



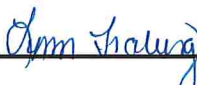
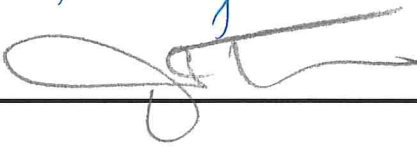







# LIT Partnership Meeting

Thursday, April 1, 2021  
Administrative Conference Room

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Kendal Shelton	ECHS Administrator	
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Andra Burrell	Counselor	
Lynn Trabing	ECHS Administrative Assistant	
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Luke Bourgeois	Director of Dual Credit	
Jade Merritt	Dual Credit Advisor	



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*Meeting Agenda for April 1, 2021*

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- Welcome & Introductions
- New Business
- Items of Discussion
  - Fall Registration
    - CRN Requests for departments by subject
    - English
    - U.S. History – 2022-2023
  - ECHS Staff
  - 2021 – 2022 Book Requisition
  - TSI Bootcamp for ELAR and Math
  - 2021 LIT Graduation
    - May 14<sup>th</sup>?
  - Summer Bridge
  - Dual Credit Program Incentives
- Review
- Comments
- Adjournment



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## Meeting Notes for April 1, 2021

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**Members present:** Scott Schwartz, Luke Bourgeois, Jeff Burnthorn, Kendal Shelton, Lynn Trabing

**New Business:** There was no new business.

#### *Items of Discussion*

#### **Fall Registration:**

CRN requests: There will be no speech in the fall, perhaps online to catch the stragglers that didn't take it. We accepted 50 freshmen into Cohort 2024. Art 1301 and Huma 1315 will need several sections because the incoming freshmen and this year's freshmen (next year's sophomores) will all need to take it. We will encounter the same problem with History 1301/1302 in the future. We would like to offer Philosophy next year. English will be realigned to Eng. 1301/1302 junior year and Eng. 2326/2321 senior year. This may cause some scheduling problems with a few students next year. Kendal will talk to Erin about numbers to make sure we have proper staffing. Number count needs to include dual credit students because these classes are popular with the DC kids.

#### **ECHS Staffing:**

English options: Amy Russell-Collins may be interested and qualified which would allow us to keep a face to face English teacher. She is working on credentials and needs to submit her application.

History options: It was brought to our attention that Robert Wilson may be able to obtain a Master's degree in History from Lamar within the next 18-24 months which would allow him to take the overload of History that we may encounter in the next couple of years. Mary Sizemore is going to see what he would need to do to become qualified.

#### **2021-2022 Book Requisition:**

LIT has also made provision for all Core 42 course work to be open source, meaning they do not require a textbook. All materials for the courses are available online with the exception of the paperback books required for the History classes. Additional information for open source resources is available on the LIT website. Kim Herrera will not have to use My Math Lab. She is able to use any materials as long as it is approved by LIT. Mr. Sands is building a math class that she may use.

#### **TSI Boot Camp for ELAR and Math:**

We do not have an update from last month's discussion. We would like to have it the week after our Summer Bridge and on our campus if at all possible (rather than at LIT, 3 hours/day for 4 days for 2 weeks...difficult to get kids to commit to 2 more weeks of school during the summer in addition to transportation to LIT.) There is an instructor that lives near Silsbee so that is a possibility.

**2021 graduation:**

Graduation is set for May 14, during the day, at the Montagne Center or Ford Park.

**Summer Bridge:**

This is scheduled for July 12-16, 2021. This would allow us to follow up with TSI Boot Camp for the kids that struggle. Day 1 will be spent at LIT with a campus tour, lunch on campus, working with IT, obtaining ID's. The rest of the week will be spent at SHS prepping for the TSI and taking the TSI. This time will also be used to test members of other cohorts that still need to pass. Luke and Kendal will communicate more to solidify the schedule.

**Dual Credit Program Incentives:**

LIT is offering incentives for students that take any CORE class. If a student makes an A or a B, they will get to take their next equivalent hour class for ½ price. It will be student initiated and will only apply to classes that are Fall to Spring (not Spring to the next fall.) LIT is still working on the details.