

# BECOME A MORE EFFICIENT AND EFFECTIVE LEARNER.

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Office of the Senior Vice President for Health Sciences | **Division for Academic Success**

## PROGRAMS AND SERVICES INCLUDE:

- Advanced studying and note taking skills, test taking strategies and time management
- Tutoring
- Academic accommodations for students with documented disabilities
- Learning Connections Inventory® – a brief online assessment to identify your learn patterns and increase academic effectiveness
- Unwind – a program offering mindfulness, meditation and stress reduction. Learn more at [wp.vcu.edu/unwind](http://wp.vcu.edu/unwind).

## MAKE AN APPOINTMENT

Our services are confidential and free of charge to students enrolled in VCU health sciences programs.

**Call (804) 828-9782 to schedule your appointment.**

Students are strongly encouraged to request accommodations at least four weeks prior to the first day of classes.

## MISSION

**The Division for Academic Success creates inclusive and accessible learning environments and facilitates academic success through innovative services and programs in partnership with faculty, students and staff at VCU.**

DAS will not perform psycho-educational diagnostic assessments. Students can be referred to other sources for formal evaluations at their own cost if disabilities are suspected. Referrals can also be made to VCU Student Health and University Counseling Services.

Disclosed information by a student is confidential and may not be released to anyone outside of DAS without your written permission, and it will not appear on your transcripts.

DAS adheres to professional, legal and ethical guidelines established by professional organizations and state and federal laws.

## CONTACT US

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## OFFICE HOURS

**Monday – Friday, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.**

Appointment times can be arranged outside of office hours if needed.



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**Appointments**

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