

E~~V~~OLVE WITH ASSESSMENT

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THANK YOU!!!!

Every department submitted their executive summaries on time! This is indicative of the excellence that my office has the opportunity to work with daily. I appreciate your hard work and your commitment to assessment. Please reach out as questions arise with the new reporting practices.

PLANNING—PHASE 1

Every department will complete three assessment plans in the Campus Labs Planning module annually. The Planning Phase includes everything prior to data collection. The department will notify Melissa through the dlassessment@utk.edu email account prior to data collection. Suggested revisions will be shared with the department.

TRIVIA What was Charles Moore's inspiration for choosing the colors orange and white (adopted as the school colors by the student body two years later) for the first field day?

DSL TACTICAL PLAN

We are excited to announce the Division's newest tactical plan. You will be able to find it by visiting the [dlassessment website](#). This plan will guide the Division for the next three-five years. Please also make note of the newly established values and vision statement. We hope to see our vision statement come to fruition through the implementation of the priorities of the tactical plan.



**KEEP
CALM &
USE YOUR
SUCCESS
CRITERIA**

BASELINE REPLACES QUALTRICS

The University has decided not to renew its contract with Qualtrics. The Division of Student Life will transition to Baseline through Campus Labs. This will allow for survey tracking an follow up by the Director of Assessment and Strategic Initiatives. Baseline offers suggestions on survey content within four days of the submission of your request. Please include only those questions that will be analyzed in the results of the survey that you are giving. Let's be good stewards of our students' time!

SHARED I DRIVE FOLDER

The Office of Assessment & Strategic Initiatives has created an i Drive folder accessible to ALL staff members in the Division of Student Life titled "Share-Assessment." We will store educational documents and resources in this folder.

ARTICLE WORTH READING

[Assessing learning in co-curricular experiences](#) by Linda Suskie is worth taking the time to read. Consider trying a new method of assessing student learning where it seems challenging. Reach out for assistance if you decide to stretch!

GOT ASSESSMENT QUESTIONS?

<https://dlassessment.utk.edu/>

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TRIVIA ANSWER



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