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ARC Services for Extended Campuses

The Webster Academic Resource Center is located on the Webster Groves campus, but our mission includes support for all of Webster's extended campuses. Here is a selection of the services we offer to extended sites:

Academic Counseling

We offer free academic counseling via phone or email to students seeking assistance with issues such as test anxiety, effective study techniques, learning strategies, or time management, including how to study with a family and a full-time job! For academic counseling, please contact Kit Maxwell-Weis at schmieka@webster.edu or 314-246-7700.

Disability Services

Although individual Webster campuses are responsible for documenting and accommodating students with disabilities, we can provide forms and templates along with advice at every stage of the process. We are happy to consult with students about their disability-related needs, speak to faculty about classroom accommodations, and advise staff on the administrative and legal requirements of ADA and Section 504. For extended site ADA accommodations, please contact Barbara Stewart at stewart@webster.edu or 314-246-8495.

Writing Program Support

The ARC's Writing Center can provide one-on-one assistance to extended-campus faculty or staff who are trying to

teach writing-related concepts or are operating Writing Centers on their own campuses.

Online Writing Center

The Online Writing Center draws on a group of faculty and student writing experts to offer writing coaching to students at all extended campuses. ***Papers can be submitted via the "Writing Assistance" link in a course's WorldClassRoom template or by following the instructions at www.webster.edu/writingcenter/online.shtml, and we ask that instructors alert us in advance if they plan to direct entire classes to us. We are currently returning papers to students within two days.***

Graduate Success Strategies

The Graduate Success Strategies program operates via online writing courses. The program has a two fold mission: 1) providing a path for reinstating Webster graduate students who have been dismissed from their programs due to weakness in writing; 2) providing scaffolding to graduate students, early in their programs, who recognize they need writing help. Currently, campus directors cannot recommend students for the GSS program directly, although they may write a letter supporting a given student's reinstatement request or encourage students to enroll in the course. **For Online Writing Center, Writing Center Support and Graduate Success Strategies contact Roshaunda Cade at roshaundacade51@webster.edu or 314-246-7589.**

Assistive Technology

Through a variety of institutional memberships, we can order books in assorted audio formats for students, faculty, and staff

at extended campuses whose documented disabilities include this as an accommodation. We can also help arrange for students with disabilities to receive their textbooks in electronic formats or Braille, and we can advise campuses on ordering or working with software packages that include scanning/OCR features for the conversion of texts into electronic or audio formats. For Assistive Technology please contact Cindy Yamnitz at cynthiyamnitz36@webster.edu or 314-246-4245.

Testing Program Support

The ARC's Testing Center proctors exams for extended –campus students who happen to be in the St. Louis area, advises extended campuses on the various types of placement exams and credit-by-examination which Webster accepts, and offers support and advice to extended campuses which operate or are setting up their own testing centers. For Testing Support please contact Sanela D. Bejdic at dzanksan@webster.edu or 314-246-8285.

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