Finding Academic Success

Academic resources

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OVERVIEW

- Academic resources on campus included in tuition
- Why use on campus resources?
- Recognizing when to seek support
- College vs. high school
- Questions
Academic Resources

Academic Achievement Center
Supports students in reviewing content from classes, learning with peers, and improving academic confidence and competence.

Digital Media Commons
Provides technology, resources, services, and expertise to support the digital creation of multimedia projects.

Writing Center
Students work one-on-one with a consultant that will assist with questions about an assignment, provide feedback about papers, and will support students through the writing process.

Math Help Center
Provides free tutoring to students enrolled in 100–299 level MAT and STA courses offered by the Department of Mathematics and Statistics.

Speaking Center
Helps communicators further develop their own verbal and nonverbal expressions with increased confidence and competence.

University Libraries
Offers a wide variety of resources, expertise, and technology to faculty and staff.
Why Use Campus Resources?

Engagement | Feedback | Support

SOAR
Seeking Engagement

• Excited about a particular class or project?
• How do I get the A?
• It's my major
• Engagement means I am a successful student
Seeking Feedback

- Test assignment/ anxiety
- Unsure how to start
- Applying instructor feedback to future work

SOAR
Seeking Support

- Low grades
- Missing assignments
- Not having a routine
- Feeling unmotivated/disengaged
- Unsure about citing or plagiarism
- Feeling tempted to cheat
Different from High School

- Exercise your agency
- Potentially less feedback in class
- New resources
- Different organization
Feedback from Students

"I could always see the patterns that were hurting my grades, but never felt I could do anything about it. You gave me the tools to begin making changes. I know what I need to do, and I know how to know if it's not working so I can make changes."

"[my coach] was great! Very knowledgeable about the course and good a“[my coach] was great! Very knowledgeable about the course and good at teaching us/making us think about how to organize our study materials. Really makes you feel cared about. Thank you [coach]!!!”

"I was a lot more comfortable knowing there was a student helping out because she understood what I was talking about”

My tutor is very patient with me as I am learning American Sign Language. She listens to my concerns in the class and reassures me of my capabilities. The advice she gives me every session to become more efficient in my course is very helpful.

“I did better on this exam than the last one. Our session and the Mind Map helped me. Thank you!”