

The Learning Center is staffed with a full-time classified coordinator; twenty-four faculty members, both full and part-time, in a variety of disciplines such as English, ESL, Reading, Spanish, French, Vietnamese, and Chinese; nine tutors/learning facilitators in a variety of disciplines; and four part-time classified support staff. The Learning Center is equipped with 115 computers with appropriate educational software (*Focus on Grammar*, *English Mastery*, *Pronunciation Power*, *Ultimate Speed Reader*, foreign language software, and audio books); 35 laptops for student use; a library of dictionaries, thesauri, and reading development books; a variety of reading, writing, study skills, and language handouts; and department and individual faculty directed learning activities.

The Learning Center (<http://www.sac.edu/learningcenter>), located in Dunlap Hall D-301 and D-307, offers a wide selection of resources providing students with skills and strategies to promote their academic success. Services include supplemental learning Directed Learning Activities (DLAs), conferencing/tutoring, computer-aided instruction, and workshops in a variety of subjects including writing, study skills, reading, modern languages, accounting, math, biology, anthropology, sociology, political science, medical assisting, and engineering. All services are free to SAC students. Class orientations can be arranged for the first week of each semester.

The Learning Center is staffed with instructors, trained tutors, and learning assistants.

SAC students from any discipline can come to the Learning Center for assistance in reading and understanding their textbooks; taking notes; writing essays, research papers or personal statements; preparing oral and group presentations; and improving their grammar, vocabulary, or reading speed. In Fall 2013, the Learning Center assisted 10,235 students in 19 different disciplines.