

Rhode Island



School Counseling Project

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Re: SPAR*Cri*

Enclosed is the 2009-2010 informational material for the SPAR*Cri*. At the top of the first page is Rhode Island's newly designed logo keeping with our Ocean State theme. Designed by Karen Franks, a retired middle school art teacher from East Providence, the logo features a red sailboat with the word SPARC forming the billowing sails and RI on its bow as it races across the blue waters.

The informational packet contains the instructions and rubric for completing a SPAR*Cri*, the application, and mailing information if your department would like to have your SPAR*Cri* considered for an award.

A SPAR*Cri* can serve as an end of the year report, a public relations tool to share with different stakeholders, and as a continuous improvement tool.

Please consider creating a SPAR*Cri* for your guidance and counseling department this year. If you have any questions, please contact me at bwilkers@providence.edu or 401-865-2789.