

Memorandum of Understanding

between

Shorter College
and

North Little Rock Housing Authority

This Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) establishes an Education and Training Community Outreach Partnership between Shorter College ("SC") and North Little Rock Housing Authority ("NLRHA") to create opportunities for Arkansans' to receive a Twenty First (21st) Century education.

Mission

The mission of SC is to provide accessible, affordable and high quality education for students to accomplish their academic or career goals by offering programs that meet the learner's needs in a challenging and nurturing Christian environment.

The mission of NLRHA is to provide the minimum housing needs (decent, safe and sanitary) of low-income families through public housing and Section 8 Rental Assistance Payments Program.

Purpose

In keeping with SC's vision of developing partnerships with the community to create opportunities for students to develop leadership abilities, life skills and to increase their employment potential. SC seeks to partner with NLRHA to enhance student access 21st Century Tools and resources in providing education and training to NLRHA residents.

The partnership will accomplish the above goals by undertaking the following activities:

- Provide on-site recruitment/outreach services within housing facilities
- Work with NLRHA Family Self-Sufficiency Program (FSS) staff to assist in the residents attaining their education and training goals.
- Provide access to early college/dual enrollment
- Provide enhanced student support services
- Provide NLRHA residents with the opportunity to receive education and training
- Prepare students to meet the requirements for career choices
- Help students develop proper work habits

Funding

This is a non-financial MOU. SC will be responsible for its own expenses related to this MOU. There will be no funds exchanged between the parties for tasks associated with this MOU.

Duration

This MOU is at-will and may be modified by mutual consent of authorized officials from SC and NLRHA. This MOU shall become effective upon signature by the authorized officials from the SC and NLRHA and will remain in effect until modified or terminated by any one of the partners by mutual consent with thirty day notice.

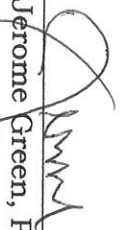

Modification, Entire Agreement:

This community partnership agreement represents the entire agreement and may be modified by a written amendment signed and dated by both parties. Disputes concerning the implementation or interpretation of this agreement shall be resolved through discussion between key staff of the two parties, and shall be the sole remedy for resolutions of such disputes.

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