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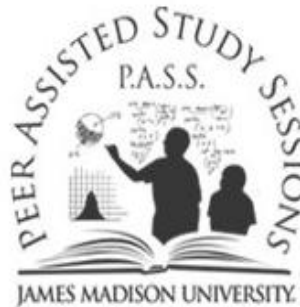
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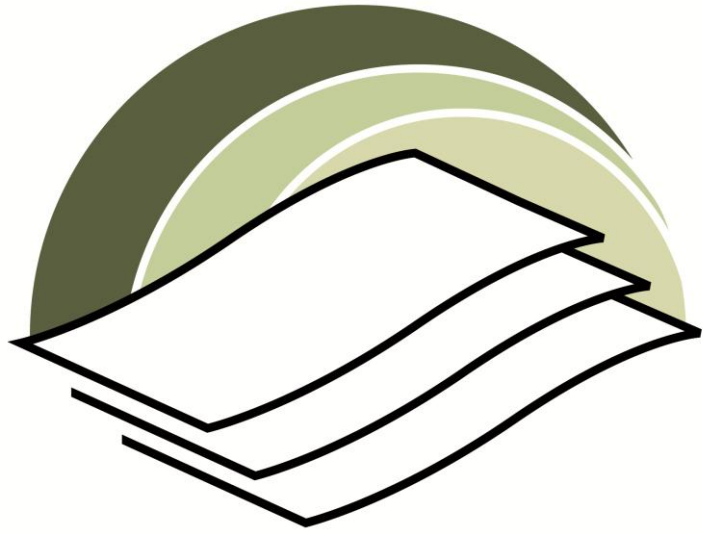
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Our Hours:

- Monday - Thursday: 10 a.m. - 7 p.m.
 - Friday: 10 a.m. - 2 p.m.
 - Sunday: 3 p.m. - 7 p.m.
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- Meet with a consultant in-person or online in real time – it's free!
 - Make a 25 or 50-minute appointment, it's up to you!

The Writing Process



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James Madison University

Learning Better Together



Empowering Your Process



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What We Do

- Review Instructions
- Collaborate
- Ask Questions
- Discover Resources
- Develop Ideas
- Introduce Techniques
- Give Examples



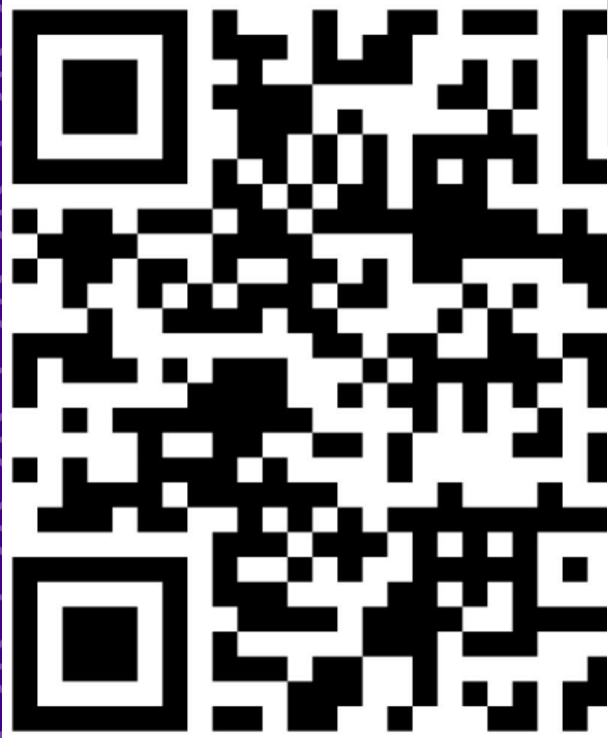
Welcome to the UWC



What an Appointment Looks Like



How to Make an Appointment

A screenshot of the James Madison University (JMU) Writing Center website. The header is purple with the JMU logo and navigation links. A yellow banner welcomes visitors to the University Writing Center. A sidebar on the left lists various services, with a red arrow pointing to 'SCHEDULE AN APPOINTMENT'. The main content area features a green callout box, a paragraph about online scheduling, and a photo of two students working on a laptop.

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The Writing Center is supporting students and staff online this summer! You can schedule a writing consultation online by visiting our [Schedule an Appointment](#) page.

You can make anything by writing. We can help

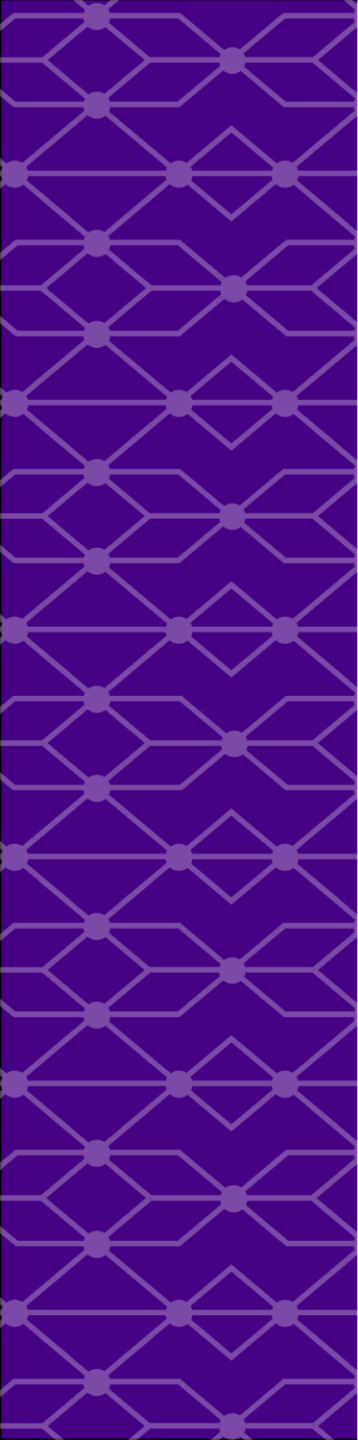
The UWC's team of professional writing consultants is ready to assist you with all your academic, professional, and personal writing projects.

We offer in-person and online sessions starting on the hour and half hour. Sessions are generally ~25 or ~ 50 minutes.

The UWC is OPEN!

11-11-2022 10:00 AM - 5:00 PM

A photograph of two students, a woman and a man, sitting at a table. The woman is on the left, looking at a laptop. The man is on the right, gesturing with his hands while talking. They are both wearing grey sweatshirts with 'JAMES MADISON' printed on them. There is a blue water bottle on the table.



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We can also help with all the stuff that comes later.

We offer in-person sessions in JMU's Student Success Center, online sessions through our WCOonline scheduler, and walk-in, café-style help in our East Campus satellite location.



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We offer 30- and 60-minute face-to-face and online sessions in the University Writing Center, [located](#) in JMU's Student Success Center.

RETURNING THIS FALL: East Campus Walk-ins!
Thursdays from 3:00 - 7:00 pm in EnGeo 0303



Schedule Your UWC Session

How to schedule an effective UWC session

60 minutes or 30 minutes?

Face to face or online?

Can I walk in and meet with a consultant?

Plan Your UWC Session

What happens in a face-to-face or online UWC session?

How to get the most out of your UWC session

How to set up and plan for a group session

Beyond Your UWC Session

Empowering JMU Writers

UWC online writing resources

FAQs: Proving your UWC visit, feeling sick, running late, inclement weather, and more

First visit? [Register for an account.](#)

Returning? Log in below.

Email Address	
Password	

Check this box to stay logged in: ☐

Log In

Having trouble logging in?
[Reset your password.](#)

Receiving unwanted texts?
[Remove your mobile number.](#)

Welcome to the University Writing Center's Online Scheduler!

If this is your first visit, please register for an account by clicking the link to the left.

Enter your log-in information to access the schedule.

Policies:

- Booking a session on this scheduler will guarantee you can work with a consultant. Walk-ins may not be able to be helped during busy times.
- If you are 10+ minutes late to a session, your appointment may be cancelled and given to another client.
- If you can't attend your session, please cancel it from the scheduler at least an hour in advance of your meeting.

Hours:

- Monday - Thursday: 10:00 am - 8:00 pm
- Friday: 10:00 am - 2:00 pm
- Sunday: 3:00 pm to 8:00 pm

Location:

- First Floor of the Student Success Center in the Learning Centers space (with online remote sessions also available)

First Name *

Last Name *

Name Pronunciation ?

Email Address *

What is your anticipated graduation year? *

-- please select --

Personal Pronouns

-- please select --

JMU Status *

-- please select --

First or Home Language *

-- please select --

Major or Academic Department *

Student or Faculty ID (JACard Number) *

Password

Passwords must be ten or more characters long.

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Re-enter Password *

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Dec. 9: Tuesday	10:00 am		11:00 am		12:00 pm	1:00 pm
<u>Amber Sykhammountry</u> (<u>She/They</u>).						
<u>Aminat Oyelude</u> (<u>she/her</u>).						
<u>Kathryn Hughes</u> (<u>She/Her</u>).						
<u>Marina Hlouverakis</u> (<u>She/Her</u>).						
<u>Rudy Barrett</u> (<u>He/Him</u>).						
<u>Kathy Clarke</u> (<u>She/Her</u>).						
<u>Kevin Jefferson</u> (<u>He/Him</u>).						
<u>Freddie Tavakoli</u>						
<u>Joni Hayward Marcum</u> (<u>She/Her</u>).						
<u>LeeAnne English-Stewart</u>						



Tuesday, Sep. 3, 2024 | 11:30 am to

12:00 pm ▾

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Samantha Wong (She/Her) | UWC Fall 2024

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Meet Online?

☒ **No. Schedule Face-to-Face appointment.**

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-- please select -- ▾

Course Number (ex: 103, 252) If not for a course, type 000 *

Instructor's Last Name. If no instructor, select "None" *

-- please select -- ▾

What kind of writing task is this?

-- please select -- ▾

Assignment Due Date *

Number of pages written *

☐ Check if this is a group-written paper. The UWC strongly prefers all group members attend.

What motivated you to make this appointment? (please check any and all that apply). (check all that apply)

- ☐ I am a multilingual writer
- ☐ I used the Writing Center in the past and found it helpful
- ☐ The Writing Center gave a presentation or workshop in my class/program
- ☐ I am not confident as a writer
- ☐ I want help responding to feedback on my writing
- ☐ A friend or classmate recommended the Writing Center
- ☐ My professor recommended/mentioned the Writing Center
- ☐ My professor required a Writing Center visit
- ☐ This is my first time doing this type of writing
- ☐ I need help understanding my writing assignment
- ☐ I earned a grade I am not satisfied with on a previous assignment

What are your concerns about this writing task? *

Do you have anything you would like to share about yourself to help us best support you? (e.g. ability status, stress level)

File Attachments

To attach a file to this appointment, click on the link below. **File attachments must be 5MB or less and in one of the following formats: .doc, .docx, .pages, .pdf, .rtf, .txt, .wpd, .wps, .xls, or .xlsx.** If making a repeating appointment, files will only be attached to the first (this) appointment.

File

Document Title

Existing Appointment

Appointment Tools ▾

CREATED: Dec. 3, 2025 8:47 am by Kathryn Hughes

LAST EDITED: Dec. 3, 2025 11:15 am by Joni Hayward Marcum

Kathryn Hughes

Pronounces name: KATH-rin Höōz

Personal Pronouns: She/Her

JMU Status: Graduate Student

Tuesday, December 9, 2025 | 12:00 pm to 1:00 pm

Joni Hayward Marcum (She/Her) | UWC Fall 2025

Online

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Start or Join Online Consultation



Appointment Details

Course (if not for a course, select other and answer questions below)

Writing Rhetoric and Technical Communication_WRTC

Course Number (ex: 103, 252) If not for a course, type 000

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Instructor's Last Name. If no instructor, select "None"

Das_Meghalee

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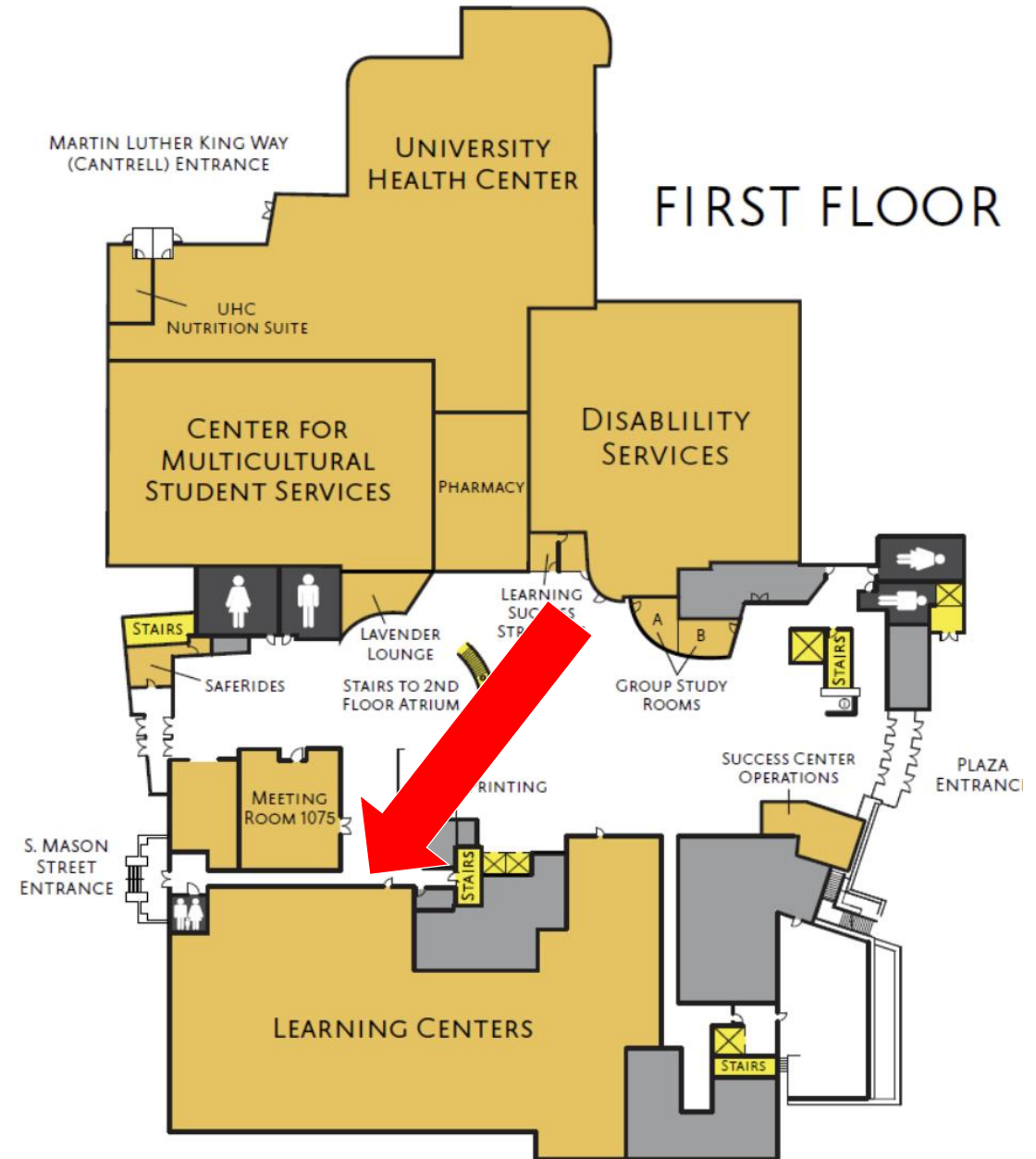
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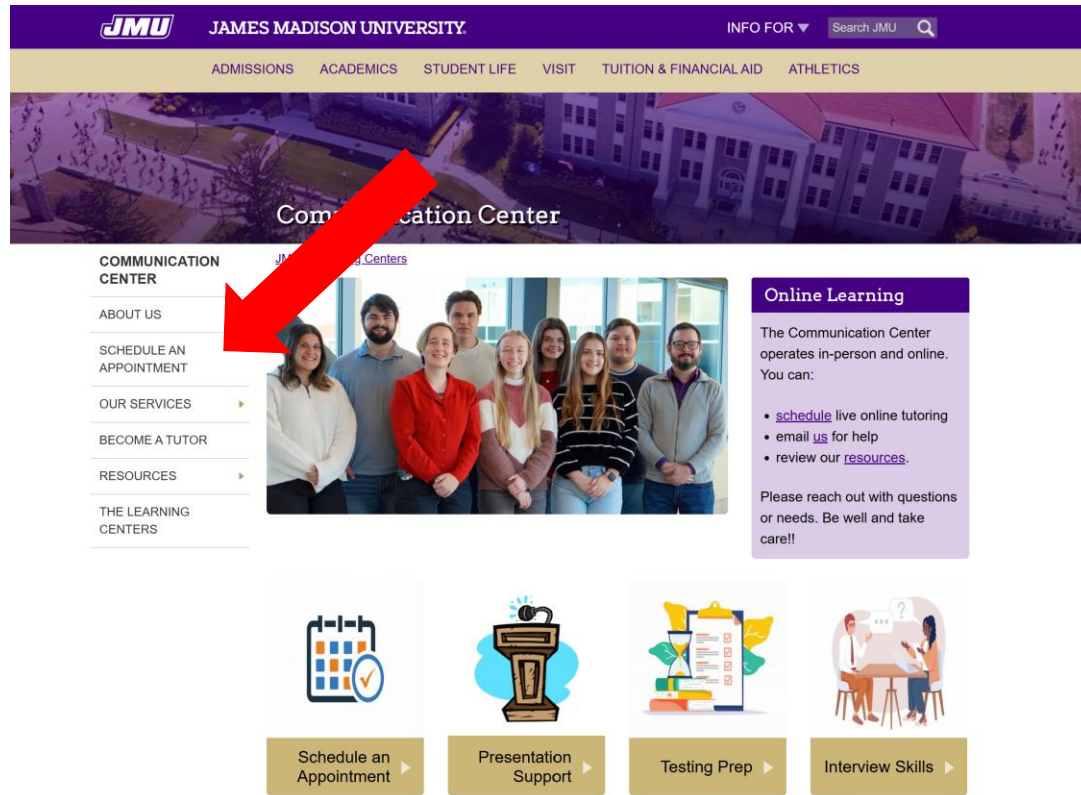


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Online Learning

The Communication Center operates in-person and online. You can:

- [schedule](#) live online tutoring
- email [us](#) for help
- review our [resources](#).

Please reach out with questions or needs. Be well and take care!!

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Presentation Support ▶

Testing Prep ▶

Interview Skills ▶

Create New Appointment

Client ?

Bouza, Emily (bouzaea@jmu.edu)

Sunday, Dec. 8, 2024 | 3:00 pm to 3:30 pm ▼

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Sara Buie (She/Her) | UWC Fall 2024

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English Language Consultations

Faculty and students seeking English language support may make an appointment for a one-to-one custom consultation.

English Language Consultations often include working on written or oral academic assignments from all disciplines, including theses and dissertations, as well as publications.

Please contact Dr. Kristen Kelley
at kelle8km@jmu.edu to schedule an appointment.



Questions?

