

The Centre for Student Academic Support (CSAS): An overview of CSAS programs and services

The [Centre for Student Academic Support \(CSAS\)](#) offers a variety of services to both students and faculty/staff. Please visit our website for hours and booking instructions. Faculty and Staff can [sign up](#) to have an in-class presentation scheduled for your course(s) or event, or register for the incentive program.

• Learning and Writing Support



- [Learning Support Sessions](#) – CSAS offers one-on-one learning support sessions where students can meet with Peer Learning Assistants to discuss any learning challenges and devise solutions to those difficulties. We discuss a variety of topics including test and exam prep., time management, and academic reading.



- [Writing Consultation Sessions](#) – CSAS offers one-on-one writing consultation sessions where students can meet with one of our experienced writing consultants to discuss a writing assignment for a Carleton course. Sessions are free of charge for Carleton students and are designed to meet the student wherever they are in the writing process.
- [Online Workshops](#) – these workshops are offered asynchronously on Brightspace. There are 19 different topics offered and students can do them at their own pace. Feel free to self-enrol via the [Online Resources](#) page on our website.
- [In-person workshops/Webinars](#) – some of our workshops are held synchronously, in person or virtually via MS Teams. Students can view the events and register by logging into [Carleton 360](#), clicking on 'MySuccess', selecting 'Workshops/Events', followed by 'CSAS Events'.
- [Incentive Program](#) – in supported courses, students gain a course incentive by attending Learning & Writing Support Workshops offered **online via Brightspace**. Instructions for self-enrolment can be found on the [Online Resources](#) page.
- [Learning and Writing Development Series](#) – these series aim to enhance student learning in an academic environment and focus on various learning and writing skills. All the development series are also eligible for the [CCR](#).

• Peer Assisted Study Sessions (PASS)



[PASS](#) offers course-specific weekly study sessions led by peer facilitators. Each study session will have an associated worksheet that is accessible through Brightspace and can be used as a study tool throughout the term. This service offers review sessions, mock exams, and office hours. Students who frequently attend PASS have been shown to receive promising final grades. At the start of every academic year, students can check and see if any of their courses are [supported by PASS](#). This service is offered during the fall and winter semesters.

• Academic Writing for English Language Learners (ELLs)

CSAS offers [weekly support sessions](#) that focus on effectively applying and practicing select grammar points in academic writing and are facilitated by an experienced instructor. These sessions are offered during the fall and winter semesters.

Connect with CSAS!

Open Monday to Friday – 8:30 am – 4:30 pm & Located on the 4th Floor of the MacOdrum Library

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