



Western Kentucky University
Advising & Career Development Center

Peer Assisted Study Sessions (PASS) Leader

General Description:

The PASS Leader works under the direct supervision of the Specialist for The Learning Center. The position is responsible for providing undergraduate WKU students with the instruction and support necessary to achieve their educational goals. PASS Leaders work in The Learning Center within the Advising & Career Development Center.

Primary Duties and Responsibilities:

- Hold twice-per-week study sessions to reinforce key concepts presented by instructors.
- Attend the linked lecture course regularly, take notes, and communicate with the instructor regarding course content.
- Prepare lessons for each session to promote academic development.
- Provide supplemental handouts to students attending sessions.
- Assess student study habits and show methods for improving study skills.
- Promote independent learning.
- Reinforce key concepts presented by instructors.
- Promote academic integrity.
- Perform other job related duties as assigned.

Essential Functions:

- Ability to communicate effectively with faculty, staff, students, and guests of the university from diverse backgrounds.
- Ability to assess individual learning styles and promote appropriate learning strategies.
- Work in collaboration with goals and vision of PASS with the course faculty
- Ability to maintain accurate records.
- Ability to maintain confidentiality.
- Ability to maintain an educational environment which encourages learning.
- Ability to make decisions and work independently.
- Ability to ensure policies and procedures are followed in all decisions.

Requirements:

Applicant must be a currently enrolled undergraduate student at WKU with an overall GPA of at least 3.0. Applicants must have earned an “A” or “B” in the course to be a PASS Leader.