

## How the ASC can help...

**The ASC Academic Assessment Program (AAP)** analyzes possible sources of student academic difficulty by using interviews, surveys, and tests to gather background information. Recommendations are then made for strategies to address performance issues. If a disability is suspected, students may be referred off campus for further testing.

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**The ASC College Restoration Program (CRP)** is a specialized program of instruction for students who have experienced academic difficulty and/or suspension. Suspensions are waived for one quarter, during which each participant follows a prescribed program of instruction. Successful completion of CRP qualifies students to apply for readmission to the college or department of their choice.

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**The ASC Institute Testing Service** provides group testing programs for the RIT community including CRP, HEOP and academic departments. The Institute Testing Service is also responsible for RIT's role as a National Test Center site and supervises the administration of standardized tests including the GRE subject exams, SAT, LSAT, NBCC certification exam and DANTES examinations.

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**ASC Learning Support Services (LSS)** provides students with regularly scheduled check-ins with a learning support specialist. This academic coaching addresses organizational skills, study strategies, and advocacy. Structured monitoring is intended for students who anticipate difficulty navigating the college environment due to learning differences or other factors. *Structured monitoring is a fee-based service.*

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**ASC Mathematics** offers direct support for RIT math courses through its Math Lab, mathematics assessment, general skill instruction, and tutor training. The free, drop-in Math Lab is staffed by ASC faculty and trained tutors.

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**The ASC Reading Specialist** offers the following services at no charge to hearing and cross-registered deaf students.

Informal and formal reading assessment, standardized testing and strategies to improve vocabulary and reading comprehension. **Contact:** Enid Stevenson, 475-7312 or [enid.stevenson@rit.edu](mailto:enid.stevenson@rit.edu)

**ASC Study Skills** focuses on the development of sound study strategies which promote academic success. Topics include time management, lecture note taking, text reading and test preparation. This department oversees the popular "Lunch 'n' Learning" workshop series and the "Learning Power Online" web site.

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**The ASC Tutor Training Program** provides tutor training to student tutors who are hired by the various departments, colleges, or learning centers of RIT. The RIT community can learn more about tutorial resources on campus by visiting our web site at [www.rit.edu/tutoring](http://www.rit.edu/tutoring). Tutor training workshops emphasize "best practices and procedures" in tutoring. Students are required to attend workshops to better develop their skills as an RIT tutor.

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**ASC Writing** offers assessment and instruction in college writing through its Writing Center, courses, and workshops. The free, drop-in Writing Center is staffed by ASC faculty. Several instructors are proficient in sign language.

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