Writing Center





Our Mission

The Utah Valley University Writing Center supports writers from across campus in developing writing knowledge, skills, and confidence through a range of programs and services designed to meet the learning needs and preferences of writers from a range of academic, cultural, and linguistic backgrounds.



Programs & Resources

- The Writing Center includes the main Writing Center,
 Graduate Writing Center, and Writing Fellows program
- The Writing Center is a free resource available seven days a week to students from all colleges and majors
- Consultants can assist with any part of the writing process, from understanding assignments and getting started to final edits and revision

Programs & Resources

- Writers can receive individualized support from trained and certified writing consultants in-person, online, and via asynchronous video feedback
- In-person & online tutorials are 25- or 50-minutes in length, with 5-10 minutes designated for the Client Report Form
- The Writing Center offers 50+ handouts on a range of writing concepts
- Consultants can also support ELL students with writing, reading, speaking, listening and grammar



What to Expect from a Consultation

During a session, writers and consultants work together to

- identify goals for the session
- read and discuss the writer's work
- review or learn writing concepts
- apply and practice writing principles
- plan writing and revision tasks

Although consultants can assist writers with a wide range of topics and tasks, writers and consultants will determine a focus for each session rather than covering everything in a single session.

Making the Most of Your Visit

Schedule Early

While the Writing
Center welcomes dropin appointments,
schedule online to
guarantee a time and a
location (Fulton Library
208 or online) that
works best for you.

Come Prepared

Bring notes and questions about your work, and be ready to participate and collaborate with a writing consultant.

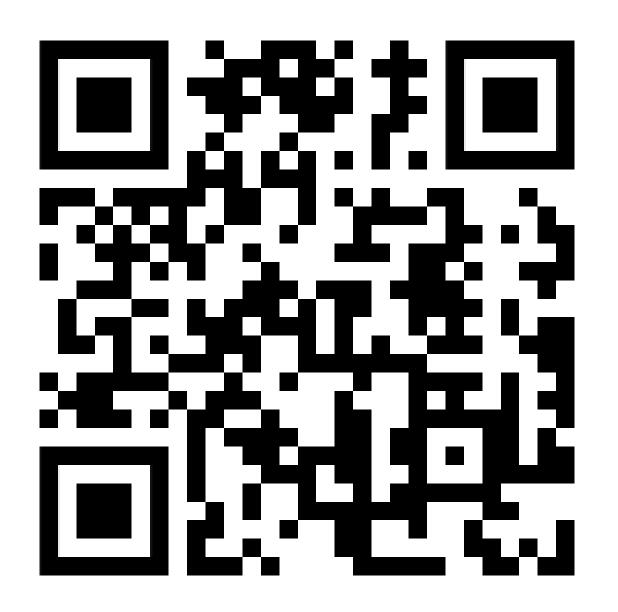
Arrive or login a few minutes early, so you do not miss your appointment.

Share Assignments

Attach your work and assignment guidelines to your appointment, or prepare to share them during your session.

Look for a post-session email outlining what you and your consultant discussed. This can be uploaded for assignment credit.

To schedule an appointment or access writing resources, visit uvu.edu/writingcenter



Scheduling an Appointment

Step 1: Creating an Account

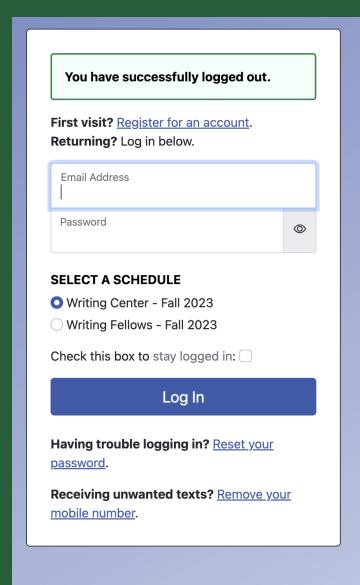
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To create an account, fill out the required information. Then click "create account" at the bottom of the page.

Tip: Use your UVU email address!

Step 2: Log In

To enter our appointment database, fill out your credentials to log in.



Welcome to the UVU Writing Center!

In-Person Consultations (30 or 60 minutes) allow writers to meet in-person with a writing consultant to brainstorm ideas, practice writing concepts, receive formative feedback on a draft, and develop plans for writing or revising their work. Most in-person consulting is appointment based, but drop-in appointments are typically available throughout the day. The Writing Center is located on the second floor of the Fulton library, past the circulation desk and on the right.

Online Consultations (30 or 60 minutes) allow writers to meet with a writing consultant on our website to collaborate in real-time. Writers and writing consultants share a screen and writing space, which makes it possible to look at assignments, brainstorm ideas, practice writing concepts, share resources, and discuss the writer's work. At the time of the online appointment, the writer should log in, open the appointment window, and click on the button that reads "Start or Join Online Consultation."

Video Feedback Consultations (60 minutes) allow writers to receive flexible, accessible support when they cannot make use of in-person or synchronous online services. To receive video feedback, writers upload their writing assignment guidelines and an up to five-page draft of their work along with three specific questions or concerns for a writing consultant to address in a short, personalized video. If the name on the work does not match the name on the account that made the appointment, consultants will not be able to give feedback. Writers should expect to receive an email with video feedback within one business day of their scheduled appointment. *Priority for this service is given to UVU students*.

If you have any issues making an appointment or registering for an account, don't hesitate to reach out to us by calling 801-863-8936 Monday-Saturday, or emailing writingcenter@uvu.edu any day of the week.

Fall 2023 Hours

Monday and Friday: 9am-5pm (in-person & online)

Tuesday - Thursday : 9am-7pm (in-person), 9am-9pm (online)

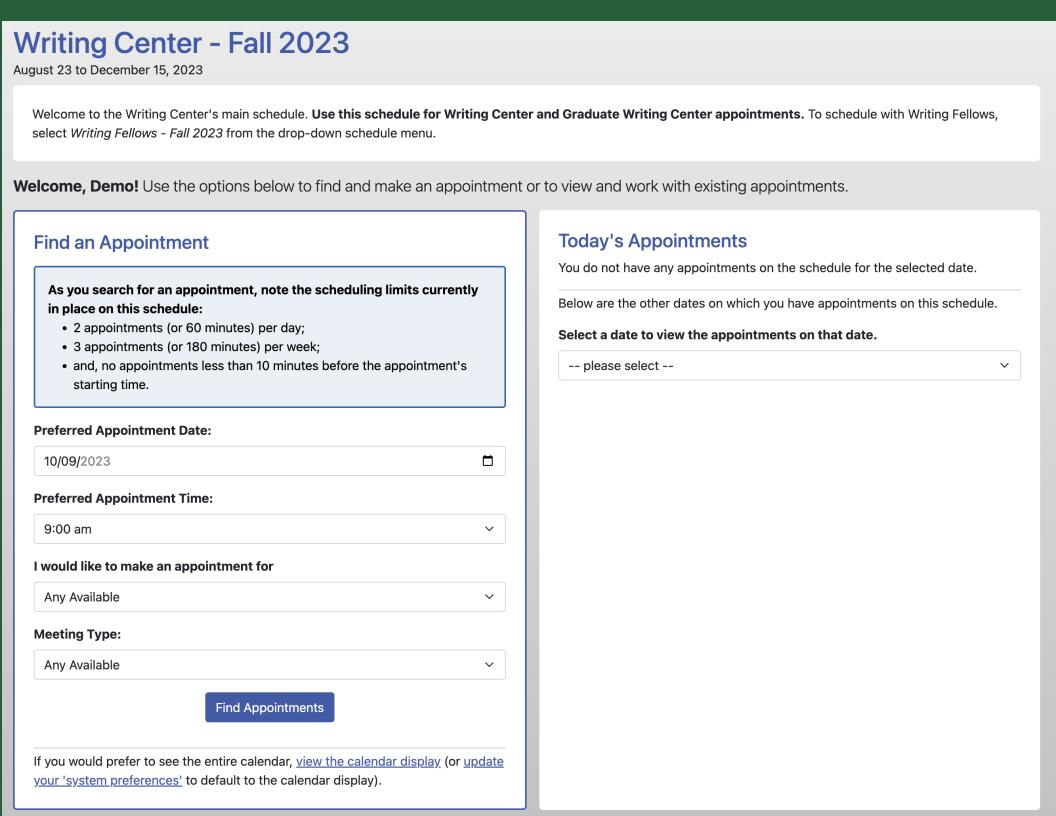
Saturday: 10am-2pm (in-person & online)

Sunday: 12pm-3pm (asynchronous video feedback only)

For additional information about our services, visit our website at https://uvu.edu/writingcenter.

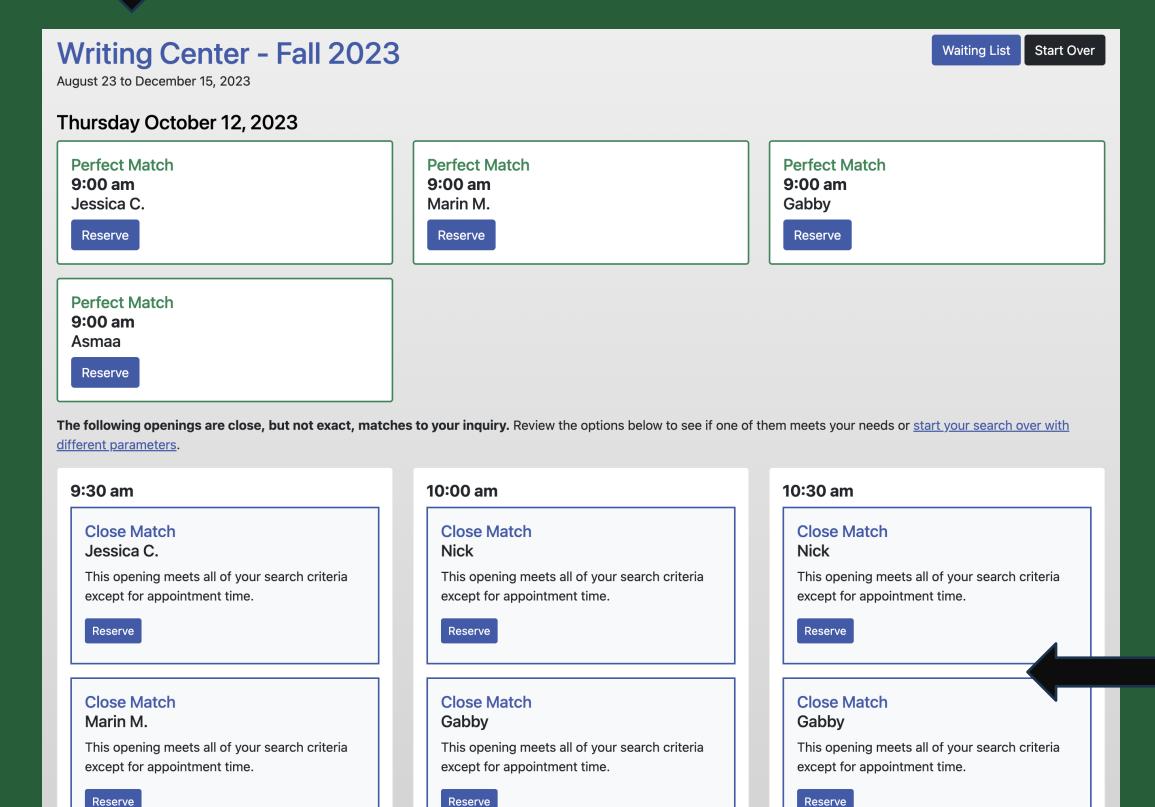
Step 3: Find an Appointment

After logging in, select your preferred date and time for an appointment and the type of consultation you want (in person, online, or video feedback).



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If you have a match exactly how you requested, it will be shown at the top



However, if what you requested is not available. We will offer some other close options.

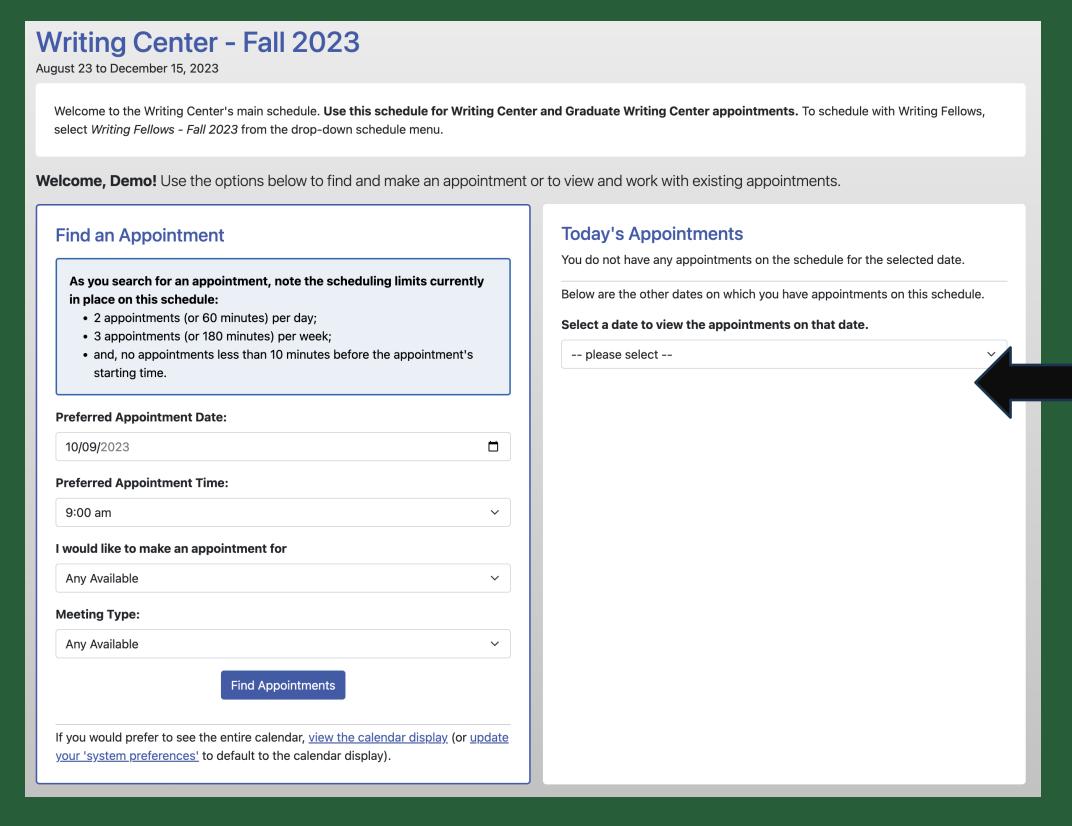
Step 4: Create an Appointment

Create New Appointment	
Wednesday, Oct. 11, 2023 9:00 am to 9:30 am V Brodie Writing Center - Fall 2023	
APPOINTMENT LIMITS: Appointments must be between 30 minutes and 1 hour in length.	
Meet Online?	
○ No. Schedule In-Person Meeting appointment.	
Yes. Schedule Online Live Meeting appointment.	
If you choose an online live meeting appointment, log back in to this website with enough time to arrive at the start of your appointment. Then, open this appointment and click "Start or Join Online Appointment."	
Appointment Details	
Questions marked with a * are required.	
I am working on *	
What would you like to focus on in your session? (Select no more than 3) * (check all that apply)	
Understanding Assignment Guidelines	
Prewriting/Brainstorming/Outlining	
Audience/Tone	
Focus/Thesis Statement	
☐ Introduction/Conclusion	
Organization/Structure	
Argument/Evidence	
Research Strategies	
 Paraphrasing/Quoting/Summarizing 	
Analyzing/Synthesizing	
Citing Sources/Avoiding Plagiarism	

Click "Reserve," and a page will populate to create your appointment. Fill out the information.

Once you click "Create Appointment," you have successfully reserved a writing consultation appointment at the Writing Center!

Step 5: Arriving for Appointments

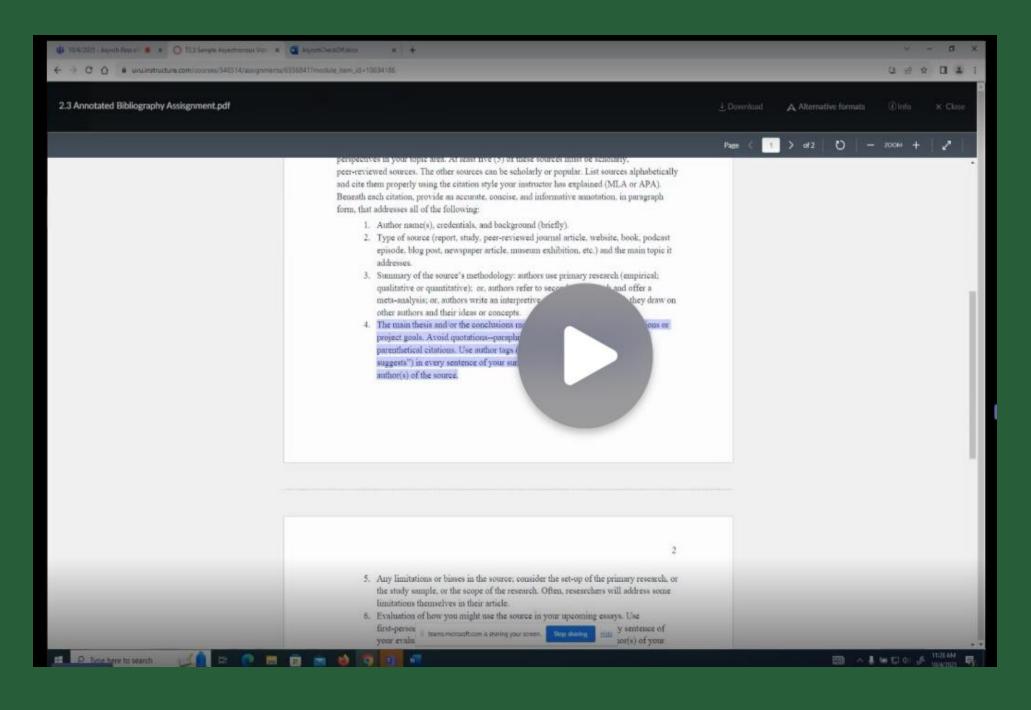


In addition to receiving reminder emails, you can always find your scheduled appointments will populate here!

For online appointments, select your appointment, and press "Join Online Consultation."

For in-person appointments, come to Fulton Library room 208 a few minutes before your appointment.

Step 5: Asynchronous Appointments



You will not meet for asynchronous video feedback. Instead, the writing consultant will review up to five double-space pages of your work and provide limited written and video feedback on the 1-2 questions or areas of concern you selected when reserving the appointment.

Make sure you are logged into your UVU account to watch the personalized video feedback.

Step 6: After your Appointment

Utah Valley University Writing Center Report

Client: Demo Account

Staff or Resource: Maren

Date: October 10, 2023, 10:00 am - 10:30 am

Main Discussion Topics (Select no more than 3): Organization/Structure; Analyzing/Synthesizing; Sentence Structure/Grammar/Punctuation;

Writing Consultant: Maren

When is this writing assignment due? : Today;

Revision Plan and Resources Discussed:

This is a demonstration of what may be included in this section of the Client Report Form.

Hi Demo!

Thanks for making an appointment with the Writing Center today, it was a pleasure working with you. Moving forward, make sure to complete those steps of your revision plan and set up enough time to make your revisions before you need to submit your assignment.

Thanks!

Session Summary:

This is a demonstration of what may be included in this section of the Client Report Form.

In our session today, we worked through the following:

- · Assignment Guidelines
- · Reading Out Loud
- · Developing a Revision Plan

Following your appointment, the writing consultant will send you a summary of your session via email.

You can use this summary as a reminder of what you plan to work on and as proof of your visit to the Writing Center.

Questions?

Also, see Frequently Asked Questions (FAQ) on our website.

Thank you

We look forward to working with you