

BIG UNIVERSITY INDIVIDUALIZED SUPPORT

The University of Arizona is a world-class research university that offers more than 130 majors, Division I athletics and over 500 student clubs and organizations. The SALT Center provides individualized educational planning, learning strategies, tutoring and educational technology to help students achieve success in an academically rigorous environment. Use the SALT Center to maximize your success at Arizona.

WHAT IS THE SALT CENTER?

- ▶ We are a fee-based academic support program that provides a comprehensive range of services to current students with learning and attention differences.
- ▶ We facilitate learning, self-advocacy and independence by empowering students to take ownership of their education.
- ▶ Our innovative approach is recognized nation-wide as one of the most successful for promoting student achievement in the university setting.
- ▶ Our on-campus students have access to the suite of comprehensive services outlined in this brochure. **ARIZONA ONLINE** students can get virtual support through **SALT CENTER ONLINE**. More details are at saltonline.arizona.edu

SALT CENTER SCHOLARSHIP AWARDS

- ▶ We offer a limited number of need-based scholarships to help subsidize the fee to participate in the program. Scholarship awards are valid for one academic year.
- ▶ Our Scholarship Awards are funded by donations from generous benefactors.
- ▶ The scholarship application can be accessed on our website beginning in January. The application deadline is **March 1**.



VISIT US

In-person and/or virtual visits may be available. See salt.arizona.edu for current details.

TASTE OF SALT

To learn more about the SALT Center, please join us for **Taste of SALT**.

This recurring group presentation includes:

- ▶ A brief overview of the academic support services offered at the SALT Center
- ▶ An opportunity to hear from current students who use SALT Center services
- ▶ An explanation of the application process

DASH OF SALT

If you're unable to attend a regular Taste of SALT presentation you can still visit us by scheduling a **Dash of SALT**. This individual appointment includes:

- ▶ A brief overview of the academic support services offered at the SALT Center
- ▶ An explanation of the application process

Other options for visiting The University of Arizona are at arizona.edu/visit



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SALT CENTER

MAXIMIZING SUCCESS FOR STUDENTS WITH
LEARNING AND ATTENTION CHALLENGES





STUDENT PROGRAMS & SERVICES

Student Support Specialists at the SALT Center help students manage their learning and attention differences with a variety of programs and services. Students meet with their Student Support Specialist every week for a 30-minute appointment.

Programs & Services Provided by Student Support Specialists Include:

INDIVIDUALIZED LEARNING PLANS that are developed by the student and their Student Support Specialist. These plans are not static documents, but dynamic concepts that evolve and grow with each student. Individualized Learning Plans are created and utilized via the following:

- ▶ Open communication between the student and the Student Support Specialist
- ▶ Referral to SALT Center and other campus resources
- ▶ Accountability and encouragement for students as they take ownership of their educational outcomes

LEARNING STRATEGIES INSTRUCTION

Based upon the student's unique strengths and challenges

WORKSHOPS AND SKILL DEVELOPMENT SEMINARS

To support the unique needs of students who use SALT Center services



LEARNING SUPPORT SERVICES

Our tutoring program is certified by the College Reading and Learning Association. In order to help students achieve academic success, peer tutors introduce them to a wide variety of methods, demonstrating how to use visual, auditory and kinesthetic strategies to begin, develop and refine their work. The goal of each session is to create an optimal learning environment that facilitates independent and lifelong learning. Most sessions are available Sunday through Friday.

Types of Tutoring Sessions Available to Students Include:

ONE-ON-ONE tutoring sessions for most courses

SMALL-GROUP student sessions for two or more students in a common course

LARGE-GROUP reviews for specific subjects before exams

READING & WRITING LAB

- ▶ Assistance with any reading or writing assignment across the curriculum
- ▶ Drop-in sessions and appointments are available

MATH & SCIENCE LAB

- ▶ Assistance with math and math-based science courses
- ▶ Drop-in sessions and appointments are available

Academic Intervention:

Additional individualized learning support available upon referral



EDUCATIONAL TECHNOLOGY

The SALT Center offers an array of Educational Technology to support students who learn differently. As SALT Center services expand to keep pace with the growth of technology, our focus will remain on providing assistance, maximizing the potential of existing technology and pioneering new innovations within our physical and virtual learning landscape.

Educational Technology Resources & Support Services Include:

INTEGRATED TECHNOLOGY: Space throughout the building where you can plug in your own device and work on your own or in collaboration with other students and tutors

TECHNOLOGY CONSULTATIONS: Appointments with peer tech coaches for assistance with learning new programs, discovering educational apps and navigating online courses

ASSISTIVE TECHNOLOGY: Text to Speech, Speech to Text and Audio Note-Taking Apps

STUDENT RESOURCE HUB: A virtual information and communications center which houses our library of academic skills modules, how-to guides and much more

LEADERSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

Students can take advantage of leadership roles at the SALT Center by becoming a **Student Ambassador**, **Peer Tutor** or **Peer Tech Coach**.

PSYCHOLOGICAL SERVICES

Psychological services are available by referral for students seeking short-term counseling for academic and personal matters.