

The Learning Center

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Purpose

The purpose of the Learning Center is to promote academic growth and enhance the learning environment on campus. The personal attention given at the Learning Center reflects Roberts' interest in maximum academic development for every student.

Our Location

We are located in the B. Thomas Golisano Library Room 136

Learning Center Hours

Monday through Friday
8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Successful Students Seek Academic Support

Personal Assistance

A learning specialist will assist any student with:

- o Research papers and essays
- o Test-taking strategies and review
- o Time management
- o Study skills
- o Note taking
- o Special learning needs
- o Class assignments

Peer Tutoring

Peer tutoring is available for most courses and is free for all students registered in the requested course. All tutors have been successful in the respective discipline of study and are certified by the College Reading and Learning Association. **Visit our office, or go to our website to obtain a tutor request form. Fill out the form and bring it in.** We'd love to watch you succeed in your class!

Study Groups

Take advantage of our peer led study groups. Leaders are students who have achieved high grades in the course and facilitate collaborative study time with other students interested in succeeding. Study groups are formed for classes such as:

- o General Biology
- o Principles of Chemistry
- o Western Heritage
- o Nursing for Wholeness: Adults

To find out more, drop in or visit our website for current offerings.

Writing Support

Be the best writer you can be! We can help you during any phase of the writing process from brainstorming and thesis generation to revising and editing. **Check our current drop-in hours on our website or call for an appointment.**

Workshops/Seminars

Short sessions, open to all students, focus on topics such as:

- o Organizational skills
- o Research papers
- o Memory strategies
- o Study techniques
- o College reading/analytical reading
- o Test taking
- o Stress management

ESL Support

Students can find help and support beyond required ESL courses. Come see us for problems with:

- o Writing assignments
- o Cultural and academic adjustment
- o Class presentations
- o English pronunciation
- o Mentoring
- o Conversational partners

Accommodations for Disabilities

Academic support services and auxiliary aids are provided to students with disabilities on an individual basis. Students with disabilities must document their need for services through the Coordinator of Services for Students with Disabilities. This should be done as early as possible after acceptance. For appointments and information, call 585.594.6270.

What Students Say

"As a first year graduate student who has been out of school for a while, I have really benefited from the one-on-one assistance that I have received. The Learning Center is an excellent resource!"

- Laura

"The staff at the Learning Center has helped me with so much more than just schoolwork. They are rays of sunshine in my busiest and darkest days, and are always willing to go the extra step to help students."

- Stephanie

"Talking with Learning Center faculty has made me a lot more confident in myself and also in my school work. They have helped me think outside the box for papers and things."

- Anonymous

"As an adult learner I have found the Learning Center to be helpful in providing the academic support and encouragement necessary to succeed."

- Colleen

"The Learning Center is a place that is always available for extra help. Personally, I know that the help I have received on my papers has been not only beneficial to 'making the grade' in the classroom, but also has shaped me into a more effective writer."

- Matt