Identify and implement technology that can be used to improve student learning and preparedness for higher education and the workforce, focusing on assessment and orientation, study skills and access:

**Strategy - 1.1: Design and deploy technology to support required comprehensive orientation and assessment for all students by Fall 2010.**

a. Accuplacer, an online assessment tool has been employed for assessment of students in Mathematics, English and ESL.

b. New student orientation is now offered online in English, Spanish and also in closed captioning for the hearing impaired.

c. Degree Work Orientation Video is now available for students to view online.

d. DSPS employs an online orientation.

**Strategy - 1.2: Develop technology-based solutions to enhance students study skills through tutoring, classes, and workshops.**


b. The learning center offers online tutoring in general subject areas as well as an online writing lab.

c. Math 100 is a math study workshop that students can enroll in to work on their homework and get help from a professor.

**Strategy - 1.3: Deploy technology which encourages students to increase problem-solving skills by analyzing information.**

(Need more information)

**Strategy - 1.4: Address differentiated learning styles through the delivery of video, voice and written content.**

a. Tech Fair workshops are offered every semester on Podcasting, Integrating Mobile Devices in Instruction, Creating Video, and Incorporating Music into Lectures.

b. The College utilizes microphones, and audio devices for the hearing impaired.
c. Students of various learning styles enjoy the use of projectors and Sympodiums in the classroom delivery method.

d. Sympodiums are equipped with the capability to record the written portion of the lecture.

**Strategy - 1.5: Encourage respect for the rights of others and highlight ethical issues in using technology assets.**

a. The district defines a Network Security Policy for use of the network on the nine college campuses.

b. The college establishes the policies for use of the wireless internet available on campus with a Terms of Agreement page that one must pass through before accessing the internet.

c. The Student Code of Conduct incorporates Board Rule 9803.26 on Theft of Abuse of Computer Resources, which establishes standards for use of computer software, and use of computing facilities.

**Strategy - 1.6: Expand student access to instructional resources and tools outside regular school hours and locations.**

a. Students will have better access to information with a new college website is being piloted with more storage and easier manageability.

b. The Kentico course management system is being piloted to offer students access to course materials, and syllabi.

c. The College uses a Facebook page to connect with students.