Grinnell’s many Academic Resource Centers remain committed to your success this semester. We are all open (working remotely) and available to consult with you. Please see details below.

**Academic Advising**
As always, Academic Advising staff are here to support you and your academic goals. Email advising@grinnell.edu to ask questions and/or schedule an appointment. Please indicate the best way(s) to communicate with you (e.g., Webex, phone, email, texting). You may also indicate if there is a specific staff member you’d prefer to connect with. Visit our GrinellShare page for resources, too: [https://grinco.sharepoint.com/sites/academics/AcademicAdvising/SitePages/Academic%20Advising.aspx](https://grinco.sharepoint.com/sites/academics/AcademicAdvising/SitePages/Academic%20Advising.aspx)

**Computer Science Learning Center**
The computer science department will continue supporting students virtually.
- Evening (drop-in) tutoring will be available using Blackboard Collaborate. We will set up an organization in Blackboard so tutors and students in CSC 105, 151, 161 and 207 can collaborate easily. You will be automatically added if you are in one of those classes.
- Individual tutors will continue to meet virtually with students who have been assigned an individual tutor.
- Students who would like to be assigned an individual tutor can speak with their professor about that possibility.
- Mentors will continue to mentor classes as much as possible based on the class they are mentoring.

Send any questions to Sarah Dahlby Albright, peer education coordinator, at dahlbysa@grinnell.edu.

**Data Analysis and Social Inquiry Lab (DASIL)**
Email dasil@grinnell.edu to ask questions and to schedule sessions with our student mentors.

DASIL resources, blog posts, updates, and training opportunities (e.g., tech demos in different packages and languages) are available at [https://dasil.sites.grinnell.edu/](https://dasil.sites.grinnell.edu/).

**Digital Liberal Arts Collaborative (DLAC)**
DLAC staff are ready to assist students with distance learning. Students can email dlac@grinnell.edu with questions about distance learning or visit the Resources for Students section of the Instructional Continuity page at [https://instructionalcontinuity.sites.grinnell.edu/resources-for-students/](https://instructionalcontinuity.sites.grinnell.edu/resources-for-students/)

**Disability Resources**
Email access@grinnell.edu to schedule an appointment with one of the disability resources team or e-mail one of us directly: Stacy Turley, turleyst@grinnell.edu; John (Jae)
Hirschman hirschma@grinnell.edu; or Autumn Wilke wilkeaut@grinnell.edu. We are available to discuss questions by e-mail, phone, or via Webex.

**Languages**

- **ALSO Program languages** - For any questions related to your ongoing spring semester class, please email Francisca Escoriza-Gallardo atescoriza@grinnell.edu.
- **Arabic** – for any questions regarding your spring semester class, contact your instructor.
- **Chinese** – Chinese tutoring (Chinese Lab) will continue for all levels. Contact Qiaomei Tang at tang@grinnell.edu for details.
- **Classics** - Greek and Latin tutoring will continue for current intermediate-level classes. For questions, contact your instructor.
- **French** - for any questions regarding your spring semester class, contact your instructor.
- **German** – German Labs for 102 and 222, and German Conversation 212 will resume next week online. Please watch for communication from Theresa Marx (marxther@grinnell.edu) and Martin Pollack (pollackm@grinnell.edu), and feel free to contact them directly with questions.
- **Japanese** – Japanese tutoring (Japanese Lab) will continue for all levels. Contact Mariko Schimmel at schimmel@grinnell.edu for details.
- **Russian** - for any questions regarding your spring semester class, contact your instructor.
- **Spanish** - Students may reserve a 20-minute tutor session via this link: https://outlook.office365.com/owa/calendar/SpanishVirtualTutorLab@grinco.onmicrosoft.com/bookings/

**Libraries & Librarians**

Library resources and staff are available online to assist Grinnell students, faculty, and staff:
- Library Resources for Distance Learning: https://grinnell.libguides.com/DistanceLearning
- Search the library website: https://www.grinnell.edu/academics/libraries
- Request an online Library Lab: https://grinnell.co1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_efECq6VFpIUC74N
- Contact a librarian at query@grinnell.edu or call Burling Library at (641) 269-3350.

**Math Lab**

Drop-in tutoring will be available for Calculus and Statistics through Microsoft Teams. (Use Chrome or the Microsoft Teams app through Office 365 on either a computer or smart phone.) Hours are 9AM-5PM (Central Daylight Time), Monday through Friday. Check GrinnellShare for the tutoring schedule: https://grinco.sharepoint.com/sites/academics/MathLab/SitePages/Home.aspx.
- **Calculus**: https://teams.microsoft.com/l/channel/19%3ab645796b12074fc8b8434c93b1c6ab89%40thread.tacv2/Calculus%2520Help%2520Line?groupId=f9616266-89c8-4402-bce3-a76a40ca6446&tenantId=524f9e3e-faca-4f64-b3ec-adb2baee8807
- **Statistics**: 


After you click on one of the above links and sign into Teams, use Chat to indicate that you are looking for help, and one of the tutors monitoring the channel will help you via chat, voice or video call. (All available through Microsoft Teams.)

Students seeking an appointment outside of “drop-in” Math Lab should email Renée Bourgeois Parsons bourgeois2@grinnell.edu directly as they would on campus.

**Partners in Education**
We are excited to continue to partner with our Spring 2020 cohort, in pursuit of academic success! Watch for an email invitation to our virtual community. While we are still ironing out details, our students can expect:
- We will still hold our weekly check-ins with each of our students.
- Our faculty and staff mentors will be available to support their assigned mentees, so feel free to send a note if you have questions or just need to chat.
- We are working on a platform that will allow our students to stay connected to us as well as to each other so we can create a small replica of our community.

We will be in touch early the week of March 30 with a detailed structure of the next 6 weeks. Send questions or concerns to Farah Omer (omerfara@grinnell.edu), Julia Dursztman (dursztma2@grinnell.edu), Belinda Backous (backousb@grinnell.edu), or Jean Ketter (ketter@grinnell.edu).

**Reading Lab**
Please make online appointments through our scheduling system: [https://writinglab.sites.grinnell.edu/schedule/Web/](https://writinglab.sites.grinnell.edu/schedule/Web/). Director Katie Lanius will then reach out to see if you prefer to Skype, have a phone call, chat through Microsoft Teams, or another mode of communicating. Email Katie with questions: laniuska@grinnell.edu. If you cannot find an appointment time that works with your time zone, please reach out directly to Katie.

**Science Learning Center**
The SLC will continue to support students in biology, chemistry, biological-chemistry, neuroscience, and physics courses in three ways:
- Students who already have an SLC peer tutor will continue meeting (virtually) with their tutor. Students wishing to add small group tutoring to course support can email mahlab@grinnell.edu with a request to find you a match.
- Science Community Leaders (SCL’s) embedded in courses are committed to offering continued support. SCLs will be in touch with their specific plans for each of those courses.
- Schedule individual appointments with Minna Mahlab, Director, by emailing mahlab@grinnell.edu for phone or video chat.

**Writing Lab**
Please make Writing Lab appointments as usual through the scheduling system: [https://writinglab.sites.grinnell.edu/schedule/Web/](https://writinglab.sites.grinnell.edu/schedule/Web/).

1. Choose a date and time and the person you want to work with.
2. In the "Description of reservation" field, please tell us as much as you can about the assignment, the kind of feedback you want, and what you MOST want us to pay attention to.
3. In the new "Type of session" field, tell us whether you want comments on a draft OR real-time chat.
   - For comments: In "Description of reservation," please be as specific as you can about what elements of the draft you most want comments on or what you have questions about. (If you don’t specify, we will choose for you and do as much as we can in our forty-minute time block.) Attach the file with your draft to the reservation form (remember, you can make an appointment in advance and attach the file later) or email the file to the instructor you’re working with. We will comment on drafts and return them as soon as possible, no later than 8pm on the day of the appointment.
   - For chat: Make sure to be logged in to the Microsoft Teams app at your appointment time. (Remember that your appointment time is listed in Grinnell's time zone, Central Daylight Saving time, which may or may not be your local time zone!) We will chat with you in real time using the app.

We will not be holding same-day appointments after break. Instead, we have opened up those times for regular appointments.