

Academic Success & Achievement Program

UNIVERSITY OF COLORADO BOULDER

The Academic Success and Achievement Program (ASAP) provides **free** tutoring for **all** first year students and students living on campus:

https://www.colorado.edu/living/asap Students who are not eligible for ASAP tutoring or who are waiting a tutor group may find several resources across campus that are helpful as well.

Document Last Updated: February 15th, 2022

Academic Coaching:

- Arts & Sciences
 - o Go to https://www.colorado.edu/artssciences-advising/academic-coaching
- Engineering & Applied Science
 - o Go to https://www.colorado.edu/engineering-advising/academiccoaching
- University Exploration & Advising Center (Undecided)
 - o Website https://www.colorado.edu/exploratorystudies/advising-coaching
 - Contact UEACAdvising@colorado.edu
- Environmental Design
 - https://www.colorado.edu/envd/current-students/academic-advising/academiccoaching

Applied Mathematics Help:

- Check your course Canvas page to find out when your TAs and LAs are holding office hours.
 - Applied Math Learning Center:
 https://www.colorado.edu/amath/resources/applied-mathematics-learning-center
- The Department maintains a private tutor list for Applied Math courses. Any student can
 contact and hire a tutor privately. A copy of the private tutor list is available at this link:
 https://www.colorado.edu/amath/resources/applied-math-tutor-list
- BOLD Center: https://www.colorado.edu/engineering/bold-center/bold-ssc-tutoring
- Exam Archive: https://www.colorado.edu/amath/academics/exam-archives

Arts & Science:

- Study Buddies Program:
 - Small, self organizing study groups that meet in person and/or virtually.
 - Program for students in the following sections of A&S courses
 - ARTH 1500 section 100
 - CHEM 1133 sections 100, 200, 300
 - EBIO 1210 sections 001, 002,003, 004
 - ECON 2010 Sections 100, 200
 - HIST 1025 sections 001, 100
 - HIST 2516 section 001
 - PHYS 2010 section 100
 - PHYS 2020 section 100
 - PSYC 1001 Sections 001, 002, 003, 004, 005, 214R
 - SOCY 1001 sections 100, 200
 - o To sign up visit:

https://www.colorado.edu/artsandsciences/academics/enrichmentopportunities/cu-study-buddies

Astrophysical and Planetary Sciences Help:

- An online Astronomy Help Room will be available this semester. It will be staffed with TAs from 2-6pm Tuesday-Thursday. Sign up is required at least 30 min in advance.
 - More information and the Zoom link can be found here:
 https://www.colorado.edu/aps/undergraduate-students/tutoring#:~:text=Astronomy%20Help%20Room&text=The%20TAs%20will%20be%20staffing,to%20students%20taking%20our%20courses
- A list of private tutors can be found at the link above. The fee for tutoring is determined by the student and tutor.

Biochemistry Help:

- The Department provides a "Tutor List" for students looking to hire a private tutor: https://www.colorado.edu/biochemistry/current-students/undergraduate/tutor-list
- The Department also provides academic advising: https://www.colorado.edu/biochemistry/current-students/undergraduate/advising

Chemistry Help:

- The Department provides contact information for tutors in specific courses within the Department. For more information and access to the tutor list, visit the following link: https://www.colorado.edu/chemistry/courses/tutoring
- Contact (303) 492-8950 or <u>anne.mcwilliams@colorado.edu</u> with questions about tutoring
- For resources in Organic Chemistry (exam archives, study question answers, etc.), visit http://www.orgchemboulder.com/

 The Department also provides academic advising: https://www.colorado.edu/chemistry/undergraduate/advising

Classics Help:

- Email the Classics department for a list of graduate students available to hire as tutors.
 - o Classics@colorado.edu
- Advising is available <a href="https://www.colorado.edu/classics/undergraduate/undergraduate-undergra

Computer Science Help:

- Resources for Computer Science can be found at the following link: https://www.colorado.edu/cs/current-students/computing-resources
- BOLD Center tutors: https://www.colorado.edu/engineering/bold-center/bold-ssc-tutoring

Continuing Education Help:

- Free tutoring service for students enrolled in Continuing Education evening and online credit courses.
- Tutors specialize in helping students with traditional papers, but they can assist with web design, video, blogging, Prezi, PowerPoint, professional materials (resumes, cover letters, etc.), and other projects as well.
- Tutors and students share assignments via Google docs and students have the option of communicating with tutors synchronously via Skype or Google Hangout or asynchronously via email.
- Link: http://composition.colorado.edu

Ecology and Evolutionary Biology Help:

EBIO Writing Lab:

- https://www.colorado.edu/ebio/undergraduate/ebio-writing-lab
- Location: Ketchum 1B82
- Open to EBIO majors and CU students enrolled in EBIO classes
- EBIO writing instructors help students improve written lab reports, research proposals, essays, or other EBIO writing assignments.
- For EBIO majors, instructors can else assist with an Honors Thesis, a chapter in a doctoral dissertation, a master's thesis, or a journal article.
- Available in person or online. Email Stephanie Renfrow
 (<u>Stephanie.Renfrow@Colorado.EDU</u>) and/or Harrison Carpenter
 (<u>Harrison.Carpenter@Colorado.EDU</u>). In your email, include the following information:
 - Your name
 - The writing project you would like to discuss

- Several "best days and times" for us to meet
- o Any other information you think will help us understand your project
- After receiving your email, we can set up a day/time for a Zoom meeting. Please be patient and send your email well in advance of your due date.
- Undergraduate TAs are available to help students taking **EBIO 1210 and/or 1230 in the fall**, and students taking **EBIO 1230 and/or 1240 in the spring**.
- ***Note- The EBIO Help Room is not operating at this time.

Economics Help:

- https://www.colorado.edu/economics/undergraduate-program
- Virtual Drop In Tutoring Lab:
 - https://www.colorado.edu/economics/sites/default/files/attached-files/tutorlabspring22 0.pdf
 - ECON 1078, 1088, 2010, 2020, 3070, 3080 and 3818 and some upper-level courses.
- Private Tutor List (at a cost) https://www.colorado.edu/economics/sites/default/files/attached-files/tutorlistspring22.pdf

Engineering and Applied Sciences Help:

- BOLD Center: https://www.colorado.edu/engineering/bold-center/bold-ssc-tutoring
- Exam Archive: https://www.colorado.edu/engineering/bold-center/bold-ssc-tutoring/exam-archive

Environmental Design Help:

Peer Advising Resources

https://www.colorado.edu/envd/future-students/first-year-experience/peer-advising

Geological Sciences Help:

- Tutor Help Room (1000-2000 level geology courses): https://www.colorado.edu/geologicalsciences/resources/tutor-room
 - Have more questions? Email the head tutor (Ciara Asamoto) at Ciara. Asamoto@Colorado. EDU

Humanities Help:

- The Director of Undergraduate Studies for Humanities, Annjeanette Wiese (annjeanette.wiese@colorado.edu), has made a few recommendations as far as strategies for success in the Department.
 - Find a peer in class to study and discuss the material with.
 - Find guides online to help the student understand the basics of what they are reading--in addition to the reading itself, of course. Annjeanette can provide some specific resources for the student with this in mind or they can look for resources from instructors at universities, which are often helpful--sometimes

- it's just a matter of needing to understand the basics so that they can think more deeply about the texts.
- Listen to an audio version of the text while reading along.

Integrative Physiology Help:

• IPHY Tutoring: https://www.colorado.edu/iphy/undergrad/tutoring-iphy-courses

Languages Help:

ALTEC - Languages

- This state-of-the-art facility supports the study of foreign languages and cultures.
- A large multimedia library of materials offers foreign language CD's, DVD's, computer programs, (text)books, and magazines, as well as offering one of the best computer labs on campus.
- Provide online language-learning exercises
- https://www.colorado.edu/center/altec/

Asian Languages and Civilizations

- The Department of Asian Languages and Civilizations maintains a list of Graduate students who are interested in tutoring Chinese, Arabic, Korean, and Japanese students (information coming soon for tutors in Farsi and Hindi/Urdu). https://www.colorado.edu/alc/undergraduate/alc-language-programs/tutors
- They can be found here: http://www.colorado.edu/alc/resources/tutors-and-language-resources
- More information about undergraduate advising and contact information of Language Coordinators can be found at https://www.colorado.edu/alc/our-people/undergraduate-advising

French and Italian

- The Department of French and Italian provides a "Private Tutor List" for French and Italian in which any student can contact and hire a tutor privately which can be found at the following links.
 - French: https://www.colorado.edu/frenchitalian/undergraduate/french/french-tutor-lists
 - o Italian: https://www.colorado.edu/frenchitalian/current-students/undergraduate/italian/italian-tutor-lists
- There are "Student Groups" that the student can reach out to and join. The link to look at them: https://www.colorado.edu/frenchitalian/undergraduate/student-groups
- Students can also reach out to the Department to see if there are free study sessions or extra help that can be given. Their email is frenital@colorado.edu.

Spanish and Portuguese

• The Spanish and Portuguese Department also provides a "Private Tutor List" in which students can contact and hire a tutor privately.

o http://spanish.colorado.edu/tutors-and-translators

Mathematics Help:

MARC

• Location: MATH 175 & Remote

• Hours: 9AM – 9PM Monday through Thursday (9PM-11PM Remote)

9AM – 4PM Friday

9AM – 1PM Saturday (Remote) 9AM – 11PM Sunday (Remote)

Open to anyone that needs math assistance.

- FREE
- Rooms get busy depending on the day. If not right before a calculus test, people can usually find help without waiting too long.
- Contact: Daniel Moritz (Daniel.Moritz@colorado.edu)
- Website: http://math.colorado.edu/marc/

Private Tutoring (paid)

http://math.colorado.edu/documents/undergraduate/tutorlist.pdf

MCDB Help:

MCDB's Learning Lounge

- Where: Porter Bioscience Basement (B0054)
- A study area with graduate and undergraduate mentors
- Info: https://www.colorado.edu/mcdb/learning-lounge
- More information about days and times can be found in your course information on Canvas

Physics Help:

- CAPA Class assignments for many freshman-level courses are coordinated through CAPA (Computer Assisted Physics Assignments). Students who are enrolled in a course that utilizes CAPA should become familiar with the CAPA system. http://capa.colorado.edu/
- Help Room The <u>Physics Help Room</u> is both in-person (Duane G2B90) and virtual, offering TA and faculty support through Zoom! TA's and faculty are available during certain times of the day to assist students with specific courses. Please check the help room site for information on TA availability and to access Zoom links. Students should contact their instructor or TA for courses that are not yet listed.
- Physics Trades Teaching Lab The <u>Physics Trades Teaching Lab</u> offers students the
 opportunity to learn hands-on, practical techniques for operating machinery in the
 machine shop. Students who wish to fabricate items in the machine shop are advised to
 take the safety courses provided by this Lab.

- Physics Learning Laboratories The <u>Physics Learning Laboratories</u> page provides more information about advanced physics laboratories for undergraduate students.
- BOLD Center: https://www.colorado.edu/engineering/bold-center/bold-ssc-tutoring

Political Science Help:

- (information from the Advisors reach out for future updates)
- For students enrolled in methods (PSCI 2075/3075/3155), Alexandra Palmer/Ph.D. Candidate is the methods lab coordinator. She has office hours to assist with these courses:
 - Tuesdays/Wednesdays/Thursdays:
 - 9:00am 12:00pm and 1:00pm 5:00pm in Ketchum 251
 - You can also reach her at her email: Alexandra.palmer@colorado.edu

Writing Help:

Writing Center:

- The Writing Center offers FREE one-to-one writing tutorials with professional writing consultants.
- Students can bring in writing from any class at any stage of the writing process to receive feedback and advice. Consultants can help students to clarify, articulate, and organize their ideas, improve sentence style, use citation appropriately, and become better at self-editing.
- Writing Center sessions must be reserved in advance by visiting: https://www.colorado.edu/program/writingcenter/schedule-appointment
- Contact (303) 735-6906 or wrtghelp@colorado.edu
- Visit https://www.colorado.edu/pwr/writing-center for complete details.
- Resources regarding rhetoric, the writing process, conducting research, etc. can be found at https://www.colorado.edu/pwr/student-resources

Other Supports:

- SASC
 - SASC is a multi-cultural academic learning community. Current SASC students are eligible to receive one-on-one and small group study support throughout Learning Mentors Program. https://www.colorado.edu/sasc/tutoring
- Mentor Collective Program
 - Links students with an upper division peer mentor who helps students navigate college life and develop valuable academic and professional skills
 - For more information, visit https://www.colorado.edu/artssciences-advising/mentor-collective
- Student Athlete Tutoring

Athletes on varsity teams are eligible for tutoring the Herbst Academic Center.
 Athletes are informed of tutoring services during orientation.

Miramontes Arts & Sciences Program (MASP)

- Students enrolled in MASP are provided Academic Co-Seminars and can obtain tutoring in EPOB, MCDB, Chemistry, Calculus, Writing, and Physics.
- o Info: http://www.colorado.edu/masp/

International Student and Scholar Services

- A variety of resources are available to help international students succeed at CU through International Student and Scholar Services.
- Students needing ESL (English as a Second Language) support with language skills can visit https://www.colorado.edu/isss/students/current-students/cultural-resources/esl-information for information about classes, pronunciation and writing assistance, and community programs.

• CAPS Workshops:

- Virtual Workshops
- Info: https://www.colorado.edu/counseling/workshops

Paid Tutors:

- o BuffTutors: https://bufftutor.com/
- o Buffalo Academy: https://buffacademy.com/
- Dragonfly Tutoring: https://in-hometutoring.com/

• Technology Support (Office of Information Technology)

- Provides free, drop-in computing support for students
- Can help with troubleshooting on devices, connecting to the campus network, installing operating systems, restoration, software installation, and virus removal, among other things
- Locations in CASE, Norlin Commons, and Williams Village
- Hours, locations, and more information about services can be found at https://oit.colorado.edu/support/buff-techs-desktop-support

• <u>Campus Tutoring Webpage:</u>

 https://www.colorado.edu/office-undergraduate-education/programs/cuboulder-tutoring