It is the purpose of Southeast Community College to develop and offer a program of studies that is in keeping with its Mission Statement, that is, comprehensive in nature, and that responds to the technical training and associated educational development needs of the students and the community so those students can enjoy productive participation in the commerce of the Area. The development of such programs requires the participation of College administrators, faculty members, and advisory team members from the community being served.

It is the purpose of Southeast Community College to extend educational opportunities, on a life-long basis, to the residents of the 15-county College Area as a part of its stated Mission. Such efforts are to receive emphasis commensurate with those of the campuses, and the resources available to the College.

The curriculum, a total of all the individual programs proposed, developed, and finally approved, is expected to be a constantly evolving document, sensitive to existing and predicted times and conditions. It will change, sometimes slowly and sometimes rapidly. It is a program that, while adapted to the particular emphases on each educational services site, retains the nature and elements of a total college curriculum. It must also be developed and maintained within the framework of the resources available to the College. The Board of Governors has the responsibility to approve, evaluate, and monitor the educational programs of the College.

The College will operate according to an annual calendar, recommended by the President and approved annually by the Board of Governors. The College will offer programs and courses at times and locations that best meet student needs. The curriculum and class schedule for each College instructional division shall be approved by the responsible division Dean and the Vice President for Instruction.

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