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**A PRESENTATION
ON**

**ACADEMIC SUCCESS PLAN (ASP)
FOR COVENANT UNIVERSITY**

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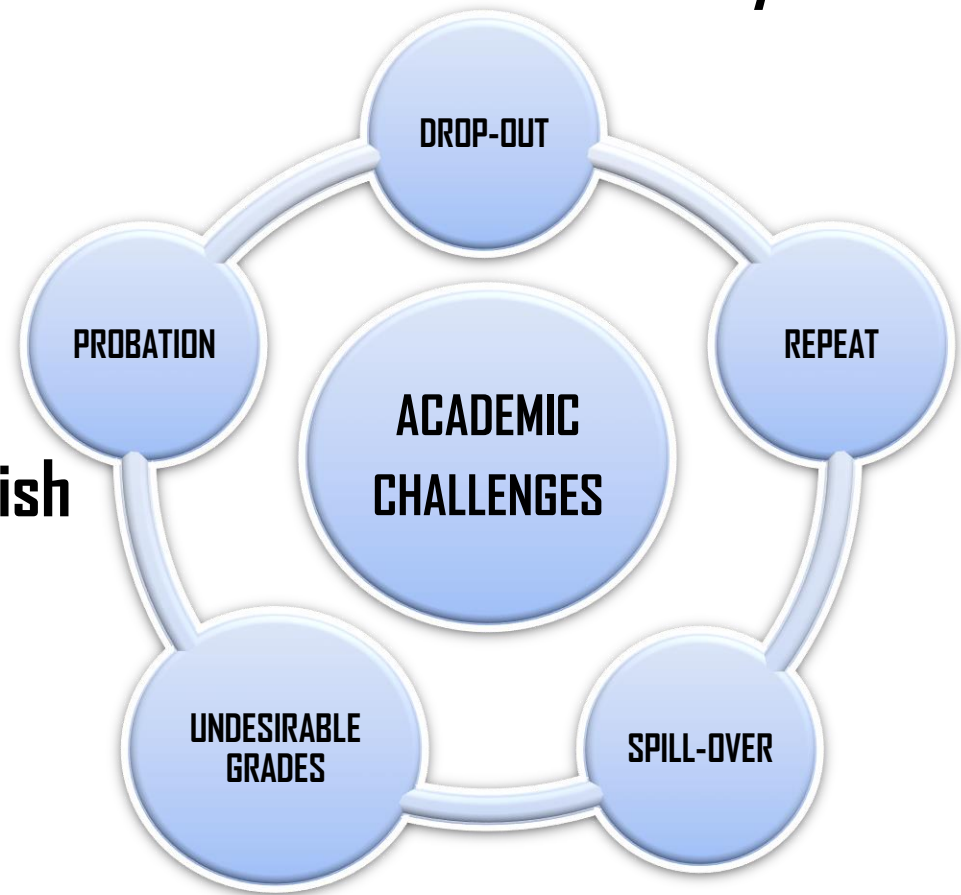
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INTRODUCTION

A lot of students enter the university with a lot of enthusiasm and high expectations of achieving success in their course of study.

However, not all of them accomplish this goal at a record time.



REFLECTION

Is it possible for a University aspiring and will soon become one of the best 10 leading universities in the world not to produce third class graduates? **#Food For Thought**



May be an Academic Success Plan (ASP) will make that possible and Covenant University (CU) will enter the Guinness book of records.

Bad Academic outcomes are perhaps a reflection of inadequate/little or no planning.



Academics

“Nobody ever wrote down a plan to be broke, fat, lazy, or stupid. Those things are what happen **when you don't have a plan”.** Larry Winget

-Likewise, no student plans to be a dropout, spillover or to graduate with third class degree.



WHAT IS ACADEMIC SUCCESS?

In the Students' Perspective

Improved Grade Point Average (GPA)

Achievement of students' educational goals.

Academic and Career Prospects

In the University's Perspective

Graduation and retention rates

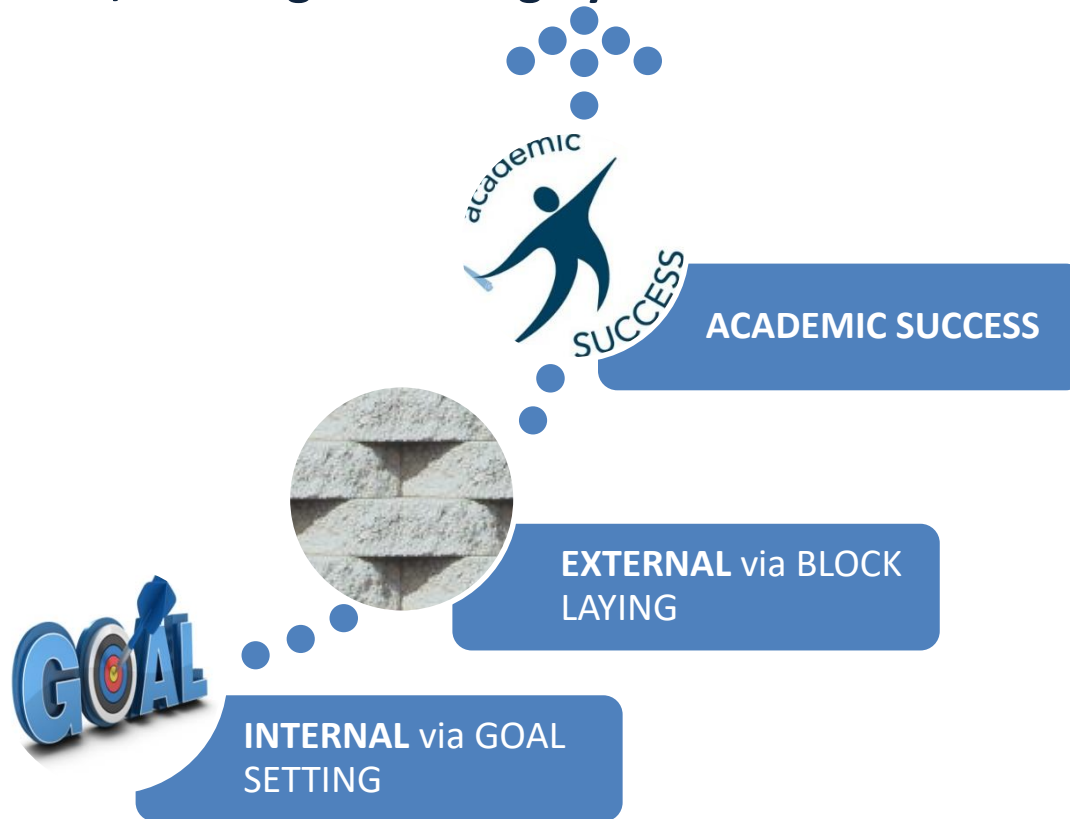
Good standing and Students' engagement

Satisfactory progress towards obtaining a degree.



ACADEMIC SUCCESS

Academic Success is both INTERNAL and EXTERNAL
But it starts from within, that is goal setting by the student.



“If you don’t design your own life plan, chances are you’ll fall into someone else’s plan. And guess what they have planned for you? Not much”. - Jim Rohn





Unveiling

ACADEMIC SUCCESS PLAN (ASP)



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Academic Success Plan (ASP) is a blueprint for improving students' academic performance at the university.

GOAL

- ASP will help to detach all distractions to set goals, and bring the students on track to achieve their goals.

PROCESS

- ASP is prepared by a student in consultation with the level adviser and the ASP team

OUTCOME

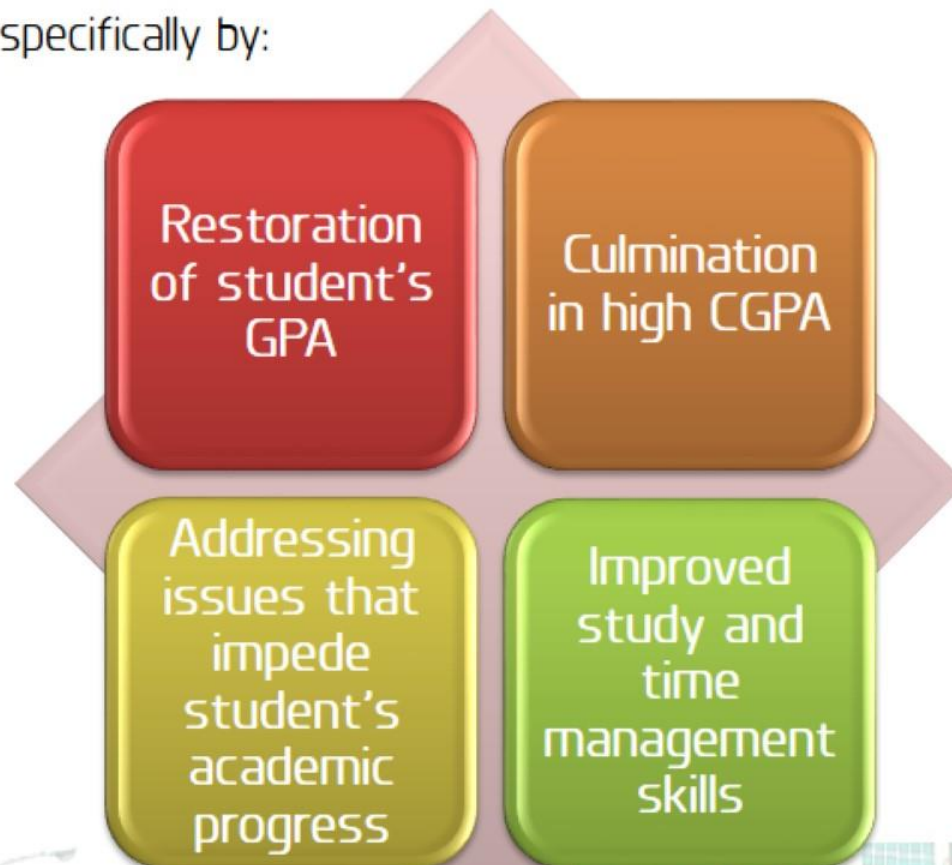
- ASP is designed to improve retention, academic performance, graduation rates and time.



OBJECTIVE OF THE ACADEMIC SUCCESS PLAN

The target objective of ASP is to facilitate students' academic goal setting, equipping them with the requisite skills to achieving same thereby enhancing student's academic achievement.

This will be measured specifically by:



COMPONENTS OF ACADEMIC SUCCESS PLAN

The following are the identified specific steps students need to take to improve academic performance:

ORIENTATION

- Students look back and reflect on past academic performances
- MAP Out their ASP

DIAGNOSTIC SESSIONS

- Determining areas of weakness in fundamental academic skills

WORKSHOPS

- Relevant and most appropriate workshops to improve overall academic success

TUTORING

- Subject-specific tutoring programs

PERSONALIZED COMMUNICATION

- One-on-one communication between the student, level adviser, course lecturer and ASP team member

OTHER INSTITUTIONS WITH A VERITABLE ACADEMIC SUCCESS PLAN/CENTER



BENEFITS OF ASP TO COVENANT UNIVERSITY

GRADUATION

Increase in the number of students who graduate on record time.



SPILL-OVER

Reduction/ Elimination of **spillover** students in the university.



PROGRESSION

Increase in progression rate of students across levels.



GRADES

Improvement in student's grades.



RESPONSIBILITY

Enhancing the esteem and morale of students by taking responsibility for their academic success



DISCIPLINARY CASES

Reduction in the number of students' disciplinary cases.



INSTITUTIONAL RATING

Increase in the institutional rating of CU as the 1st private university in Nigeria to adopt a well-structured Academic Success Plan for her students.



NEW GENERATION LEADERS

Emergence of more responsible future generational leaders.



TIME MANAGEMENT

Reduction in the time spent on academic result matters



ENGAGEMENT

Productive engagement of all students.



EFFICIENCY

Reduction of time spent in organizing make-up examinations and other allied issues

THE PLACE OF ACADEMIC SUCCESS PLAN ASP IN VISION 10:2022



**FOCUSED
STUDENTS**



**TALENT
DEVELOPMENT**
(within these
challenged students
lies world changers
and inventors)



**IMPROVED
STUDENT'S
ADMINISTRATION**



**INCREASED
BRAND
VISIBILITY**



DRIVERS OF ACADEMIC SUCCESS PLAN ASP

THE STUDENT

He/she signs to maintain a complete approach to the programme. the tutoring sessions, workshops, and overall curriculum will be based on student's feedback and performance.

LEVEL ADVISER

Communication between Academic Planning Unit and Level Adviser/Department is vital in the monitoring of students who are on an ASP. The level Advisers assist in the personalized approach to academic improvement and participation in the programme.

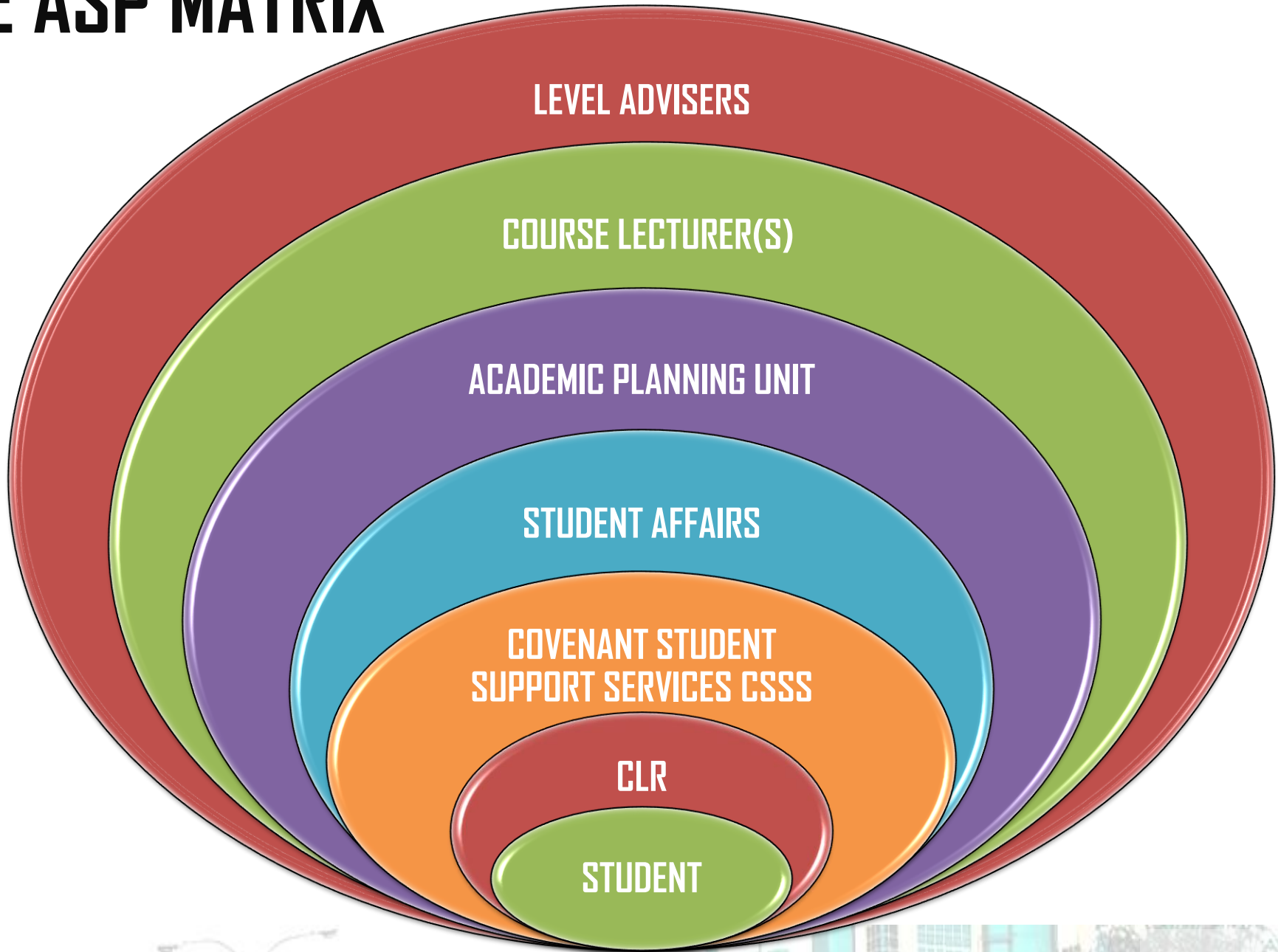
SUPPORTING UNITS

Such as the Academic Planning Unit, Student Affairs Unit, Covenant Student Support Services CSSS (Formerly Faculty Support Programme FSP)

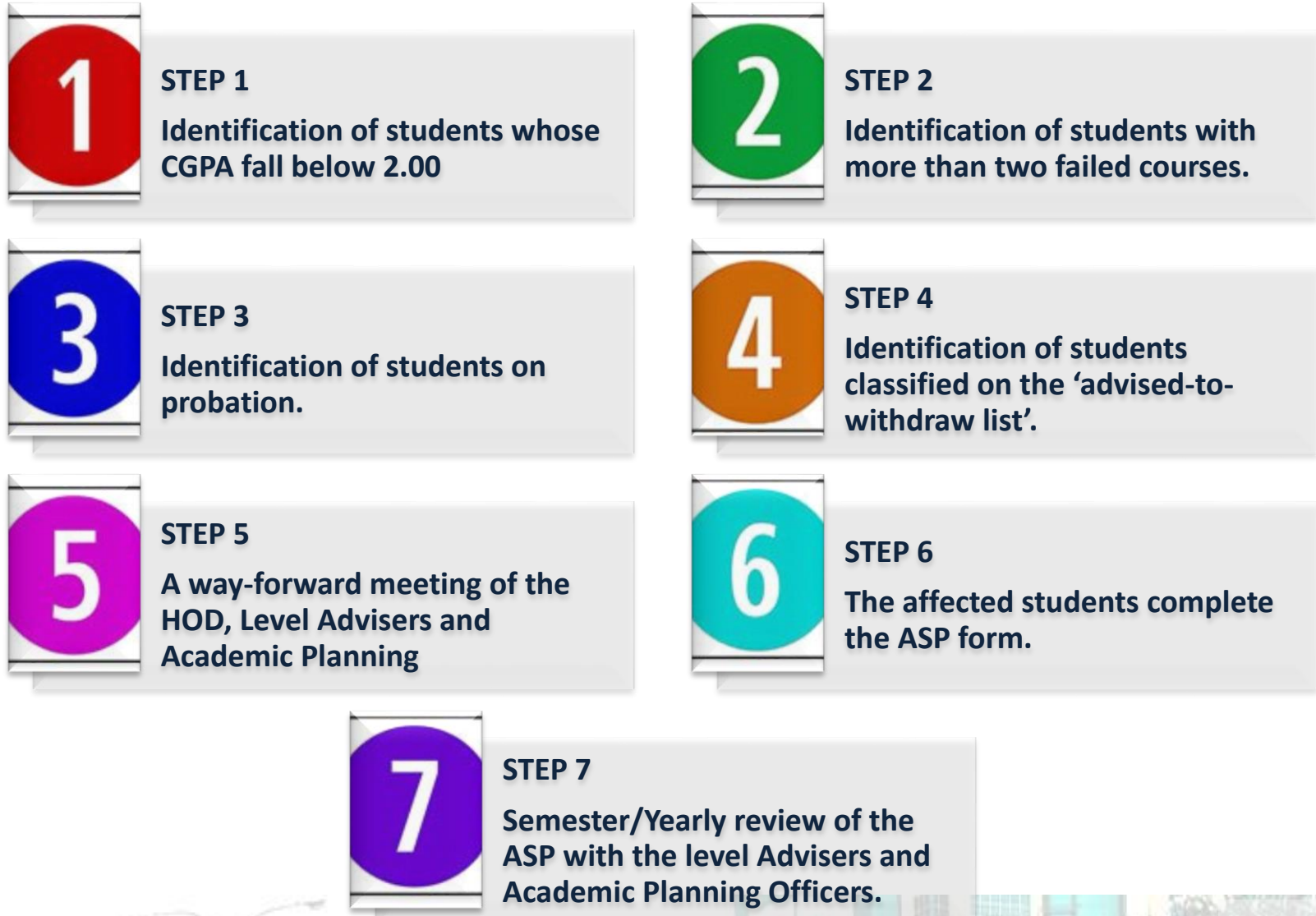
CENTRE FOR LEARNING RESOURCES (CLR)

The Centre will draw up specific workshops for students requesting an ASP, reviewing their basic library skills, outlining the process of research, a review of effective searching skills, and a summary of library services and databases

THE ASP MATRIX



PROPOSED IMPLEMENTATION PLAN FOR ASP IN COVENANT UNIVERSITY



TERMS OF ENGAGEMENT: Contract terms

THE ACADEMIC SUCCESS PLAN (ASP) WILL REQUIRE

ASP Team

FOUR (4) MEETINGS:

1

Academic Success Plan: An inaugural meeting to create the Success Plan.

2

Pre-Registration Review: A time to meet with your level adviser to discuss courses due for registration to ensure that the right courses are registered.

3

Post-Mid-Semester Review: A meeting to review progress.

4

Before the Semester's examination: To meet with the level adviser to know what progress had been made before the examination.



TERMS OF ENGAGEMENT: Contract terms

For the Student

- 1** Meet at least 4 times with the level Adviser and Course lecturer
- 2** Meet at least once with the various course lecturers before Mid-Semester
- 3** Attend classes regularly and complete all assignments on time,
- 4** Attend available seminars, workshops on academic success
- 5** Take advantage of academic support where available
- 6** Meet with a Career Counselor



“All students have the genes of success in them, academic success inclusive and that can be facilitated by an ACADEMIC SUCCESS PLAN”



CONCLUSION

Academic Success Plan ASP can be introduced to all students, (not just those with poor grades) at the inception of their studies in the University. High performing students will also benefit, as it will keep them focused and on track. The resultant effects will be increase in graduation and retention rate and improved CGPA.

The bottom line is that all the students have a success plan that is being successfully implemented by all stakeholders.



THINK SUCCESS, THINK ASP



THANKS
FOR
LISTENING

