

May - July, 2019

Language support workshops			Academic skills support workshops	
Date	Time	Room	Workshop	Description
Mon, May 6, 2019	2pm-3:30pm	MCC403	Succeeding as an Online Learner	Are you curious about taking an online course? Would you like to know how best to prepare, stay on track, and do well? This workshop will provide students with the knowledge and skills to exceed expectations while taking an online course.
Tue, May 7, 2019	1pm-2:30pm	MCC400	Managing your transition to Brock	Want to learn about the different factors that affect your life as an international student? Learn how to balance your social and work interests with your academic responsibilities.
Wed, May 8, 2019	1pm-2:30pm	MCC400	Learning strategies for International students	This workshop will introduce strategies to help you succeed as an international student. Some of the strategies you will learn are effective reading, note-taking, and attention to detail.
Fri, May 10, 2019	1pm-2:30pm	MCC400	Time management	Learn some practical approaches to managing your time as an international student! You will learn how to plan and prioritize more effectively while managing interruptions and distractions.
Mon, May 13, 2019	5:30pm-7pm	MCD400	Tools for Oral Communication I	Do you feel intimidated when speaking to your professor at office hours, or asking your academic advisor for help? This workshop will give you the confidence to approach any faculty member appropriately with ease.
Tue, May 14, 2019	11am-12:30pm	MCC401	APA Style I: Basics	Come and learn the basics of the American Psychological Association (APA) Style to format your papers, and write correct citations and references.
Thu, May 16, 2019	1pm-2:30pm	MCC400	Tools for Oral Communication II	Are you often silent during partner work in class? Do you shy away from group work because you're unsure on how to express yourself? This workshop gives you the knowledge to carry yourself academically around your peers.
Tue, May 21, 2019	5:30pm-7pm	MCD400	Research skills for Undergrads	Do you need help researching a topic and don't know where to start? This workshop will introduce you to academic research using Brock University's resources.
Fri, May 24, 2019	11am-12:30pm	MCC403	Advanced Academic Terms for Speaking	Do you have a hard time speaking up in class? Would you like to improve your oral productivity by learning advanced terms to wow your classmates? Come to this workshop to learn the ins and outs of academic speaking.
Tue, May 28, 2019	11am-12:30pm	MCC401	Advanced Academic Terms for Writing	Is your writing basic? Do you find yourself repeating the same words multiple times? This workshop enhances your vocabulary in written contexts by providing you with tools and examples to stun your readers.
Wed, May 29, 2019	5:30pm-7pm	MCD400	Research skills for Graduate students	After developing effective research strategies from Research Skills I, we will work on using the information you find, learn data management strategies, and understand how Turnitin works.
Mon, Jun 3, 2019	11am-12:30pm	MCC403	Apps for Academic success	In this workshop, we will go over the most commonly used applications/software for success in university. You will get tips and tricks that will save you time during your writing, research, citation, and more.
Wed, Jun 5, 2019	5:30pm-7pm	MCD400	Using Sources in Academic Writing I	When should direct quotes be used in writing? Are they always the best option? Come to this workshop to learn more about supporting your ideas in writing using this convention.
Tue, Jun 11, 2019	11am-12:30pm	MCC401	Using Sources in Academic Writing II	Is it possible to take the ideas of other writers and put it into your own words to strengthen your arguments? This workshop teaches you exactly how and when to paraphrase.
Thu, Jun 13, 2019	1pm-2:30pm	MCC400	How to develop and deliver an effective presentation	You will get great insight into the process of planning and delivering an effective in-class presentation. You will also learn some strategies to increase confidence in presenting in a second language
Mon, Jun 17, 2019	1pm-2:30pm	MCC400	Poster presentations	Come and get insight into the process of preparation, design, and delivery of poster presentation
Thu, Jun 20, 2019	11am-12:30pm	MCC300	Using Sources in Academic Writing III	What is the process of condensing important literature into main ideas? When is summarizing necessary, and what is the layout? Attend this workshop to perfect your summarizing abilities.
Tue, Jun 25, 2019	11am-12:30pm	MCC401	Writing Strategies for Strong Essays I	Do you struggle to form a strong argument? Do you get nervous when you hear the word 'thesis'? Take the stress out of thesis writing with this hands-on workshop. Learn how to easily create a powerful thesis as well as develop strong arguments to back your writing.
Wed, Jun 26, 2019	1pm-2:30pm	MCC403	APA Style II: Advanced	This workshop will introduce you to advanced guidelines of the APA style. We will cover in-text references and the reference list in depth.
Tue, Jul 2, 2019	11am-12:30pm	MCC401	Planning and preparing for assignments	This workshop will provide some common principles and practical advice for planning and preparing your assignments in advance!
Thu, Jul 4, 2019	1pm-2:30pm	MCC403	Writing Strategies for Strong Essays II	Having a hard time beginning your essays? Are your introductions lacking charisma? Learn how to engage any reader with this practical workshop on perfecting the introduction of your essay.
Mon, Jul 8, 2019	1pm-2:30pm	MCC403	Writing Strategies for Strong Essays III	What steps do you need to follow before beginning your body paragraph? How can you work your evidence into your paragraph to help convince your reader your argument is correct? Join us to learn the secrets of the body paragraph.
Wed, Jul 10, 2019	11am-12:30pm	MCC401	Preparing for Exams	Come and learn techniques that will help you prepare for exams. You will also learn about the resources available to make sure you get the most out of your exam study.