

**QEP Development Task Force Update**  
**College Effectiveness & SSBTN Committee**  
**April 29, 2016**

The QEP Development Task Force and the QEP Planning Committee met in a joint meeting on April 22, 2016 to discuss the project draft.

The Task Force has been working in subgroups targeting Reading Strategies/Faculty, Student Support Services/Student Success Pathway, and Data/Evaluation Plan.

The Student Support Services team attended the April 9, 2016 Student Success Pathway Task Force meeting to begin listening to those services offered during the “Progress” stage of the Loss and Momentum Frameworks model. Services in this stage of the Pathway should provide the most opportunities to reach students needing assistance as it pertains to the Reading QEP.

The tentative name of the Reading QEP is @VCReads and will be promoted as such once approved. The following are the draft strategies of @VCReads:

- Strategy 1: Increase Vernon College students’ reading capability and reading goal orientation.
- Strategy 2: Assist faculty to better understand benefits of active reading strategies in order to practice them.
- Strategy 3: Connect our communities through reading for enterprise and discovery.

The Reading Strategies QEP Team met on April 28, 2016 to discuss the results of the faculty interviews conducted earlier in April. The team will be revising the faculty questionnaire to be applicable to students and will solicit student feedback beginning the week of May 2<sup>nd</sup>. Further meetings will be conducted to identify those courses targeted in the QEP and the evaluation plan.