

# SUPPLEMENTAL INSTRUCTION

Angelo State University

## Letter from the Director

As we come to the end of the Spring 2006 term and the end of the first year of Supplemental Instruction at Angelo State, I feel a great sense of pride and gratification for all we have accomplished in such a short period of time. Of course, I could not have done it without the hard work and dedication from all of the SI Leaders. Each one did a superb job. I thank them all.

While the end results of our pilot year are encouraging, it is with bittersweet sentiment I bid farewell to three SI Leaders who are graduating this month. (Please see the Photo Op on page 2.) Other SI Leaders will

spend their summer months traveling, working, and visiting with family, while the SI Program breaks for the Summer term.

As for myself, I will be traveling to Malmö, Sweden, to present a paper at the 4th International Conference on Supplemental Instruction.

SI will return in full force in the Fall, supporting the each of the following traditionally difficult courses:

- BIO1410
- BIO 2423
- BIO 2424
- ENG 1301
- MATH 1302

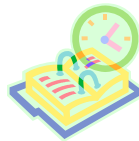
As always, training and orientation for new SI Leaders will take place the week prior to the start of the Fall semester. If you know of a student interested in working as an SI Leader, please have him/her contact me by phone at (325) 942-2710 or visit our website:

[www.angelo.edu/dept/si](http://www.angelo.edu/dept/si)

Have a safe and wonderful summer. See ya'll in August!



Sincerely,  
Sara Weertz, Director of SI



## Important Date:

Fall 2006 SI sessions begin the 2nd week of classes!



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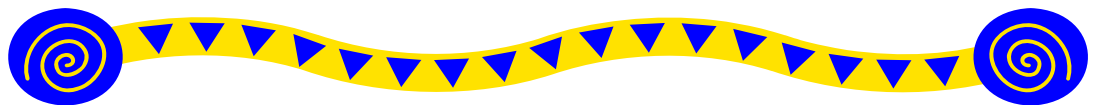
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College Algebra

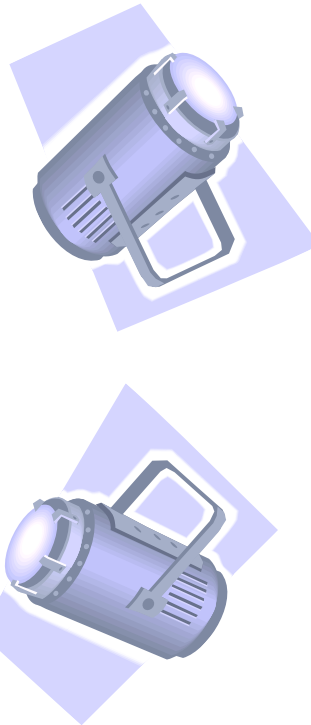
Beatrice is in her second semester as an SI Leader here at ASU. She is a sophomore Education major specializing in Pre-K through 4th grade with a minor in Reading. Beatrice is active in HOST (Helping One Student To Succeed). She helps mentor at an elementary school with the HOST program and she is a private tutor on the side. Beatrice's favorite class at ASU has been Speech Communications. After graduation Beatrice would like to begin teaching elementary school and work towards a master of education. Beatrice wanted to do SI because she thought it was an awesome program and wanted to be involved. "It's also a way to help other students while also furthering my knowledge," Beatrice said. "SI Is also great experience especially since I want to teach."

# Spotlight on SI Leaders



Jairon Johnson  
Human Physiology

Jairon is in his first semester as an SI Leader here at ASU. He is a senior Kinesiology and Biology major with a Chemistry minor. During his time here at ASU Jairon has been active in Pi Kappa Alpha fraternity and an active member in Tri Beta Biological Honor Society. His favorite class at ASU has been Safety and First Aid. After graduation this May Jairon would like to attend medical school. He would like to work with geriatrics in his medical profession. Jairon wanted to do SI because he wanted to help the students, while also becoming more skilled in Physiology. Jairon's favorite thing about his Human Physiology SI sessions is that the atmosphere is easy going. He also likes that even though they laugh and have fun during his sessions, he can still provide interesting real world examples that everyone can use.



# Senior salute

The time has come to say goodbye to the three graduating SI Leaders that will be missed greatly! Good luck in all that you do!



L to R: Dace Mahanay, Jr., Amanda Castillo, Sr., Dr. Susan L. Neste, CAE Executive Director, Sara Weertz, Director of SI, Apurvi Patel, Sr., and Jairon Johnson, Sr.