Academy Resource Center (ARC)

How to access Academic Support through Brightspace

In Brightspace it’s easy to connect to academic support services.

First, select “Get Help” at the top of any class page, then “Academic Support” to access a variety of resources.

Academic Coaching Support

Provides one-on-one strategy coaching to strengthen academic skills. Supports students with time management, goal setting, and organization. Connects students to resources within Academy of Art University and provides community referrals as needed.

For more information or to connect with an Academic Coach, please visit Academic Coaching Support

Online Language Support (OLS)

Helps international and domestic students with language-related challenges.

For more information, please visit Online Language Support
To request Online Language Support, please fill out the Online English Support Request Form

English for Art Purposes (EAP)

Integrates the study of art and language. Helps International students succeed in their art and design classes while working to improve their English. Provides EAP language classes, labs, and in-class support.

For more information, please visit English for Art Purposes
415.618.6581 | eapsupport@art.edu | Zoom available by appointment

Additional Resources

Please take a look at our Time Management Apps and Tools, Virtual Student Health Resources and Wellness Apps found on our Links & Resources web page

For software tech support for most majors, email: labtechsupport@academyart.edu

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Virtual Language Lab

Writing Help
Students can get live, online writing help or use the Online Writing Lab (OWL), which accepts online submissions of up to 1,000 words twice per week for feedback from OWL tutors. To submit your assignment to OWL, please complete the Online Writing Lab Form. To meet with a writing tutor on Zoom, please Schedule a Writing Lab appointment.

Speaking Help
Students can get one-on-one help with critiques, presentation practice, and pronunciation. Schedule a Speaking Lab appointment.

Conversation Groups are also available, providing conversation practice with a tutor and often with other students. Schedule a Conversation Group appointment.

Additional Support Offered by Academy of Art University

Veterans Resource Center (VRC)
Provides valuable resources and a safe space for veteran students. The VRC will be open Monday through Friday from 8:00am-6:00pm PST (open until 8:00pm Thursdays) 79 New Montgomery St, 3rd Floor, Room 316 Academy Resource Center. The VRC Coordinator will be onsite Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday from 8:00am-4:30pm and remote all other days of the week. Contact information below:

Chhrystal Beamon, Student Services Coordinator: 415.618.8640 | cbeamon@academyart.edu
Veterans Resource Line: 415.618.3940 | vrc@academyart.edu
Zoom available by appointment.

Accessibility Resources
Ensures equal access throughout the university, both onsite/virtual and online, for students with disabilities and health conditions. For more information, please visit Accessibility Resources 415.618.3775 | accessibility@academyart.edu | Zoom available by appointment.

Title IX Resources
For information regarding Academy of Art University’s policy prohibiting gender discrimination, how to contact the Title IX Coordinator, or information on how to make a formal complaint of gender discrimination, please visit the Title IX web page.