

DOLCIANI MATH LEARNING CENTER HAPPENINGS

AUGUST 26 – SEPTEMBER 12



WELCOME TO FALL 2025!!

OPEN HOUSE: Come to the Dolciani Center Tues Sept 2 – Fri Sept 5 anytime from 11:00 – 3:00 and participate in some math games and have a snack. Meet the staff of tutors and circulation assistants who will be supporting you this semester and get comfortable coming here with a study group or for assistance.

What is the Dolciani Math Learning Center? It's a comprehensive support Center for those wanting to do well in their math, stat, or QR course. **Successful students come early in the semester, come often, and come consistently.**



Why should I go there? Math is easier to learn and retain when you work with another person. The Center is not only for those who need assistance, but also for those who are doing well and want to work with others in their class. Those who used the Center state that it definitely helped them get a better grade.

Where is it? It's located in the 68th Street Library on the 7th floor.

What hours is it open? Beginning August 26 Mon - Thurs 9:00am – 8:00pm, Fri 9:00am – 5:00pm both onsite and virtual, and Saturday from 9:00am – 5:00pm virtually only. To participate in our virtual hours go to our website www.hunter.cuny.edu/dolciani and click on "Enter the Virtual DMLC."

What does it offer? There is tutoring, practice problems for your course, tutorial DVDs, computer tutorials, textbooks, study tables, workshops, academic coaching, study skills tips, etc.

BRUSH-UP MATERIALS: Need to brush up on those prerequisite skills for your course? There are practice materials on our website for each of the courses we support. Go to www.hunter.cuny.edu/dolciani, click on Brush-up Skills and work the practice problems and check your answers.

MATH STUDY SKILLS WORKSHOPS: Sometimes having difficulty in a math or stat course has nothing to do with the content but instead has to do with your math study skills. Our math study skills workshops have proven to be successful in the past. In fact, 85% of the students who attended were successful in their course. Try to answer these questions:

- Do you know why and how studying math is different from other subjects?
- Do you know how to adjust for those differences?
- Are your time management skills the best they can be?
- Do you know the best ways and times to study math?

*If you answered "no" or "maybe" to any of these strongly consider attending the **first two of eight** study skills workshops offered in the Dolciani Center. The workshops are offered day, evening, onsite and virtual. Register for them on Navigate.*

Check with your instructor to see if they will give you extra credit for attending.

Why Learning Math is Different from Other Subjects and Creating a Growth Mindset

Tues Sept 2 12:00 – 1:00, 7:00 – 8:00

Wed Sept 3 11:00 – 12:00, 5:00 – 6:00

Thurs Sept 4 2:00 – 3:00

Fri Sept 5 10:00 – 11:00

Mon Sept 8 11:00 – 12:00, 3:00 – 4:00

Mastering Time Management

Tues Sept 9 12:00 – 1:00, 7:00 – 8:00

Wed Sept 10 11:00 – 12:00, 5:00 – 6:00

Thurs Sept 11 2:00 – 3:00

Fri Sept 12 10:00 – 11:00

Mon Sept 15 11:00 – 12:00, 3:00 – 4:00

TUTORING: No appointments are necessary! Go to our website beginning Tuesday and see all of the hours (both onsite and virtual) that tutors are available for all math/stat courses as well as courses that use math/stat.

PROBLEM/REVIEW SESSIONS: Work with a tutor on specific review problems on the topics taught in class that week – both onsite and virtual. Register on Navigate.

MATH 150	Mon 10:00 – 11:00 (none on Sept 1)	Wed 12:00 – 1:00	Wed 4:00 – 5:00
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Week of Sept 1: Prerequisite Review for MATH 150 (including Trigonometry)

Week of Sept 8: Limits and Continuity

STAT 113	Wed 10:00 – 11:00	Wed 11:00 – 12:00	Thurs 1:30 – 2:30	Fri 1:00 – 2:00
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Week of Sept 1: Basic Statistical Concepts including Box Plots

Week of Sept 8: Intro to Normal Distribution, the Empirical Rule, Z-Scores

MATH/STAT COACHING: This is a mentoring and tutoring program that will give you the opportunity to work with a math coach throughout the semester. They will assist you in developing a growth mindset, managing your anxiety, and acquiring strategies for successful course completion. Students meet with a coach for a minimum of 4 times per semester, develop SMART Goals, and participate in supplemental group tutoring, study skills workshops, individualized study sessions as needed. For more information and appointments, check our website and make a “coaching” appointment on Navigate.

PRACTICE MATERIALS: Sometimes you might want some additional exercises to practice. Come to the Center and ask the Circulation Area Assistant for practice materials on the topic.

SUPPLEMENTAL TEXTBOOKS: Sometimes students have difficulty with their textbook and would like an alternate explanation. The Center has books from Professor Dolciani’s collection that can be borrowed to give you instruction on the topic from a different viewpoint.

STUDY GROUPS: The Center has reserved tables for each of the different subjects. Come meet others in your course and work together on homework or practice. It will also help you have a more productive use of your time and help you finish more quickly or understand the content more clearly.

STUDENTS WITH ACCOMMODATION NEEDS: Did you have an IEP in high school? Did you give your documentation to AccessABILITY so you can get the support services you need to be successful? The Dolciani Math Learning Center provides additional support to students with accommodation needs. Contact us directly for more information on what we can provide.

EVALUATIONS: Each time you use the Center you will be asked to fill out a short 5-question evaluation of the services you received. Please take the time to do this so we can constantly improve our services.

WEBSITE/SOCIAL MEDIA: Go to our website www.hunter.cuny.edu/dolciani, follow us @HunterDolciani,.

MOST IMPORTANTLY, REMEMBER THAT SUCCESSFUL STUDENTS COME EARLY IN THE SEMESTER, COME OFTEN, AND COME CONSISTENTLY! HOPE TO SEE YOU SOON!