

Academic Skills Workshops 2023-24

The St. George Campus College Writing Centres, in collaboration with University of Toronto Libraries, Career Exploration & Education, English Language Learning, and Academic Success, are offering a free, campus-wide series of academic skills workshops to the University's entire student body.

Workshops this year will be a mix of online and in-person. Online workshops will be offered through Zoom. Visit Writing Plus on Quercus at <u>uoft.me/writingplus</u> prior to the workshop, and navigate to the workshop on the schedule. For Admissions Letters workshops, pre-register at <u>clnx.utoronto.ca</u>. For in-person workshops, just show up at the location listed below.

Essay Writing from Start to Finish:

Improve your writing—improve your GPA! Find out how in these step-by-step workshops.

50-minute workshops, Tuesday afternoons University College, Room 248

Understanding the Assignment	Sep 12	4:10
Finding Scholarly Sources	Sep 19	4:10
Developing Your Thesis	Sep 26	4:10
Organizing Your Essay	Oct 3	4:10
Using Sources	Oct 10	4:10
Revising Your Essay	Oct 17	4:10

60-minute workshops, Saturday mornings Zoom

Understanding the Assignment	Sep 16 or Jan 6	9:30
Finding Scholarly Sources	Sep 16 or Jan 6	10:45
Developing Your Thesis	Sep 16 or Jan 6	12:00
Organizing Your Essay	Sep 23 or Jan 13	9:30
Using Sources	Sep 23 or Jan 13	10:45
Revising Your Essay	Sep 23 or Jan 13	12:00

Essential Skills:

Take control of your U of T experience by mastering these fundamentals of student success.

60-minute workshops, Saturday mornings Zoom

Survival Skills	Sep 9	9:30
Critical Reading and Thinking	Sep 9	10:45
Note-Taking	Sep 9	12:00
Making Your Sentences Flow	Sep 30	9:30
Writing Well Under Pressure	Sep 30	10:45
Memory and Concentration	Sep 30	12:00

Practical Grammar:

Learn the essentials of grammar to write more polished and effective prose.

60-minute workshops, Saturday mornings Zoom

Writing Grammatical Sentences	Oct 14	9:30
Editing for Grammar	Oct 14	10:45
Making Punctuation Work for You	Oct 14	12:00

Exam Prep Essentials:

Learn to study efficiently and effectively, and take your exams with confidence!

50-minute workshops, Tuesday afternoons University College, Room 248

Preparing for Multiple Choice Exams	Nov 14	4:10
Preparing for Essay Exams	Nov 21	4:10
Managing Stress	Nov 28	4:10

Admissions Letters and Personal Statements:

Applying to Medicine, Law, or another professional or graduate program? Learn how to present your strengths to advantage.

80-minute workshops, various times Zoom

Thursday, Sep 21	3:10 - 4:30
Friday, Oct 6	11:10 - 12:30
Wednesday, Oct 25	2:10 - 3:30
Tuesday, Nov 7	4:10 - 5:30
Thursday, Jan 11	1:10 - 2:30

