The Writing Center at College of the Sequoias is a place for writers in any discipline, at any level of experience to come for useful, practical feedback on their writing from experienced writing consultants.

**What to Bring**
- A notebook
- A pencil
- A paper copy of your essay
- Your prompt or assignment
- Your readings or sources
- An idea of what you want to talk about or accomplish.
- A flash drive, if you’re planning on revising at the Writing Center.

**When to Come**
At the Writing Center, we’re glad to help writers at any stage of the process. Any time you’re working on a writing project, the Writing Center can help, whether you just have a prompt and need ideas or whether you’re just polishing up your final draft. Just remember, once you leave the Writing Center you’ll want to revise your essay before you turn it in. Please come to the Writing Center with plenty of time to work on your assignment and be aware of the due date. The earlier you come, the more useful your tutor’s feedback will be for you.

**Hours and Location**
We are open Monday through Friday throughout the regular semester.

- Monday-Thursday: 9:00 AM - 6:00 PM
- Friday: 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM

The Writing Center at College of the Sequoias is located upstairs in the Learning Resource Center (Lodgepole Building), in room LRC 209.

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HTTP://COSWRITINGCENTER.ORG
(559) 730-3903

**What We Do**
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What To Expect From Your Session

Writing Center tutors are focused on helping you make choices as a writer. You should expect your tutor to ask you questions about your paper, to encourage you to think differently about your topic, and to examine the reasons behind your ideas.

At the Writing Center, we believe that what you have to say is as important as how you say it, so you should expect your tutor to discuss “big picture” questions with you before we turn to grammar, spelling, and punctuation.

Ultimately, it’s up to you to take the ideas we’ve talked about in your tutoring session to the computer and turn them into a new draft of your essay.

Internet Access and Printing Available

While our tutoring is the most important service we offer, the Writing Center is also a great place to get writing done.

Laptops and printing are available whenever we are open, and the Writing Center offers a quiet, calm space to work.

What to expect from our tutors:

Writing Center tutors are friendly, experienced readers and writers whose goal is to help you develop as a writer. Our tutors undergo extensive training in reading and writing tutoring. This means we have a lot of experience talking about writing, and that we have lots of strategies for helping you deal with those challenges you face as a writer.

At the Writing Center, we are tutors, not teachers. We’re students too, and we know that talking about your writing can be scary, so we want you to feel comfortable that we’re here to help make things easier, not to make you feel bad.

As you come to the Writing Center, keep an open mind. Be ready to take an active role in your tutoring session and to think about new ways of approaching your topic. Be willing to listen to what your tutor has to say, and don’t expect to go from a first draft to a finished product in just one step.

Interested in being a tutor?

If you’ve successfully completed English 1 and you’d like to tutor at the Writing Center, contact us for more info.