

Peer and Academic Resource Center (PARC)

Who We Are

PARC is a centralized academic support hub providing peer-led and student-driven services. PARC's mission is to promote the scholastic achievements of students through peer-learning opportunities that aid students along the pathway to degree attainment.

Services

1. Supplemental Instruction (SI)
2. Workshops and Individual Tutors (WIT)
 - a. Peer Tutoring
 - b. Workshops
 - c. PARC after Dark
3. Peer-Led Advising for College Experience (PLACE)
4. Intercultural Competence Leadership Program

Supplemental Instruction

Fall 2019 (N=386)

Overall passing rate (C- or above course grade) of students taking SI is 89%.

Overall passing rate of students who did not take SI is 77%.

SI students who took Math 24 had an average course GPA of 2.61 compared to 1.79 for non-SI students.

SI students who took History 17B had an average course GPA of 3.27 compared to 2.70 for non-SI students.

Spring 2020 (N=197)

Overall passing rate of students taking SI is 85%.

Overall passing rate of students who did not take SI is 81%.

SI students who took Economics 1B had an average course GPA of 3.17 compared to 2.55 for non-SI students.

SI students who took Psychology 100 had an average course GPA of 3.37 compared to 2.63 for non-SI students.

Sankofa Intercultural Program

- Provided practical methods to better understand cultural competence and the role cultural differences among students at school and in the workplace
- Hired 3 student employees
- Served 641 students
- 90% of students served felt that the workshop was effective

Advising and Tutoring by the Numbers

Fall 2019

Pre-Finals

Tutoring = 1292 students, total of 953 hours, 32 tutors, 31 subjects

Advising = 9 students, total of 5.5 hours, 6 advisors

Tutoring After Dark = 303 students, total of 376 hours, 12 tutors, 23 subjects

Advising After Dark = 1 student, total of .5 hours, 1 advisor

Group Tutoring = 239 students, total of 58.5 hours, 11 tutors, 9 subjects

Group Tutoring After Dark = 31 students, total of 9 hours, 5 tutors, 5 subjects

Odyssey = 429 students

Finals Week

Tutoring = 2 students, total of 1.5 hours, 2 tutors, 2 subjects

Advising = 9 students, total of 5.5 hours, 6 advisors

Tutoring After Dark = 17 students, total of 16.5 hours, 2 tutors, 8 subjects

Advising After Dark = 1 student, total of .5 hours, 1 advisor

Group Tutoring = 3 students, total of .5 hours, 1 tutor, 1 subject

Group Tutoring After Dark = 7 students, total of 2 hours, 1 tutor, 1 subject

Odyssey = 233 students

Spring 2020

Pre-Finals

Tutoring = 677 students, total of 509.5 hours, 28 tutors, 25 subjects

Advising = 9 students, total of 6 hours, 3 advisors

Tutoring After Dark = 109 students, total of 91 hours, 9 tutors, 15 subjects

Group Tutoring = 167 students, total of 45.5 hours, 13 tutors, 10 subjects

Group Tutoring After Dark = 223 students, total of 37.5 hours, 3 tutors, 3 subjects

Tutoring Services during COVID-19 = 995 students

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