#### Learning with the use of games

The big wind blows



#### **Congratulation!**



- You Are Very Smart!
  - 1. You Have Decided to Come to College!
  - 2. You Have Chosen a Community College!
  - 3. You are Attending the "New Students Orientation" Today!

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- Who Am I?
  - Heidie G. Hutchinson
  - Associate Professor, Technology
  - Web Programming
  - -This is my 28th years of Teaching at CCBC!
- Why Am I Presenting This Session?
  - I had a Big Motivation to Go to College
  - I like to talk about my motivation
  - I like to find out about your motivation

### Why are you in college?





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- The objectives for this session are:
  - 1. You will have fun.
  - 2. You will identify 2 or 3 reasons you are in college.
  - 3. You will see that there are other students here with the same reasons for attending college.

#### **Areas of Studies**



- 1. Liberal Arts/Science
  - Communication, English, etc.
- 2. Technology
  - Networking, Web Programming, etc.
- 3. Business
  - Accounting, Business Management, etc.
- 4. Aviation
  - Professional Pilot, ATC, etc.
- 5. Allied Heath
  - Nursing, MLT, etc.
- 6. Other

#### **Your Schedule**



- 1. Mon, Wed
- 2. Tues, Thurs
- 3. Mon, Tues, Wed, Thurs
- 4. Day Only
- 5. Evening Only
- 6. Both Day and Evening
- 7. Online Courses

# Reasons to graduate from college



- 1. More stable job history
- 2. Earn more promotions
- 3. Happier with your work
- 4. Less likely to become unemployed compared to a non-graduate
- 5. It will be easier to find a job and keep the job

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#### Other Benefits:

- A. Learn how to work independently and discover new knowledge
- B. Encounter and learn how to appreciate cultural, artistic, and spiritual dimensions in life
- C. Learn how to seek appropriate information before making a decision
- D. Intellectual growth and interaction with socioeconomic groups other than your own

### MOTIVATION: a formula for success



- V X E = Motivation
  - 1. Value what value do you place on getting your degree? 1 10
  - 2. Expectation what is your level of expectation for success? 1 10
  - 3. Are you 100 % motivated?

## BIG WIND BLOWS Your TURN

Why are you in college?

 How do you see your college experience impacting your future?

How do you want college to change you?
 Why?



