ON-CAMPUS ACADEMIC RESOURCES

UA Career Center (career.sa.ua.edu)

The Career Center partners with students as they explore possibilities, develop skills and connect with opportunities related to their professional endeavors. The Career Center’s services are currently virtual:

- Students can schedule an appointment via phone or Zoom with a Career Consultant on Handshake or by phone: 205-348-5848.
- The Career Center website has countless online resources about resumes, interviews, online portfolios, external career opportunities and open micro-internship assignments.
- The Career Center is still updating Handshake with job opportunities and virtual career fair information.

Writing Center (writingcenter.ua.edu)

The Writing Center provides free one-on-one consultations for UA students in all disciplines. The Center is currently offering both asynchronous (with feedback via email) and real-time video consultations (via Zoom) throughout the summer term.

- E-tutoring sessions are a great option if students already have a good understanding of their assignment and a draft of the paper. After the tutor sends feedback, students can review it and make revisions at their convenience. E-tutoring at the Writing Center is asynchronous, meaning students don’t need to be online for a live session, but should upload their draft before the appointment start time.
- Online/real-time sessions allow for more conversation and an opportunity to ask questions. If students need help brainstorming, understanding their assignment, deciding on a research strategy, improving the writing process, or learning a new citation style, they might prefer a real-time session.
- From the Writing Center’s website, students can click on “Make an Appointment” to access their online appointment system. Once in the system, students can find an appointment by day/time or by looking for a specific tutor specialty.
Capstone Center for Student Success (success.ua.edu)

The CCSS offers students a broad range of academic support programs, tutoring, skills sessions and workshops. Tutoring and workshops have moved online and are easily accessible in real-time. Many now don’t even require an appointment! CCSS will continue serving Undergraduate students daily in 10 Bidgood Hall with a few variations:

- Services are available online — CCSS is using Zoom videoconferencing for tutoring, coaching and skill-building sessions.
- For courses with pre-scheduled dates and times, follow the “Join” link located below each session. You will be directed to sign in, then directed to the appropriate Zoom meeting room for your scheduled session.
- For courses that are “By Appointment,” check out the appointment-based options on the CCSS website or email to request assistance: ccssinfo@ua.edu!

Academic Support provides tutoring by trained peer coaches and tutors for a variety of different courses. Sessions are designed to assist students with attaining a deeper understanding of course materials.

- Assistance is available to students for a variety of math courses. These sessions are available for students to drop-in, ask questions and seek assistance.
- Small Group tutorial sessions are facilitated by peer leaders and instructors. These sessions offer students the opportunity to integrate study strategies with specific course content.
- Review sessions are facilitated by peer leaders. These sessions offer students the opportunity to go back over specific course content they are learning during their course meetings.

Please call the Capstone Center for Student Success with any questions: (205-348-5175).
Office of Disability Services (ods.ua.edu)

The Office of Disability Services (ODS) is the central campus resource for students who wish to request academic accommodations. In collaboration with students and instructors, our staff coordinate accommodations and support to ensure equal access to an education:

- If a student needs to request temporary adjustments due to COVID-19, please complete the Student COVID Request Form. Students will then be contacted by COVID Support Staff. The form can be found here.
- Students may need to request adjustments due to any of the following:
  - You are 65 years or older
  - Your medical provider has determined you are an individual who is considered high risk according to the CDC
  - You care for or reside with an individual who is considered high risk according to the CDC
  - If you have tested positive for COVID-19
  - If you are pregnant
  - If you have childcare concerns

Online Learning Assistance

For assistance with UA account-based services or software, students should seek help from the UA Office of Instructional Technology and their IT Service Desk. You may call the desk hotline at 205-348-5555 or email ITSD@ua.edu!

For assistance with online learning platforms such as Blackboard Learn, or video-conferencing software such as Zoom, students should contact the College of Continuing Studies Tech Support by calling 205-348-9157 or emailing techsupport@ccs.ua.edu.
UA Counseling Center (counseling.ua.edu)

“We are here to serve students. Transitioning can be a big adjustment. Struggling is okay.” —Dr. Greg Vander Wal, Executive Director

The University of Alabama Counseling Center’s mission is to help UA students achieve academic success and personal growth through quality brief counseling and psychological services, outreach and consultative services, and training of mental health professionals.

For the Fall 2020 semester, the Counseling Center remains open to serve the UA community with modified services that comply with safety measures while continuing to provide clinical services to the campus community:

• If Individual counseling services are available for new and returning clients through video sessions.
  • Please call 205-348-3863 to schedule an appointment or consult with a counselor. The office will be open to phone calls Monday through Friday, from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

• New this fall, the Counseling Center is offering same-day 30-minute single session phone consultation appointments with a therapist. These sessions are designed to help students with non-emergency mental health needs and wish to consult with a therapist about a specific concern, have a specific question, are interested in a single therapy session or are interested in receiving brief advice/recommendations.
  • Students wanting to schedule a same-day session should call the Counseling Center (348-3863) soon after 8 a.m. to schedule an appointment for later that day.

• Group Counseling Services for the fall semester begin the week of Monday, August 31. Visit the Counseling Center’s groups website for up-to-date schedules and topics.

If you are in crisis or are experiencing an emergency, please call 205-348-3863 Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. through 5 p.m., to speak with a counselor immediately. Outside these hours, please contact UAPD at 205-348-5454 and ask to speak with the on-call counselor.
Online Advising

The majority of advising will take place online across all colleges at the University. Make sure to call your college (based on major) for up-to-date specifics.

The following is contact information for advising in each college:
- **College of Arts & Sciences**: 200 Clark Hall; student.services@as.ua.edu
- **Culverhouse College of Business**: 10 Bidgood Hall; businessatbama@cba.ua.edu
- **C&IS**: 190 Reese Phifer Hall; tischstudentserv@ua.edu
- **College of Education**: 104 Carmichael Hall; eduadvisor@bamaed.ua.edu
- **College of Engineering**: 2087 H.M. Comer; gsingleton@eng.ua.edu
- **College of Human Environmental Sciences**: 206 Doster Hall; hesstudents@ches.ua.edu

On-Campus Library Schedule

The University's on-campus libraries will be operating on modified schedules for an indefinite period, and some may require a reservation to make use of study spaces. Go to lib.ua.edu for the most up-to-date library schedule and reservation processes (if applicable). Below is a list of current operating hours at campus libraries:

- **Rodgers Library**: Monday-Thursday: 8 a.m. to 10:30 p.m.; Friday: 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.; Saturday: 9:45 a.m. to 5 p.m.; Sunday: 1 p.m. to 10:30 p.m.
- **Gorgas Library**: Monday-Thursday: 9 a.m. to 10:30 p.m.; Friday-Saturday: 7 a.m. to 5 p.m.; Sunday: 12 p.m. to 10:30 p.m.
- **Angelo Bruno Business Library**: Monday-Thursday: 8 a.m. to 10:30 p.m.; Friday: 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.; Saturday: Closed; Sunday: 1 p.m. to 10:30 p.m.
- ** McClure Education Library**: Monday-Thursday: 8 a.m. to 10 p.m.; Friday: 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.; Saturday: Closed; Sunday: 1 p.m. to 10 p.m.