

Strategic Planning at FKCC

Strategic Planning is the process by which FKCC confronts its major, long-term decisions. Strategic planning has both an external and internal focus. It spans organizational boundaries and involves a continual scanning process as a means of actively monitoring changes in the environment that will likely have implications for the College.

Although the strategic planning cycle is coordinated with the state reporting year: July 1st through June 30th, the cycle begins when FKCC evaluates achievement of the previous year's strategic objectives during the month of June. This helps ensure the relevance and currency of the strategic objectives that commence on July 1st.

Once the assessment of the previous year's strategic objectives is complete, the results are documented in the strategic plan, which is submitted to the Board of Trustees for approval in November. Shortly after the Board of Trustees approves the plan's appendix, it is published and posted on FKCC's website for public perusal and reference, usually in December.

In February, the Institutional Effectiveness Committee reviews the direction that the institutional goals are leading by evaluating the preliminary progress of the strategic objectives and makes modifications as necessary. These modifications help guide the development of the College's Annual Unit Plans.

Every three years, usually during the month of February or March, FKCC is scheduled to conduct a review and evaluation of the main components that guide its strategic direction, the mission, vision, values, and goals. The next review, a college and community-wide process, is scheduled for Spring 2013.

By June 30th, the current strategic objectives conclude and the strategic objectives that were established during February commence on July 1st.

Strategic Planning Flowchart

