

Student Help

The **Learning Commons** in Scott Library houses services offered by Learning Skills, the Libraries, and the Writing Centre. See <http://www.library.yorku.ca/cms/learning-commons/> for more information about these services in Scott Library or below for links to their individual webpages.

Learning Skills (<http://lss.info.yorku.ca/>)

Learning Skills Services provide workshops, drop-in sessions, and one-on-one sessions about “learning how to learn”, helping students achieve their academic goals, and improving student effectiveness and efficiency at studying and completing tests and assignments.

Libraries (<http://www.library.yorku.ca>)

York University Libraries provide workshops, drop-in sessions, and one-on-one reference consultations (in-person or online) that provide guidance on effectively finding appropriate research materials for an assignment, and with properly citing sources in academic work.

Writing Centre (http://www.yorku.ca/laps/writ/writing_centre.html)

The Writing Centre offers individual instruction in all aspects of writing to help with the development of effective strategies for addressing problems that typically arise in the writing process. These may include understanding the purpose of an assignment, organizing research notes, getting started at writing, and learning to edit.

At Glendon College, see the Glendon Writing Centre (<http://www.glendon.yorku.ca/writingcentre>).

ONLINE RESOURCES

- See other modules in SPARK, in particular *Writing Strategies* and *Creating Bibliographies* (<http://www.yorku.ca/spark>).
- Guide to Footnotes and Bibliographies (<http://researchguides.library.yorku.ca/styleguides>).
- Guide to Academic Writing (<http://researchguides.library.yorku.ca/writing>).
- Help with Research – a list of useful resources from the Libraries to help with the research process (<http://www.library.yorku.ca/cms/help-with-research/>).

OTHER CAMPUS RESOURCES

- Bethune College Writing Centre (<http://bethune.yorku.ca/writing/>).
For students affiliated with Bethune College.
- ESL Open Learning Centre (<http://www.yorku.ca/eslolc>).
Offers writing and academic skill support to English as a Second Language (ESL) students registered in credit courses at York University.
- Atkinson Centre for mature and Part Time Students (<http://acmaps.info.yorku.ca/>).