

Learning Centers

Chemistry/Spanish Tutoring

Visit the following link for locations and hours for Chemistry and Spanish tutoring:
www.rowancabarrus.edu/tutoring/.

Individualized Computer Learning Center

Students enrolled at Rowan-Cabarrus Community College are provided open access to Internet and non-Internet computers in the Individualized Computer Learning Center (ICLC), a staffed facility where students can work on Traditional and Distance Education course assignments. Students will be assigned a specific workstation based upon their application software needs. In addition, course-specific tutorials may be available. Enrolled students, staff, and faculty are required to bring floppy diskettes, flash or thumb drives to the ICLC to save their data and make backups. Students should label diskettes with student's course prefix, number, section number, instructor's name, and the student's name to identify diskettes that may be misplaced or lost. For a description of computer specifications (such as processor speed and memory) as well as operating systems and application software, and other general information, please refer to the "Computer Hardware and Software" section of the ICLC web page at www.rowancabarrus.edu/labs/.

Math Tutoring Center

The Math Tutoring Center (MTC) provides free individualized tutoring for students enrolled in all math and math-related courses. Each semester, a schedule of available tutoring hours will be given to instructors and Student Services, in addition to being posted around campus. Faculty members may refer students to the MTC or students can fill out a form in the MTC. Notification of that visit will be sent to the student's instructor. For locations refer to the Tutoring Services web page at www.rowancabarrus.edu/tutoring/math/.

Reading Center

The Rowan-Cabarrus Community College Reading Center (RC) is a free reading skill development lab designed to assist RCCC students with reading skill development and overcoming reading-related deficiencies. Individualized instruction as well as small group instruction is provided in the areas of phonics, vocabulary building, word attack skills, reference skills, and comprehension.

Computer-assisted instruction is also available in the Reading Center. All RCCC students enrolled in basic reading classes (RED 080) will be strongly encouraged to participate in skill development activities in the Reading Center (RC). Instructor referrals and student “walk-ins “ are welcome. Reading Center operational hours will vary depending on the semester and student needs. For locations refer to the Tutoring Services web page at www.rowancabarrus.edu/tutoring/reading/.

Student Development Center

The Student Development Center (SDC) is a free (drop-in) comprehensive academic advisement, placement, and mentoring center that assists students in achieving their educational goal. The SDC is composed of carefully selected and highly trained faculty and staff whose efforts focus on the student's successful entry, continuous monitoring, and successful completion of the developmental process.

While the ultimate responsibility for exploring choices and making decisions about attainment of educational goals rests with the student, our advisors serve as facilitators of communication, coordinators of learning experiences through course and career planning, academic progress review, and an agent of referral to other campus and community agencies as needed. Instructor referrals and student walk-ins are welcome.

For location and hours of operation, please refer to the Tutoring Service web page at www.rowancabarrus.edu/tutoring/studev/.

Writing Center

The Writing Center (WC) is a free tutoring service provided to assist students with any course-related writing assignments including compositions, essays, proposals, research papers, reports, creative assignments, business correspondence, and resumes. The center also provides individualized instruction for problem areas in grammar, rhetorical modes, and research. Our goal is to assist students in becoming better writers.

In addition to the center, there is also a computer lab on each campus staffed by WC tutors who are experienced in all of the above as well as computer-based writing and researching needs.

Students may call or visit the WC to make a 30-minute appointment. Multiple appointments are encouraged as the WC is focused on assisting students throughout the writing process – from brainstorming to outlining to drafting to revision. Students may make as many appointments as necessary throughout the course of the semester, but are restricted to one per day.

Walk-ins may receive immediate assistance provided the WC tutor does not have a scheduled appointment. Notification of the visit will be provided to the student so that the student can forward the notification to his/her instructor. For semester hours and locations, please refer to the Tutoring Services web page at www.rowancabarrus.edu/tutoring/writing/.