



APSU Writing Center

Austin Peay State University Writing Center Newsletter

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APSU Writing Center Mission

The on-campus Writing Center at Austin Peay State University fosters a collaborative environment where consultants and students work on writing, brainstorming, outlining, drafting, and revising. Regardless of the assignment, Writing Center consultants are trained to work with students at all stages of the writing process, emphasizing individual learning and accountability and assisting students as they develop as writers. This free resource is available to all APSU students.



Hello from Director Dr. Allie Johnston!



The season of love is upon us! Many have a love/hate relationship with writing. Writing surrounds us: in our daily lives, academics, and work. Learning to fall in love with parts of the writing process can be a way to begin warming up to writing. Romanticize the process of sitting down to write with a fun drink, good music, and calming environment. We at the Writing Center hope to help you fall in love with writing this semester!



Come Join Us!

Are you a student who likes writing and wants a flexible schedule? Are you an APSU professor who has a strong writing student? Please work with us! Check out job opportunities on APSU Handshake!

APSU Writing Center Hours



Monday: 9:00am - 5:00pm



Tuesday: 9:00am - 5:00pm

Wednesday: 9:00am - 5:00pm

Thursday: 9:00am - 5:00pm

Friday: 9:00am - 3:00pm

Contact Us

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Meet the Staff!



Our trained tutors represent a variety of majors, years, and experiences, so you are sure to find a good fit for your writing needs!

Writing Tutors

Alina Aumiller,

Agriculture: Sustainable Development

Cameron Leroy, English

Cate Bruce, Radiology

Eitan Lawrence, Computer Science

Jacob Winnett, Special Education

Jocelyn Smith, English

Mario Cosio, Agriculture: Sustainable Development

Philip Shearer, Classics + History

Richard Carney, English/Foreign Language - Classical Cultures

Rylie Morris, English w/

Professional Education Minor

Sybil Brush, English

Traonna Cunningham, Biology

Winter Parker, English

Graduate Students

Darelys Lugo, English

Gaybreala Pearson, English

Isaac Welfare, English

Jessica White, English

Kayah Newell, English

Marie Ryales, English

Front Desk

Abigail Hall, English

Dakota Donahue, English

Grace Loggins, Classics

Kara Clark, English

Savannah Williams,

Engineering Technology

Valerie Myhand, English

Administrative Assistant

Lauren Cowan



Introducing our GTA Assistant Directors!

In addition to tutoring, these GTAs assist with administrative tasks including planning workshops, leading class visits, creating resources, and more!



Darelys Lugo



Isaac Welfare



Kayah Newell

Writing Center Activities

Dr. Johnston and the Writing Center will receive the Southeastern Writing Center Association (SWCA) Center Acknowledgement and Recognition of Excellence Program (CARE) Certification at the SWCA Conference in February.

Dr. Johnston will present at the SWCA Conference along with Isaac Welfare, Darelys Lugo, Winter Parker, and CECA Administrative Assistant Calie Benke.



Upcoming Activities

The Writing Center and Peay Composed (QEP) are hosting a **Spring Papers and Pizza: Writing Center Open House and Drop-In Writing and Research Support** event - April 10th, 11 a.m - 5 p.m.



Important!

Instructors: Please send us your assignment sheets or reach out in advance of sending students so we can prepare accordingly. We are also happy to come to your class for workshops or presentations on our services!