STUDYSmarter is UWA's Academic Skills Centre. Our team has extensive teaching and research experience, which we use to help students improve their study techniques, time management, writing, communication, maths, stats and research skills. You can direct your students to our:

- Workshops and events
- One-on-one help through WRITESmart and Maths & Stats Drop-ins
- Online resources (videos, Survival Guides, assignment date calculator, planners...)

Further details are on our website. You can also make referrals, requests and use our resources (details on the back). Please note, while we teach proofreading skills, we do not edit students' work for them.

** Maths & Stats **

We help coursework students in:
- Studying maths and stats at uni
- Taking maths and stats lecture notes
- Overcoming maths problems
- Applying descriptive statistics
- Using Excel for statistics
- Understanding inferential stats
- Using maths in science
- Studying for maths and stats exams

- **English Language**

We help undergrads and postgrads in:
- Writing in academic English
- Thinking in English
- Building a scholarly vocabulary
- Developing high-level grammar
- Delivering presentations
- Participating in tutorial discussions
- Editing their own work

- **Academic Skills**

We help students improve skills in:
- Essay and assignment writing
- Delivering presentations
- Thinking at university level
- Reading and notetaking
- Referencing and paraphrasing
- Using active learning techniques
- Preparing for exams
- Managing study time
- Team work

*Attending the WRITESmart drop-in sessions helped me in improving the structure of my academic writing assignments. The sessions definitely helped me improve the flow of my writing...*

- **Research Skills**

We help Honours and Masters students in:
- Planning research projects
- Developing research proposals
- Writing literature reviews
- Forming research abstracts
- Writing up methods and methodology
- Understanding statistics for research
- Presenting research outcomes
- Creating a research identity
- Managing research projects
- Preparing for conferences

*The resources were very helpful and utilized by not only myself but my supervisors as well as the standard for the year.*

**Contact Us**

We are located on Level 2 of the Student Central building.

Please get in touch for questions or requests at studysmarter@uwa.edu.au

You can also call reception on 6488 2423.

*Peace of mind that I can get some help if needed.*
We encourage you to direct students to our workshops or drop-ins (details on our website) in the first instance.

If you are concerned about a student's academic skills and how these are affecting their academic performance you can refer them to an individual consultation. For example you might refer them for advice on:

- English language,
- Academic conduct,
- Academic performance or progression,
- Study and time management, or
- Maths, stats or other numeracy skills.

See the referral procedures and form on the STUDYSmarter staff information page.

You can request that we:

- Provide a pop-up presentation in a lecture,
- Develop custom resources for your students,
- Facilitate a custom workshop,
- Speak to your tutors about our services,
- Assist with academic skills projects,
- Organise a unit-specific drop-in, or
- Sit on a working party or committee.

Contact your STUDYSmarter Faculty Representative to chat about our availability.

There are a number of digital and printed resources available:

- Learning videos
- Survival Guides
- Planners
- Introductory slides to add to lectures
- Unit specific resources

These can also be embedded in LMS from our website.

Printed items can be found on Level 2 of Student Central (please let us know if you would like a large quantity).

*The depth and variety of the STUDYSmarter online resources meant I could access both generalised information about studying and more specific university skills.*

*Someone reaching out to me rather than me having to reach out to someone for help. It was just there without even me having to work up the courage to ask!*

*Helped me save time by developing more time efficient methods of studying and expanded my methods giving me more flexibility and variety of how I could revise for my classes.*

*They helped with improving my assignments and provided relevant information about study skills.*