



MARSHALL'S STRATEGIC VISION - *Our Bold Constellation for the Future*

Develop and Institute the Marshall Commitment

Status Update for:

Overview:

Students enter Marshall University with diverse abilities, interests and educational goals. The University has long been committed to helping students develop their potential, expand their interests, and reach their educational goals in a timely manner. To elevate the caliber of thinking and learning gains achieved by Marshall University students the *Marshall Commitment* offers an approach that can assist in achieving this goal.



2009

2008

2007

2006

2005

- August 08 – Opening of the Living/Learning Residence Halls
- Summer 08 -First Year Experience Web Site Opens
- Dr. Linda Elder of the Critical Thinking Institute begins the Faculty Development Program for Critical Thinking
- April 08 - Core Foundations Committee presents the “Domains” to the Faculty Senate.
- February 08 – MU joins Voluntary System of Accountability
- 2,000 freshmen and 2,000 seniors selected to complete the National Survey of Student Engagement survey
- January 08 – Ground breaking for the new Recreation Center
- August 07 – Freshman Convocation with Jeannette Walls
- Spring 07 – The One Book Programs kicks off with the selection of “The Glass Castle” by Jeannette Walls
- Spring 06 – Present Kopp presents the 21st Century Education Foundations to the Core Foundation Committee
- Summer 2006 Freshman Academic Convocation begins for the first time in 42 years to celebrate the start of the new academic year

To learn more visit this Strategic Initiative at:

<http://www.marshall.edu/president/strategic/MarshallCommitment.asp>