WESTERN LIBRARIES & the LEARNING COMMONS

...integrates teaching, learning, information, and technology to promote dialogue, learning, and discovery. By providing access to resources and through the sharing of innovative approaches which foster teaching and learning at Western, we can help you:

- Design effective research and writing assignments
- Integrate technology into your courses
- Bring research and writing support to your students
- Engage in dialogue with students, staff, and community members
- And more!

For more information, visit: library.wwu.edu/learning_commons
Teaching & Learning Support Services

**Academic Literacies Support:** Provides direct assistance to faculty by offering consultations about research and writing instruction and assessment, Writing Proficiency expectations, and related topics such as academic integrity.

**Center for Community Learning:** Creates positive social change through meaningful partnerships throughout WWU and the community.

**Center for Instructional Innovation & Assessment:** Provides support to faculty in instructional innovation and course development.

**Digital Media Center:** Supports Western with new media instruction and by offering media production workshops open to both faculty and students.

**Hacherl Research & Writing Studio:** Students can drop by the Studio to work with peer assistants and staff who offer feedback and strategies to help students develop their research, writing, and reading skills. Students can also submit drafts online. Specialized services are also available for graduate students.

**Integrated Research and Writing Workshops:** Faculty may bring their classes to these workshops that address competencies such as developing topics, framing inquiry questions, finding & using sources, and revising & editing.

**Library Information Tutorial:** Designed to help students strengthen their research and writing skills, LIT modules can be completed all at once or assigned separately to support your assignments.

**Teaching-Learning Academy:** Participate in dialogue groups to better understand the existing learning culture, to share that understanding, and to enhance the learning environment for everyone. Faculty, staff, students, and community members are welcome to join.

**Tutoring Center:** Provides academic support to students through free drop-in sessions, tutor-facilitated study groups, and one-on-one study skills appointments.

Contact us with your ideas for additional programming on topics such as research management and academic integrity: LearningCommons@wwu.edu