

FIND A NEW RESOURCE

Academic Coaching

Available to any undergraduate student at Messiah University, academic coaching has numerous benefits which enhance a student's university experience. Academic coaching often involves practical advice about study skills, time management, organizational tools, and test-taking strategies, but it also includes the opportunity for students to talk about the challenges and joys of university life. Coaching sessions are tailored to meet the individual needs of each student and to help them make healthy and productive choices.

- Sign-ups are available by searching "Academic Coaching" on FalconLink.
- Questions? Contact Amy Slody, Director of the Academic Success Center at aslody@messiah.edu.

CHELP (Chemistry Help)

Open tutoring sessions with focused help on end-of-chapter cumulative problem solving for General Chemistry I and Introductory College Chemistry.

- Location and time change each semester.
- No sign-up needed.
- Questions? Contact Seth Burkert at sburkert@messiah.edu.

Math, Statistics, Programming, and Physics Tutoring

Tutoring is provided by the Department of Computing, Mathematics, and Physics throughout the academic year for students who desire assistance with math, statistics, programming, and physics courses.

- Location and time vary by class; see your Canvas course for details.
- Most tutoring is held in Frey Academic building; some virtual tutoring is available.
- During scheduled tutoring sessions, no-sign-up is required.
- Questions? Contact your course instructor.

Office of Academic Accessibility

The Office of Academic Accessibility supports and encourages students with disabilities. Their staff works with all academic offices and campus departments to facilitate the inclusion and full participation of all Messiah students.

- Location: Murray Library, Suite 115.
- More information is available by searching "Academic Accessibility" on FalconLink.
- Questions? Contact Amy Slody aslody@messiah.edu or Deana Baddorf at dbaddorf@messiah.edu.



Peer Tutoring

Both individual and group tutoring in a number of subjects is offered, free of charge, to all Messiah undergraduate students through the Learning Center.

- Select the location and time upon scheduling an appointment.
- Sign-ups are available by searching “Learning Center” on FalconLink.
- Questions? Contact Amy Slody, Director of Academic Success, at aslody@messiah.edu.



Supplemental Instruction (SI)

Supplemental instruction is a program that targets "high-risk courses" rather than "high-risk students." The SI review sessions are interactive, and students acquire effective study strategies as they review course material and prepare for tests using mock exams. Statistical data suggest that students who attend SI sessions earn 1/2 to a full letter grade higher than those who choose not to attend.

- Available for various beginning-level Bio & Chem classes. Check the schedule on Falcon Link as described below.
- Location and time vary by instructor. The schedule can be found by searching “Supplemental Instruction” on FalconLink and then clicking on “Schedule”.
- No sign-up required.
- Questions? Contact Kristin Runyon, Coordinator for SI at KRunyon@messiah.edu.



Writing Center

The Writing Center is a free service that hopes to help students become better writers. Our tutors work individually with students to help them write and revise their own papers. We accept papers at any stage of the writing process, from brainstorming to final revisions. No matter what you're writing, we're here to help!

- Available for all undergrad students, all courses.
- Location and time: Writing Center in Murray Library, times available when signing up.
- Schedule an appointment by searching “Writing Center” on FalconLink.
- Questions? Contact writingcenter@messiah.edu.



Additional Information

DEGREE WORKS

Advising tool for registration planning and tracking degree requirements.

- The Degree Works audit is a checklist that helps you to track your degree requirements for graduation.
- Review your degree audit frequently to stay up to date on outstanding courses, including those for your major, QuEST General Education and free electives.
- Use the "What if audit" functionality to assist in planning for potential change of major/minor.
- A GPA calculator is available in Degree Works to help you track your academic progress leading up to graduation.
- Access your Degree Works audit via FalconLink / Type ‘Degreeworks’ into the search box / Click on Degreeworks (Student) to view your degree audit.