

## **Books and Manuals:**

### ***Become a Master Student***

David B. Ellis, 1985.

### ***Study Smarter, Not Harder***

Kevin Paul, 1997.

### ***Writing at University: a Guide for Students***

Phyllis Crème, 2008.

### ***Making Sense: A Student's Guide to Writing and Style***

Margot Northey, 2009.

### ***Making Sense: A Student's Guide to Research and Writing: Social Sciences***

Margot Northey, 2009.

### ***A Manual for Writers of Research Papers, Theses, and Disserta- tions: Chicago Style for Students and Researchers***

Kate Turabian, 2007.

### **Other Books on Writing:**

<http://www.writing.utoronto.ca/books>

Menno Simons College is invested in the academic improvement and success of our students.

We encourage you to explore the resources outlined within.

Can't find the resource you are looking for?

Contact the Menno Simons College Academic Advisor by email or phone for assistance in finding additional resources to meet your needs.

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## **Academic Skills Guide:**

## **Resources to Help Improve Writing Skills and Study Habits**



# University of Winnipeg Resources:

## U of W Bookstore

Textbooks and Course Materials,  
Computer Software, eBooks,  
Supplies and Accessories  
Centennial Hall, 786-9706

## Library

Research Assistance, Reference and Data  
Retrieval, Interlibrary Loans,  
Student Computer Help  
4th floor, Centennial Hall  
<http://library.uwinnipeg.ca>

## Writing and Tutoring Centre

Free Tutoring, Writing Resources,  
E-Tutoring, Computer Lab  
3G10 786-9129  
[http://rhetoric.uwinnipeg.ca/Tutoring\\_Centre](http://rhetoric.uwinnipeg.ca/Tutoring_Centre)

## Counselling and Career Services

Study Skills, Career Exploration, Resume Help  
0GM06 786-9231  
<http://ccs.uwinnipeg.ca>

## Aboriginal Student Services

Study Skills, Tutoring, Mentors  
2L01  
<http://www.uwinnipeg.ca/index/services-aboriginal>

## Disability Services/Disability Resource Centre

Academic Accommodations  
Writing Test and Exams  
0GM12 786-9771  
<http://www.uwinnipeg.ca/index/services-disability>

## Global Welcome Centre

Tutoring, English Language Assistance  
for Newcomers and Refugees  
1E04, 511 Ellice Ave., 258-2946  
[www.uwinnipeg.ca/index/gwc-index](http://www.uwinnipeg.ca/index/gwc-index)

# Online Resources:

## Purdue University

### • Online Writing Lab

Academic Writing, Job Search Writing  
Quotations, Paraphrasing and Summarizing  
Research and Citation  
<http://owl.english.purdue.edu/owl/resource>

## University of Manitoba

### • Academic Handouts

Academic Writing  
Note Taking  
Learning and Memory  
Test and Exams,  
Oral Presentations  
Time Management  
<http://www.umanitoba.ca/student/u1/lac/handouts/handouts.html>

### • Online Workshops

Taking Class Notes  
Reading Textbooks  
Organizing Your Time  
Writing an Academic Paper  
<http://www.umanitoba.ca/student/u1/lac/handouts/handouts.html>

## University of Saskatchewan

### • Study Skills

Time Management  
Note Taking  
Preparing for Exams  
Reading Textbooks  
Writing a Term Paper  
<http://www.usask.ca/ulc/?q=node/64>

## University of Toronto

### • Advice on Academic Writing

Planning and Organizing  
Reading and Researching  
Using Sources  
Specific Types of Writing  
Style and Editing  
<http://www.writing.utoronto.ca/advice>

## York University

### • Pre-writing Strategies Tutorial

Understanding Assignments  
Gathering Ideas  
Organizing Notes  
Topic to Thesis  
<http://www.yorku.ca/tutorial/prewriting/>

### • Writing

Organizing an Essay  
Writing Paragraphs  
Revising an Essay  
Grammar and Mechanics  
<http://www.yorku.ca/yulearn/writing.html>

## University of Victoria

### • Writer's Guide

Writing Clear Sentences  
Developing Paragraphs  
Writing an Essay  
Documentation  
<http://web.uvic.ca/wguide/Pages/StartHere.html>