



Kansas City Kansas Community College 2020 Democratic Engagement Action Plan

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Executive Summary:

The office of Student Activities has hosted voter registration opportunities at all 3 of our campuses and online. We have assisted students to register to vote and have asked them what their plan is to vote: mail in, early or in person. We have created a PowerPoint presentation with all of the candidates in the Wyandotte & Leavenworth county areas to help educate our students on who is running. We have posted interviews, candidate forum & various videos, hosted a constitution day zoom presentation and chalk the walk to encourage why they should vote. We started this campaign in August 2020 thru Nov. 3rd.

Leadership:

Our leadership team includes the following:

Andrica Wilcoxon, Director of Student Activities, Student Activities

Commitment:

Our campus has not yet signed the Higher Education Presidents' Commitment to Full Student Voter Participation.

Our campus has used the following methods to communicate with students about the election:

By email, By posting on institutional social media channels, Flyers on campus, Library Libguide, chalk the walk, zoom presentations, Student Activities Let's Talk (SALT) Show and Podcast

Landscape:

Our campus demographic and voting data:

Our last Presidential voting rates increased significantly from the last elections. We have about 6000 students and we are the most diverse community college in the state of KS.

Goals:

Our campus democratic engagement goals are:

Keep students aware and informed about the importance of voting

Strategy:

Our campus has used the following strategies and organized the following events:

In-person voter registration drives, In-person voter education events (e.g. film screenings, debates, lecture series, etc.), Classroom voter registration presentations (in-person or virtual), Virtual voter registration drives (e.g. Couch Party text banking events), Virtual voter education events (e.g. film screening, debates, lectures series, etc.), Pledge to Vote drive

Much of the strategies have been held online and virtually.

NSLVE:

Kansas City Kansas Community College has authorized NSLVE.

Evaluation:

We will evaluate our action plan in the following ways:

We will use the NSVE report

Reporting:

We will report our campus action plan and NSLVE reports in the following ways:

Our campus hasn't confirmed a plan to post the action plan on our campus website.

Our campus NSLVE reports will be posted on our campus website and shared with the campus community.