## Everything you need to know about our tutoring program...

### HOW DOES ACE TUTORING WORK?

The Academic Center for Excellence provides free tutoring or test reviews in almost every subject. This includes accounting, biology, chemistry, most mathematics courses, physics, history, computer science, literature and humanities. The tutoring can be individual tutoring or in a study group.

The ACE tutoring schedule reflects the time periods peer tutors are available throughout the week. Students come to ACE and join the peer tutor and other Chipola students in discussions regarding class lectures, chapter readings, and course handouts. ACE peer tutors work closely with Chipola's faculty to ensure proper communication of course content. They offer clarification of concepts and assist students in developing the proper study skills for success in class. More importantly, they provide consistent encouragement, motivation and positive reinforcement to Chipola students.

#### The ACE Success Formula

Regular Participation in ACE Tutoring + Class Attendance = Success in the Classroom Tutoring begins the first week of class and concludes on the last day of final exams. Schedules are posted on campus bulletin boards and on the ACE website.

#### **BASIC FACTS**

- ✓ It is FREE.
- ✓ No appointment is necessary.
- ✓ Help is available during fall and spring semesters and during both summer sessions.
- ✓ Flexible times accommodate student schedules.
- ✓ IT WORKS!

"The tutors at ACE made all the confusing concepts covered in class much easier to understand."

Amanda, Business major



"I actually made an A in the course I was worried the most about! I think the tutors were as excited as I was to receive my grade."

John, Microbiology major

#### **More Reasons to Visit ACE**

- Test Review Sessions are scheduled throughout the semester for many courses.
- Study groups can also meet at the ACE to prepare for exams or work on class projects.
- The ACE provides access to computers for class and lab assignments.
- Academic Success Workshops are offered throughout the semester.

The ACE is located in Building L, directly behind the Student Services Building and beside the Business Building. For hours of operation or additional information, visit the ACE website or contact Bonnie Smith at 526-2761 Ext. 3400 or email smithb@chipola.edu.





"The relationship between a tutor and the student is mutually beneficial and rewarding. The skills and lessons I have learned will always be a part of me. For that reason, I feel I am the one who was truly tutored"

Jordan, Science and Statistics Tutor Reflecting on his experience as a tutor

"Tutoring in ACE has enabled me not only to assist others in their pursuit of knowledge, but to experience the concept of education itself. ACE provides a friendly atmosphere coupled with individuals who nurture a passion for understanding. It is the place where one may find the elusive thing that is more than mere intelligent conversation, learning."

Mitchell, Humanities Tutor Expressing his new philosophy of learning

Applications and information about becoming a tutor are available at ACE.

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