

**Academic Standards**  
**Oct. 8, 2009**

Members Present: J. Oleks, M. May, J. Haughie, J. Morgan, V. Stein, M. Nelson, L. Fisher, T. Hughes, L. Baker (recorder)

**Assignment #1**

The meeting began with discussion about a student who was coming from the Adult Basic Education and how it pertained to the "College entry..." charge. Dr. Oleks was going to do some more research and not add it to the charge until it was better clarified.

This charge will go to the divisions first, and then eventually to the faculty assembly.

**Assignment #3**

-needs to be forwarded to Dr. Alteri for consideration

**Assignment #5**

The majority of divisions felt that making the requirement to complete an online course in order to graduate was not a good idea.

- concerns of high speed internet
- ability to afford the technology
- is the quality of instruction the same as in class
- does this include hybrid course, Blackboard based courses
- Jennifer read a report compiled by Brad Shepherd about recent graduates who had an online course
- why are we pursuing this?
- is it for space due to construction?

**Math and Science**

-negative

**TCS**

-negative

**Health Sciences**

-negative

**English and Humanities**

-negative

**Bus-BSS**

-negative

The committee agreed that this requirement may have to be re-evaluated at a later date and time. It doesn't seem like the right time to require this of a student.

