

FPC Allen Campus Board Report August 2025

- Kids College wrapped up in July. This year we had two weeks of Hawaiian and Australian themed classes for ages 5-12 in science, arts and crafts, music, painting, and animals.
- Rene Schwalk, Nancy Angeles, and Cassi Laxton attended the WT Transfer Talk in Amarillo on June 17th to learn how to better equip our students that are transferring to WTAMU.
- Karen Metzger and Monica Hernandez have worked hard to get our new students through orientation and the P-Tech bridge before classes start for the fall. The orientation and bridge address campus safety, financial literacy, and help students get familiar with their Brightspace and student email accounts prior to classes starting.
- We have new team members with Yesenia Palma serving as the Evening Monitor for the Allen Campus and Yuridia Rosales filling the position of Evening Monitor for the Perryton Workforce Development Center.
- Dr. Shannon Carroll and Michele Stevens held adjunct faculty meetings on campus on August 5th. All Perryton faculty were invited to attend and get updates on faculty requirements and campus safety and security information.
- Perryton hosted the Annual TCOLE Advisory Board Training and Annual Meeting on July 31st. Our board rotates locations each year for the annual meeting and training. We nominated and appointed our chairman and board members for the 25-26 year as well as completed our TCOLE required training for board members.
- Rene Schwalk continues to add services to our testing center in Perryton with the most recent addition of ACT testing. Our services now include TSIA2, CLEP, TCOLE, TCEQ and ACT testing.
- The Manning Foundation gave two donations to the Allen Campus in May. One donation in the amount of \$10,000 was designated for scholarships and the second was designated for maintenance and repairs in the amount of \$6,000. The campus got new carpet in Room 115 this summer utilizing the funds.
- A new phlebotomy class started on August 4th. We continue to see overwhelming interest in this certification and have full classes each time the class is offered on campus. Leslie Tarango teaches phlebotomy and has been a great addition to this program!
- The Community Development Corporation in conjunction with the City of Perryton and Ochiltree County are working to develop the property located at 1305 NE 16th Ave as the new test pad for the CDL Program. This property will be used exclusively for CDL and Bus training and testing by FPC. These gracious partners are working to add this property to the FPC lease at no additional cost to FPC while also completing the work for the new asphalt pad on the property.