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Agenda

❖ What is I-BEST – The Basics
❖ Definition of Terms
❖ What is Academic I-BEST
❖ How it Benefits
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What Is I-BEST – The Basics

❖ First Academic I-BEST class in 2012
❖ I-BEST – Integrated Basic Education and Skills Training
❖ Overlap Instruction – Team Teaching
❖ Basic Skills Instructor in content course 50% of the time
❖ One support class taught by a basic skills instructor
Definition of Terms

- Learning community - contextualized content across 2 courses – “linked”
- Support instructor – the 2nd instructor that goes into content courses
- Content course – English, Communications, Public Speaking, Psychology, Sociology
- Content instructor
- Bucket class – multi-level English (93,99,101)
- Block scheduling – 3 back-to-back classes
What Is Academic I-BEST

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Collaboration

10 hours per quarter/ teacher
Weekly meetings
Constant communication
Support Class

- ABE or INTL course name
- First class in the block schedule
- 3 hours a week, 2 times a week
- Lab format
- Individualized support
- Writing
- Grammar
- Pronunciation
- Reading
- Introduce assignments

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English Class

✓ Second class in the block schedule
✓ 5 hours a week, 3 times a week
✓ Contextualized writing assignments
✓ Multi-level course (ENGL 93, 99, 101)
✓ Grading rubrics based on level
✓ Acceleration
How it benefits

- Starting **WITHOUT** IBEST
  - EASL LEVEL 4
  - EASL LEVEL 5
  - EASL LEVEL 6
  - ABED 024
  - ABED 046
  - COLLEGE PROGRAM

- Starting **EARLY** with IBEST
  - EASL LEVEL 6 Or Higher
  - ACADEMIC IBEST
# Grade Comparisons (Fall 2018)

## Benefits in the Classroom

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**Regularly Submit**

| ENGL Avg Grade | 90.03 | 90.53 |
| CMST Avg Grade | 99.18 | 99.00 |
THANK YOU!

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