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| jscc logo | | | **Goal Progress Report** | |
| **Program:** | **Biology: Jefferson** | **Report period:** | | **2020-2021** | |

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| **What has your unit accomplished from the goals you proposed in the second year of your most recent Strategic Plan?** | | | |
| **Goals** | **Request & Justification/Resources** | **Goal Progress** | **Strategies Implemented & Follow-up** |
| Install Projection Technology in the five biology laboratories | Will allow us to be consistent with the laboratories on the three other campuses | In the spring, projectors were installed in all five biology laboratories. | Survey faculty on projector use in the labs now that most labs have returned to campus |
| Increase the number of functional microscopes | Enhance the laboratory experience for our students | Used CARES funding to increase the number of microscopes in each of our labs. | Will survey faculty to determine how they are using the microscopes in the various labs. |
| Develop Course Based Undergraduate Research Experiences (CURE) | Enhance the student laboratory experience | This has been on hold because of the pandemic. | Will continue to maintain relationships with faculty at UAB |
| Explore the adoptions OER for each course | Minimize student costs and ensure students have access to materials on day 1 | Full time faculty have assessed and adopted OER for BIO 101, BIO 104, BIO 201, BIO 202, and BIO 220 | Faculty at Jefferson have been using the listed OER and will meet to discuss any issues around implementation |
| Maintain adequate computer technology | Ensure faculty have access to the technology needed to maintain a quality educational experience | Replaced computers greater than 4 years old | Worked with IT to purchase or update equipment as needed |
| Update classrooms, laboratories and common areas as needed | Ensure classrooms are modern and functional | Received approval to purchase desks and chairs and submitted order. Still waiting for them to be delivered.  Chalkboards that were falling apart in RCH 245 were replaced with whiteboards. | Will survey faculty on how improvements have impacted their classes. |
| **Submission date:08/23/21** | | **Submitted by: Erin K Arnold** | |