The Sam Houston Writing Center provides one-on-one tutoring help with all writing for SHSU students. We will help you at any stage of your writing project, from thinking about the assignment or task, understanding your audience, researching the topic, creating a thesis, selecting your evidence, organizing your ideas, developing your paragraphs, creating transitions, writing clear, grammatical sentences, to editing your revised draft. We also provide workshops on aspects of writing.

If you are a student in an off-campus class, you may submit your papers through our Distance Tutoring service.

We offer a number of handouts and links to help you with your assignments. Use this link to find them.

Resources and Handouts

WHAT WE CAN HELP YOU DO:

- Generate ideas for your essay
- Identify your target audience
- Organize your paper
- Improve your writing style
- Identify and correct grammatical errors
- Interpret an instructor's comments on graded papers and make suggestions on how to avoid specific problems
- Teach you proofreading techniques

WHAT WE CANNOT DO:

- Write for you
- Help you on the day the paper is due
- Tell you what to write
- Proofread or correct the paper for you
- Take responsibility for finding all your mistakes
- Estimate the grade you may earn