

Make a difference to your marks!

Academic Language & Learning Success Program

Do you know the answers to these questions?

There are three parts in an essay: an introduction, body and conclusion. Do you know how many parts there are in an introduction?

What does each part of the introduction do?

How many parts are there in a paragraph? What is the purpose of each part?

At university, you are often asked to critically analyse. What are you supposed to do when you critically analyse something?

How can you interpret and plan your essay/report using the information that is in the assignment task you have been given?

Can you search for information effectively?

How do you paraphrase, quote or cite work?

Is your writing academically appropriate?

For answers to these and other academically important questions, attend our study skills workshops and book an individual consultation.

ALLSP services are available online and on campus.

Go to: www.cdu.edu.au/allsp **for more details and to subscribe to the weekly workshop email alerts.**

time management academic culture research
exam preparation **interpreting and planning assignments**
editing and proofreading skills English language skills
grammar essays referencing reports
critical thinking study skills academic writing

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Friday: 9.00am - 8.00pm

Saturday: 12.30pm - 5.00pm

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THE ACADEMIC LANGUAGE AND LEARNING SUCCESS PROGRAM (ALLSP)

Assignments and Study Skills Help

The Academic Language and Learning Success Program (ALLSP)

The Academic Language and Learning Success Program (ALLSP) team is here to help you develop your academic skills as well as your understanding of academic expectations and conventions so that you can succeed in your studies at Charles Darwin University.

Our free academic skills workshops will help you to better:

- interpret, plan and structure your assignments
- read effectively and critically
- write in a formal, academic style
- use academic referencing correctly
- prepare for exams
- edit and proofread your work

Academic Workshops

- on campus at Casuarina
- online in a Collaborate classroom
- integrated into some units

You can request a workshop that focuses on a skill you would like to develop.

You can register for weekly workshop email alerts.

Individual consultations

To focus on your individual learning and skills development, make an appointment for either a face-to-face or phone consultation.

Phone consultations are ideal for external students and those at other CDU campuses and centres (we call you at an agreed time).

Peer Assisted Study Sessions

Unit specific group study sessions run by your peers who excelled in the subject last semester or year to:

- help you to have a better understanding of unit content
- reinforce key concepts
- develop effective study strategies
- be more confident in the unit
- improve your marks

Some students' opinions . . .



Thank you so much for your time the last couple of nights. It has been invaluable. After taking the on-line classes, the weekly readings and learning material were much easier to understand and to put into practice, especially in essay preparation and sentence structure.

Karen Roberts

I have to say that the workshops have been absolutely fantastic and so valuable.

I was the student who would print off masses of research and then skim through it highlighting anything at all I felt could be used in my essays.

Now I know exactly which direction to head with my research and this makes essay writing so much easier. Thanks so much.

Monika Todd



Last semester was my first Uni experience. Thanks to your essay writing class I not only felt much more confident and stress free, but received a D and a HD for my two essays that semester. Thanks very much. ALLSP does a great job!

Damon van der Schuit



English is not my native language so it is very useful to learn the basic skills. The workshops were perfect for me.

Sebastien Richert

The workshop was really good because the discussions were really focused on the questions on the assignment... broadening my knowledge, enhancing my skills on writing papers... there's a difference in [writing] in the workplace and academic writing.

Susan Valerio



Study smarter

Make use of our FREE service to develop the skills you need to succeed at university:

- understand your assignments
- know what standard of work is required
- know how to get the grades you want
- study effectively
- express yourself better in writing
- produce academically appropriate work (essays, reports, journal articles, research papers)
- undertake your studies confidently

Who is ALLSP for?

- Internal & External students
- Undergraduates & Postgraduates