1145-VJ-2381 Cody Kearse* (jrvalles@pvamu.edu) and James R Valles, Jr. (jrvalles@pvamu.edu). The PVAMU Mathematics Summer Bridge Program: Examining Student Attitudes Toward the Establishment of a Learning Community. Preliminary report.

Prairie View A&M University (PVAMU) held its first mathematics summer bridge program during the 2018 summer term, offering currently-enrolled students the opportunity to take Calculus with Analytic Geometry I with an intensive focus on student retention.

In this talk, I will look at responses, gathered from a student exit survey, with regards to various aspects of the program, especially with regards to the development of a learning community. I will discuss aspects of the program that were successful as well as aspects that need to be reevaluated for future summer bridge programs. (Received September 25, 2018)