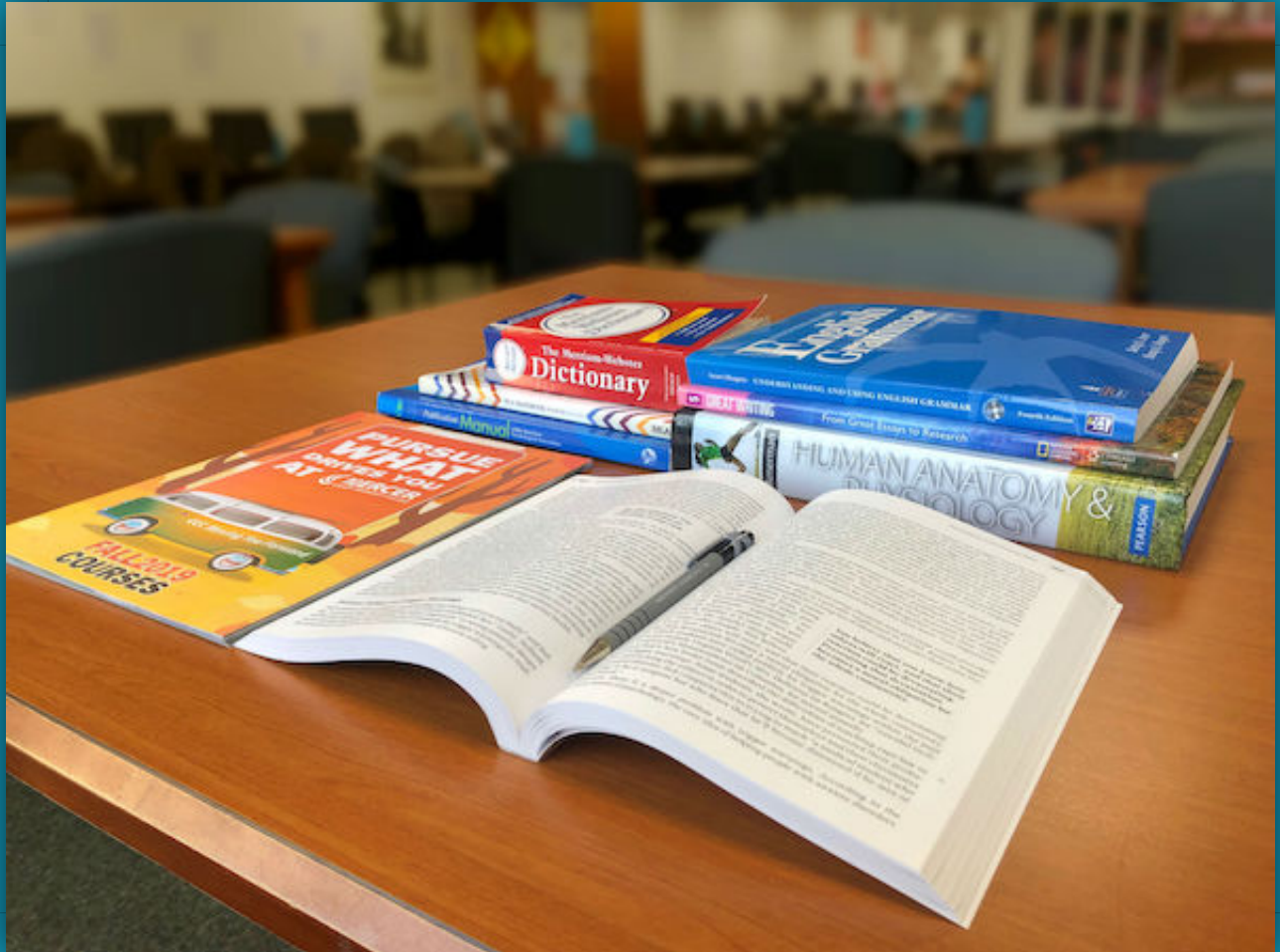




September Tutoring News

MCCC Tutoring Services Updates



Welcome back, students!

Starting this semester, we will be sending a monthly newsletter with upcoming events, tutor bios, learning tips, and helpful links. See below!

Announcements

All learning centers reopen on Wednesday, September 4th! See below for hours and contact info.

Upcoming Workshops

Workshops will be held in the Writing Center (LA 227) unless otherwise noted.

- Thu 9/12 at 6 pm (LB 214) – "Basics of IST" with Professor Anthony Matty
- Tue 9/17 at 1 pm – "Crafting a Basic Essay" with Sean O'Connor
- Tue 9/17 at 3 pm – "Improving Your Vocabulary" with Diana Goodman
- Thu 9/19 at 3 pm – "Grammar Refresher: Sentence Structure" with Bernard Foyuth
- Tue 9/24 at 3 pm – "So You Think You Might Need Tutoring?" with Katie Gyenge
- Tue 9/24 at 4 pm – "Using and Citing Sources in MLA and APA Formats" with Bernard Foyuth
- Thu 9/26 at 3 pm – "Poetry Workshop" with Bernard Foyuth

[See full Workshop Schedule](#)

Other Events

- Mon 10/7 6 pm (SC 104) – Poetry & Fiction Reading

Featured Tutor: Chris Randolph

Chris has an associate degree from MCCC and is our most popular tutor for microbiology. He also tutors statistics and nursing-related subjects. To thank him for going above and beyond for them, students voted to award him the Dean Edward W. Frederick "Champion" Award in 2017. Chris is a fan of Star Trek, natural scenery, and college and professional football and basketball.



Featured Tutor: Matt Snope

Matt has a master's degree in Humanities from California State University. He's a professor at Seton Hall and tutors English and philosophy here at MCCC. His favorite colors are pink and gold, and raw onions make him cry. In his free time, Matt likes to hike, fish, watch movies, eat spicy food, and play guitar. See below for the first in a series of Tips for Tutees that Matt has written.

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Tips for Tutees by Matt Snope

Three of the most **common student writing mistakes** involve apostrophes, quotation marks, and unnecessary capitalization.

- Apostrophes do two things: they show possession (a student's car) or take the place of a letter in a word (o'er the ramparts we watched).
- Quotation marks are used to quote, verbatim, what someone says. If you have quotation marks, you generally need to have the quote attributed to a specific speaker. There is a rule for using a quote within a quote, as in when you cite a quotation that includes dialogue between people. Single quotation marks within a quotation are used to indicate dialogue.
- Capitalization is mainly used for proper nouns (and of course to begin a sentence). Many writers incorrectly believe one should capitalize a word that they feel is important, but this is incorrect.

Hours & Contact Information (Primary Learning Centers)

West Windsor Learning Center

Location: LB 214

Phone: (609)570-3455

Hours:

Mon–Wed: 10 am - 7 pm

Thu: 10 am - 6 pm

Fri–Sat: 10 am - 3 pm

JKC Beverly A. Richardson Learning Center

Location: KC 311

Phone: (609)570-3151

Tutoring Hours:

Mon–Thu: 8:30 am - 8 pm

Fri: 9 am - 2 pm

Sat: 9 am - 1 pm

See links below for more information about all tutoring locations.

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Writing Center (LA 227)
Science Learning Center (MS 211)
Nursing Learning Center (MS 338)
Business Collaboration Center (BS 109)
IST-101 Open Labs (BS 320)

James Kerney Campus:

Beverly A. Richardson Learning Center (KC 331)
Science Learning Center (KC 331)

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