

EVALUATING THE 11TH GRADE



Time Required: 30-45 minutes

Content Standards: Students will acquire attitudes, knowledge, and skills that contribute to effective learning in school and across the lifespan.

Indicators (Students will...): Utilize educational skills necessary to progress toward individual life-long learning goals.

GOAL: Students will complete an evaluation of the 11th grade experience including the PATHWAYS program and set summer goals.

Activity Statements:

1. Students will complete an on-line survey sometime during the week prior to the last PATHWAYS session.
2. Students will discuss successes and challenges of the 11th grade year.
3. Students will read and reflect on goals letter and set short-term goals to increase success.

Materials:

On-line survey questions

Goals Letter

Handout 1 - *Goals Reflection (Place in binder)*

Handout 2- *Setting and Reaching Goals (Place in binder)*

Procedures:

1. Students will read and reflect on their goals letter, checking off goals they are still on target to reach and complete the bottom of handout 1.
2. Students will divide into groups and discuss 5 successes & 5 challenges of the year.
3. Students will share in large groups their successes and challenges.
4. Students will set five goals to complete over the summer and begin completing Handout 2 to create a plan for reaching goals they set in 9th grade.

Discussion:

1. What did you find most challenging this school year?
2. Describe something you learned in PATHWAYS this year that made an impact on you.

3. What was the most valuable thing you learned in PATHWAYS this year?
4. What worked for you in PATHWAYS? What didn't work?
5. What is the most important thing you will take away from your eleventh grade year?
6. What is something you would change if you had it to do over?
7. Describe one goal you wish to accomplish over the summer to prepare for the upcoming school year.
8. Are there courses you need to complete this summer in order to graduate? If so, what is your plan?

Additional Resources: Add school specific resources here.

- Summer school schedule
- Credit recovery
- Summer enrichment programs
- Community service options

Extension Activities: Review summer goals weekly to ensure success. Complete Handout 2 and talk to advisor or counselor if you need help to prepare for your senior year.

Activity:

Have students reflect and record their feelings, insights, successes and challenges from this past year and place in their binder.

ADVISORS: View Binder Completion Status of each student in your class to make sure binders and students are ready to continue with their Senior year.
