



# RUTGERS

School of Nursing

**OFFICE OF ACADEMIC SUCCESS**



The Office of Academic Success (OAS) provides one-on-one and group tutoring for all undergraduate nursing students. We provide academic coaching for both graduate and undergraduate students. The Office is committed to enhancing student retention and success by providing assistance to students through high-quality, innovative academic support services.

# Office of Academic Success

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# Academic Coaching

**Time Management:** Stay on top of academics and other activities with tools that help you prioritize, plan and follow through.

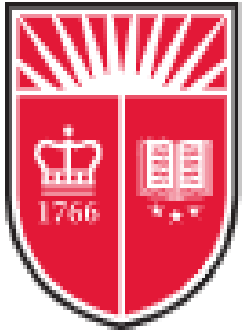
**Active Studying:** Master course content with active studying techniques, such as concept mapping and self-quizzing.

**Active Reading:** Tackle and retain important concepts from any text.

**Test Preparation:** Learn techniques for NCLEX Style Test Taking.

**Note Taking:** Capture key elements from lectures and readings and organize your notes to better understand the material covered in class.

**APA Style Writing:** Workshop to learn about APA Style writing resources. Please visit the [RBHS Writing Center](#) for Writing Support.



**RUTGERS** | Canvas

**Office of Academic Success Canvas Resources**



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# Graduate Resources



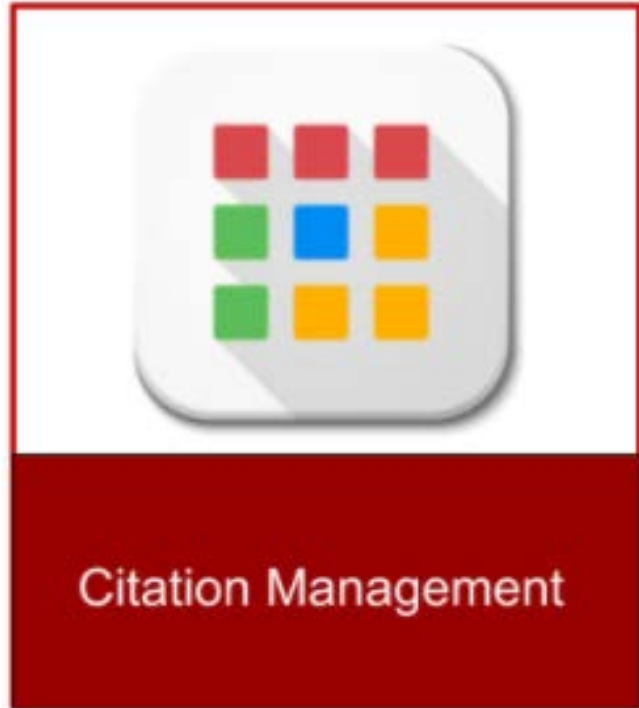
## THE OFFICE OF ACADEMIC SUCCESS

The Office of Academic provides [Academic Coaching](#) for all graduate students. Browse the resources below for research and writing resources. For additional learning support please visit the [Academic Resources](#) page. Please visit the [Office of Academic Success Graduate](#) website for future workshops.

Library Guide	Research Resources	Information Literacy	Citation Technology
<a href="#">Library Resources: eBooks, Study Tools, NCLEX style test prep, online flashcards</a>	<a href="#">Research Guides and Tutorials</a>	<a href="#">Specialized Research and Clinical Resources for the Health Sciences</a>	<a href="#">End Notes</a>
<a href="#">Electronic databases, Cinahl &amp; PubMed and other online tools to improve your research projects.</a>	<a href="#">Health Science Guides</a>	<a href="#">Academic Integrity, Plagiarism, Copyright</a>	<a href="#">RefWorks</a>
<a href="#">Pre-Approved Resources: Cochrane Library, DynaMed Plus and UpToDate to quickly and efficiently locate and best evidence to answer your clinical questions.</a>		<a href="#">Evaluating Information</a>	<a href="#">Zotero</a>
<a href="#">Introduction to Rutgers University Libraries</a>		<a href="#">Visual and Quantitative Literacy</a>	
		<a href="#">Culture and Citizenship</a>	
		<a href="#">Using Critical Thinking and Logic</a>	

# Resources you will find on the OAS Canvas page

# Library Sessions



## Library Session #1

Victoria Wagner, RWJ Library- Associate Director and Coordinator of Medical Education, hosts an information session on **library resources; eBooks, study tools, NCLEX style test prep, online flashcards.**

## Library Sessions #2

Pam Hargwood, RWJ Library- Information and Education Librarian, hosts an information session on using electronic databases **Cinahl & PubMed** and other online tools to inform and improve your research projects.

## Library Session #3

Pam Hargwood, Rutgers-RWJ Library-Information and Education Librarian, hosts and information session on using **pre-appraised resources**, such as **Cochrane Library, DynaMed Plus, and UpToDate**, to quickly and efficiently locate the best evidence to answer your clinical questions.

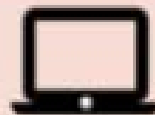




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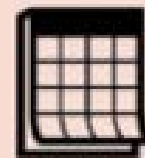
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## Intro to Remote Learning

Tech Tools & Best Practices



## Fitting It All In

Developing Your Semester Plan



## Testing Refresher for Nursing



## How We Learn vs How We Think We Learn



## Introduction to the Library

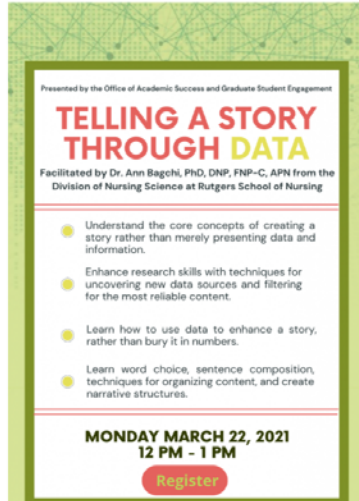


## Overview of Writing Support Services



## Graduate Students

The Office of Academic (OAS) supports graduate students through individual academic consultations with one of our Academic Coaches. OAS collaborates with Graduate Student Engagement, The Graduate Writing Program, School of Nursing Writing Center, and the Rutgers Health Science Libraries, to offer a variety of academic success workshops each semester. Graduate Students can access self-guided resources available on the OAS Canvas page.



Presented by the Office of Academic Success and Graduate Student Engagement

### TELLING A STORY THROUGH DATA

Facilitated by Dr. Ann Bagchi, PhD, DNP, FNP-C, APN from the Division of Nursing Science at Rutgers School of Nursing

- Understand the core concepts of creating a story rather than merely presenting data and information.
- Enhance research skills with techniques for uncovering new data sources and filtering for the most reliable content.
- Learn how to use data to enhance a story, rather than bury it in numbers.
- Learn word choice, sentence composition, techniques for organizing content, and create narrative structures.

**MONDAY MARCH 22, 2021**  
**12 PM - 1 PM**

[Register](#)

# Graduate Resources & New Graduate Resources

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**3/22/21 12pm-1pm via Zoom**

Register

**APA Basics – Elements of Format for an APA Paper** –*Facilitated by Rutgers Graduate Writing Program*

This workshops will cover the elements of format for an APA paper. Students are encouraged to bring APA questions from their current projects/papers.

**4/19/21 12pm-1:30pm via Zoom**

Register

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**Academic Integrity Workshop**–*Facilitated by Marne Benson from the School of Nursing Writing Center*

In this workshop, students will learn how to: Recognize plagiarism, Properly quote, paraphrase, and cite resources. Become familiar with citation resources like RefWorks and EndNote. Students learn how the School of Nursing Writing Tutor can support their writing.

**05/03/21 12pm-pm, via Zoom**

Register

# Visit the OAS web page for SON writing & Library Resources



## SON Writing & Library Resources

The Office of Academic Success provides content based tutoring for undergraduate nursing students. For undergraduate or graduate students seeking writing resources please see the Purdue Online Writing Lab and the RBHS Writing Center information.

[RBHS - School of Nursing Writing Center](#) +

[Pearson Writer](#) +

[Purdue Owl](#) +

[APA 7th Edition](#) +

[Undergraduate Writing Centers](#) +

[Rutgers School of Nursing Library Liasons](#) +

[Lib Guides for Nursing](#) +

[End Note](#) +

[Information Literacy - Rutgers Libraries Tutorials](#) +

### Library Tutorials



Rutgers Library Tutorials on Academic Integrity, Plagiarism, and Copyright

Click the picture above to visit the Rutgers Library Website.

# RUTGERS SCHOOL OF NURSING (RBHS) Writing Center

Managed by the Rutgers Newark Writing Program



# **The School of Nursing (RBHS) Writing Center staff offers support for the following:**

- Citation analysis and attribution
- Writing Personal Statements
- ESL support
- Note taking and time management
- Outlining and organizing



# The School of Nursing (RBHS) Writing Center



The School of Nursing Writing Center will open on Tuesday, September 8, 2020 to provide writing tutoring for School of Nursing students this semester. You can work with a tutor either through a virtual face to face meeting or through email.

To make an appointment, please email [marneb@newark.rutgers.edu](mailto:marneb@newark.rutgers.edu) with the subject line **NURSING TUTORING REQUESTED**. Please include your phone number so that we can call you back to schedule your appointment. At that time we will also provide you with the link to join the virtual tutoring session or the email if that's how you would prefer to work.



## APA Style Webinars - Graduate Writing Program

# APA Webinar: Elements of Format and Style

Miriam Jaffe, PhD, MSW  
Graduate Writing Program  
Rutgers University



# Academic Integrity Workshop

Hosted by the Office of Academic Success & Graduate Student Engagement

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- utilize the RBHS Writing tutor to support your writing.

# ACADEMICALLY TENACIOUS STUDENTS

~ Scott Barry Kaufman

1. Feel as though they belong in school, academically and socially.
2. See the relevance of education for achieving their personal future goals.
3. Value effort.
4. Seek challenging tasks that will help them learn rather than stick with easy tasks that offer no opportunity for growth.
5. **View setbacks as an opportunity for learning rather than an indication of their low innate ability or worth.**
6. **Have a number of self-regulation strategies at their disposal to remain motivated and avoid distractions over the short and long haul.**
7. Believe in their ability to learn and perform.
8. Enter the classroom with the goal of mastering the material, not outcompeting other students.
9. Have a sense of purpose, and feel that their learning will contribute value to the world beyond themselves.
10. **Have positive, supportive relationships with teachers and peers.**

# Questions?

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