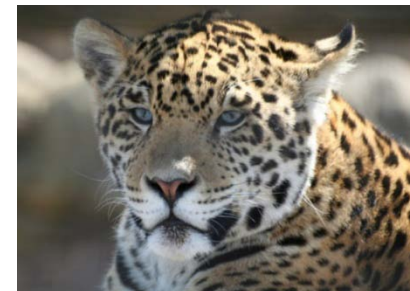


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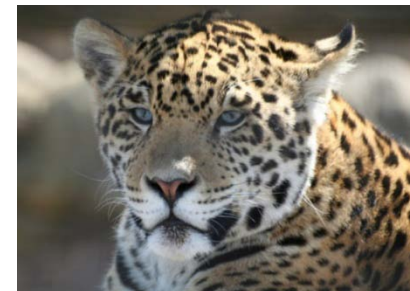
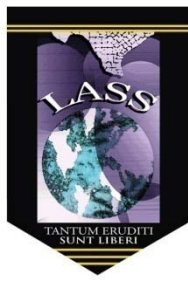
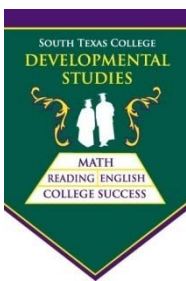
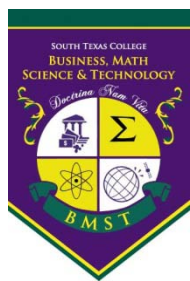
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Developmental Reading Objectives

Fall 2008-Spring 2009:

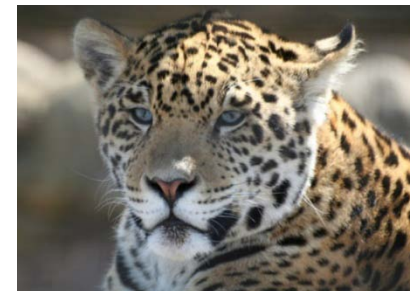
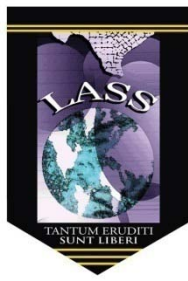
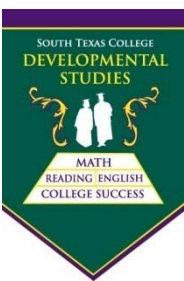
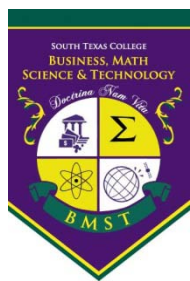
- A. Allow students who make “A” in Read70 and Read80 to take THEA for free at the end of the semester.
- B. Mandate students who make “C” to go for tutoring (tutoring referral, and attendance certificate)
- C. Offer faculty advising to all course repeaters
- D. Pilot two reading courses each 8 weeks(Read 80 can continue to Read 90)



Developmental Reading Targets

Fall 2008-Spring 2009:

- A. Read 70 and Read 80 students will pass the THEA by 2% than the average THEA pass rate of past 2 semesters.
- B. 5% increase in course pass rate in fall 2008 as compared to 2 previous fall semesters.
- C. 2% lower course repeaters in spring 2009 as compared to previous 2 semesters.
- D. Mini-mester pass rates will be same as traditional reading courses.



Developmental Reading Findings

Fall 2008-Spring 2009:

A. Read 70 had no significant increase in TSI completion

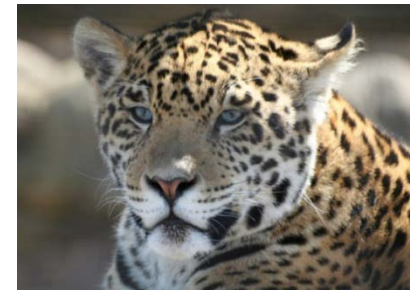
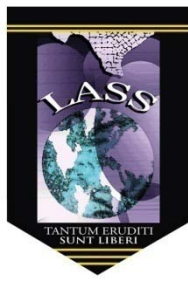
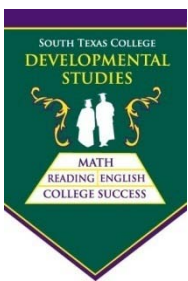
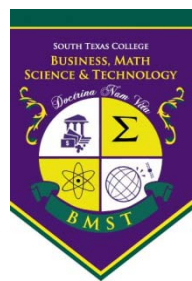
* Fall 2006-9%, Fall 2007-5%, Fall 2008-5%

Read 80 increased TSI completion

* Fall 2006-9%, Fall 2007-4%, Fall 2008-13%

B. Read. Students met increase pass rate compared to previous 2 fall semesters

* Fall 2006-64%, Fall 2007-65%, Fall 2008-70%

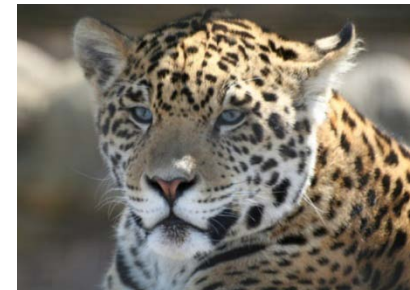


Developmental Reading Findings cont.

Fall 2008-Spring 2009:

C. Pass rates for course repeaters was much lower than non-course repeaters(47.2% Fall 2008 and 30.3% Spring 2009).

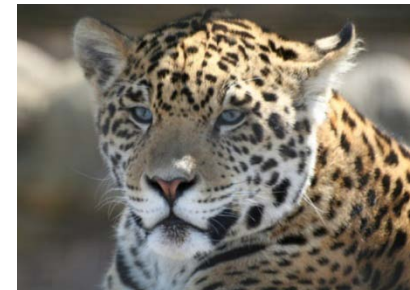
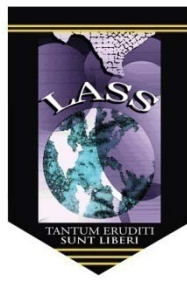
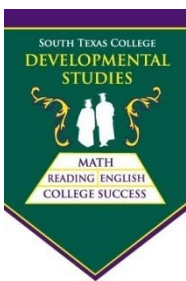
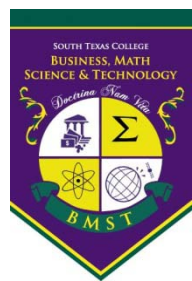
D. 8 week mini-mester did not enrollment standards—
classes canceled.



Developmental Reading Recommendations

Fall 2009-Spring 2010:

- A. Provide opportunities for Read 80 students to take THEA tests and not Read 70
- B. Continue to maintain pass rate by 5% as compared to 2 previous semesters.
- C. Possible formal qualitative survey for repeater students.
- D. Continue to offer 8 week and other mini-mester courses.



Thank you!

