



Dominican University of California's
Academic Advising and Support Center
FALL 2007 ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE WORKSHOPS
ALL WORKSHOPS: 4:00 - 5:30 p.m.
Except SPSS: 5:30 - 7:00 p.m.

No registration required for these free workshops.
For more information or to schedule a one-on-one session, contact Lisa Haydon at 415-257-1317.

Test-Taking Strategies: Learn how to prepare for and analyze all parts of an exam. The workshop covers multiple choice, essay, and true or false exams. Examples of real test questions are analyzed.

Tuesday, Aug. 28/TLC
Monday, Oct. 8/TLC
Thursday, Oct. 11/TLC
Wednesday, Nov. 14/TLC
Thursday, Nov. 15/TLC

Plagiarism? Not Me! What is plagiarism? How is it different from plain old cheating? With Dominican's new plagiarism-identification software, MyDropBox, everyone needs to know how to use sources wisely and carefully in writing research papers.

Wednesday, Sept. 5/TLC

How to Write a Research Paper: Learn to select and narrow a topic, use research methods, take notes, organize materials (outline), write the paper, and check over the final product (proofreading techniques).

Monday, Sept. 10/TLC
Tuesday, Oct. 30/TLC

How to Read a Science Text: Learn how to best read scientific texts, finish all the reading, and retain information.

Thursday, Sept. 13/TLC

APA and MLA Documentation Styles: Learn how to document in-text references, create a reference page and much more.

MLA: Tues. 9/25 + Wed. 10/17
APA: Wed. 9/26 + Tues. 10/16
Note: All Documentation Styles workshops meet in Lib 222

How to Read a Philosophy Text: Learn how to increase comprehension and enjoyment while reading philosophy texts.

Tuesday, Oct. 2/TLC

Making the Most of Your Advising Appointment: What can you expect from your advisor? What does your advisor need from you? Learn how to get what you want from this important working relationship.

Wednesday, Oct. 3/TLC

Fearless Test-Taking: Learn how to effectively stop test anxiety and improve your grades.

Thursday, Oct. 4/TLC
Wednesday, Nov. 7/TLC

SPSS: Learn some of the basics about entering data into your computer, organizing data, and using SPSS (Statistical Package for the Social Sciences) to compute means, standard deviations, correlations, and t-tests.

Tuesday, Oct. 9/Lib 211
Note: 5:30 - 7:00 p.m.

How to Write a Literature Review: Learn the complete basics for understanding and writing literature reviews.

Tuesday, Oct. 23/TLC

How to Write an Abstract: Learn how to write a research abstract to use in submitting research documents for course work or publication, and for preparation for formal presentations. For all majors.

Thursday, Nov. 1/TLC

TLC = Bertrand 110 Lib = Library