Student Success, we will empower students to develop their leadership potential, engage with one another as a community, and succeed together.

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