

The Early Alert System allows faculty to identify students who are struggling in class so that the Student Success Programs office can provide support where they need it. This online system is accessible through your Flashline Faculty tab and will be available the third through tenth week of the semester. The Early Alert system is designed to provide faculty with an easy way to partner with other campus professionals to reach out to students. The areas of concern include:

- Multiple missing assignments
- Poor class performance (exams, assignments, projects, etc.)
- Difficulty comprehending course material
- Poor class attendance (more than three unexcused absences)
- Personal problems

For instructions on how to utilize the system, please go to:

<http://www.kent.edu/success/faculty/earlyalert.cfm>

The Early Alert system is in its second year of operation and last year 600+ students were contacted in Fall 2008 and Spring 2009 semesters. In addition to that, approximately 62% of these students ended their semesters with favorable outcomes. We are hoping to assist more students this year with your help.

Thank you in advance for your commitment to our student's academic success. Should you have any questions or would like a follow up on a referral you have made, feel free to contact Mr. N.J. Akbar at nakbar@kent.edu or 330-672-4138 (direct office line).