The Academic Center for Excellence (ACE), located on the first floor of Bristol Hall, provides academic support services to the King community through the Writing Center, Speaking Center, Math Center, and 24-hour, seven-day-a-week online tutoring.

Writing Center
The Writing Center is committed to facilitating learning and scholarship by providing King students with information resources and instruction in producing quality academic writing. The Writing Center is a peer tutoring organization that provides students with assistance in writing papers and preparing other documents.

The primary aim of the Writing Center is to help student writers improve their skills. Tutors work with students in thirty or sixty minute conferences during which areas for improvement are identified and discussed. In these sessions, tutors emphasize techniques that students can use to improve their writing. Follow-up sessions can reinforce learning.

The Writing Center also serves as a resource for faculty and promotes writing across the curriculum. Hours vary by semester and are usually announced via email and the on the Writing Center webpage (http://owl.king.edu).

Students can also submit papers and other documents to the Online Writing Lab (OWL). The OWL is a 24-hour service available to the King Community. Online tutors provide feedback via email between 24 and 48 hours of receipt.

Speaking Center
The Speaking Center provides support and assistance to students in oral communication. The Speaking Center is a peer tutoring service that provides students with assistance in developing oral presentations, speeches, and other skills related to oral communication.

Tutors work with students in thirty or sixty minute conferences and emphasize techniques that students can use on their own. Follow-up sessions reinforce the learning in each session. Hours vary by semester and are usually announced via email.

Math Center
The Math Center is available to assist students with supplemental instruction and tutoring in mathematics and quantitative assignments. The Math Center is a peer tutoring organization. The primary aim of the Math Center is to help students improve their quantitative thinking skills. Tutors work with students in thirty and sixty minute conferences in which areas of improvement are identified and discussed. Hours vary by semester and usually are announced via email.

Online Tutoring
In addition to the ACE tutoring, the ACE has a 24-hour online tutoring service available to King University students. Tutors in a variety of subjects are available 24 hours a day, seven days a week. Tutors also provide feedback on students’ written assignments. Services include one-on-one online tutoring, asynchronous online tutoring, and scheduled virtual appointments. There is a link to the online tutoring in every Blackboard course.