

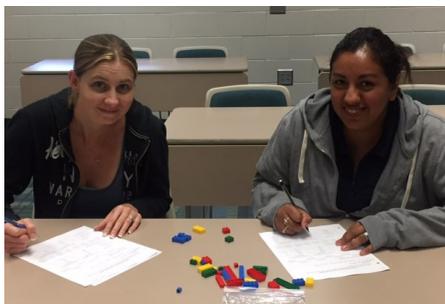
- In this issue:**
- MMO FAQs
  - Tutoring Works
  - Legos in the classroom
  - Purrfect math memes
  - Updated summer tutoring schedule
  - Returning Student Advisement for Fall Semester
  - Who Won Trivia?
  - For More Information...

### Here are the answers to some FAQs about Lanier Tech's QEP, *Math Multiplies Opportunities...*

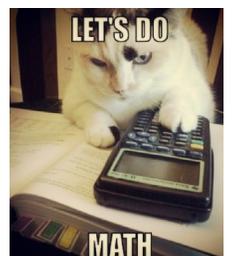
1. **What is a QEP?** A Quality Enhancement Plan is a significant effort that SACSCOC-accredited colleges undertake each ten years to **improve some aspect of student learning.**
2. **What is Lanier Tech's QEP topic?** A broad range of Lanier Tech stakeholders, including students, faculty, staff, advisory board members, and community leaders shared their ideas to identify a topic that would have a lasting effect throughout the College. After multiple sessions to review and discuss these results, the College selected **improving student success in Math Learning Support courses** as LTC's QEP topic... "Math Multiplies Opportunities!"
3. **What is SACSCOC?** The Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Commission on Colleges is the **regional accrediting body for degree-granting institutions of higher education in the Southern states of the U.S.**
4. **What is accreditation and why is it important?** Accreditation is a way to assure that an educational institution is offering a **quality education.** Accreditation is one way in which LTC demonstrates quality to students, parents, and the community. Because LTC is regionally accredited by SACSCOC, our students are eligible for federal financial aid and a number of courses taken at Lanier Tech will transfer to four-year colleges.
5. **What is the purpose of Lanier Tech's QEP?** The purpose of Lanier Tech's QEP is to increase student learning in the mathematics Learning Support program such that **students emerge with the skills and attitudes necessary for success in college-level mathematics courses.** The goals of the plan are to: 1. Improve student learning in LTC's math Learning Support courses 2. Improve students' ability to apply mathematical skills in occupational courses. Three major strategies to enhance student learning: 1) **redesign** of instructional delivery for Learning Support courses, 2) **enhanced tutoring** services, 3) targeted **professional development** activities.



- ⇒ 4 out of 10 MATH 0090B students on the Forsyth campus attended the Math Student Support Center.
- ⇒ The students that attended tutoring had a 10.1% higher pass rate than those that did not come to tutoring (Forsyth campus).
- ⇒ There was an increase in the number of students from the degree level math classes including MATH 1103, 1111, and 1113 attending tutoring, perhaps suggesting that study skills learned in MATH 0090B classes are continued in the next level of math classes (all campuses).
- ⇒ Students are becoming more aware of tutoring opportunities at all campuses. We look forward to expanding the tutoring program. More news coming soon!!!



A successful element of the instructional delivery re-design for our Math Learning Support Courses includes using math manipulatives, such as legos, for hands on learning.



UPDATED  
SUMMER  
SCHEDULE

CHECK  
IT  
OUT



<b>Summer 2017-Math Success Centers</b> New Session Added Beginning June 14 <sup>th</sup>			
Barrow	Room 151	Monday/Wednesday	New Time! 9:00am – 12:30pm
Dawson	Room 116	Monday/Wednesday	11:30am – 12:30pm
Forsyth	Room B144	Monday/Wednesday Monday - Thursday	9:00am -10:00am 4:30pm – 5:30pm
Oakwood	Room 315	Monday – Thursday Monday – Thursday Monday/Wednesday	9:00am -10:00am 4:30pm - 5:30pm 1:00pm – 3:00pm

Lanier Technical College does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, gender, age or disability. The following person(s) has been designated to handle inquiries regarding the non-discrimination policies: For nondiscrimination information, please contact Nancy Beaver, Title IX Coordinator, Lanier Technical College, 2990 Landrum Education Drive, Oakwood, GA 30056, 770-533-7001, or [nbeaver@lanierotech.edu](mailto:nbeaver@lanierotech.edu) and Malloy Sufley, Section 504 Coordinator, Lanier Technical College, 2990 Landrum Education Drive, Oakwood, GA 30056, 770-533-7003, or [msufley@lanierotech.edu](mailto:msufley@lanierotech.edu).  
For more information about our graduation rates, the median debt of students who completed the program, and other important information, please visit our website at <http://www.lanierotech.edu/QE.aspx>.



## Returning Student Advisement for Fall Semester: July 10 - 14 , 2017

Do I Need Math Learning Support?

To view your DegreeWorks page: 1. Log onto Banner Web 2. Click the Student Services & Financial Aid Tab 3. Click Student Record 4. Click DegreeWorks for Student 5. Click link to DegreeWorks Here, you can view your current program of study or use the "What If" function to 'try on' different programs of study! For assistance, see your advisor or contact: Melissa Chapman [mchapman@lanierotech.edu](mailto:mchapman@lanierotech.edu) or 770-533-6983



Who Won Last Month's Trivia?

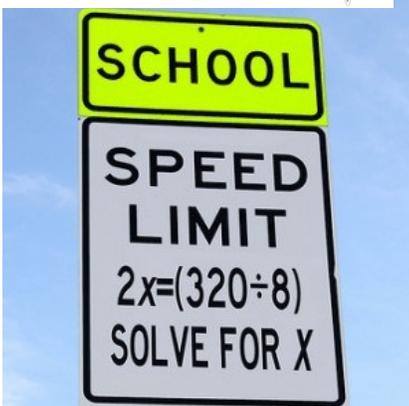
**Melissa Chapman,**

Lanier Tech's Curriculum Coordinator

Melissa's name was chosen at random from all of the correct submissions.

**The correct answer was 20.**

Thank you to all who submitted an answer!



For more information, contact:

Susan Baker, QEP Director [sbaker2@lanierotech.edu](mailto:sbaker2@lanierotech.edu)  
Tavarez Holston, Vice President of Academic Affairs [tholston@lanierotech.edu](mailto:tholston@lanierotech.edu)  
[http://www.lanierotech.edu/QEP/qep\\_main.aspx](http://www.lanierotech.edu/QEP/qep_main.aspx)