

The University of Arkansas

GRADUATE STUDENT GUIDE

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FIND A LIST OF GRADUATE
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GRADUATE SCHOOL CONTACT INFO

GRADUATE SCHOOL AND INTERNATIONAL EDUCATION (GSIE)

• Phone: (479) 575-4401

International Admissions:
 (479) 575-6246

Staff Directory

<u>Visit this page</u> for information about international grad school applications.

OFFICE OF GRADUATE STUDENT SUPPORT

• Phone: (479) 575- 7038

• Email: gradsupport@uark.edu

Chat on Teams

<u>Contact this office</u> for programming and support that furthers the academic success, professional development, and personal wellbeing of graduate students.

GRADUATE PROFESSIONAL STUDENT CONGRESS (GPSC)

GPSC President

• Email: <u>gpscpres@uark.edu</u>

GPSC Vice President

• Email: <u>gpscvice@uark.edu</u>

GPSC advocates for grad student issues such as student rights, teaching, academics, campus safety, and more. They also offer <u>research</u> and travel funding for grad students.

GRADUATE SCHOOL CONTACT INFO

INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS AND SCHOLARS (ISS)

• Phone: (479) 575-5003

• Email: <u>iss@uark.edu</u>

• Live Chat

<u>Contact this office</u> for international student pre-arrival information.

GRADUATE ADMISSIONS AND RECRUITMENT

• Phone: (479) 575- 3957

• Email: <u>gradapp@uark.edu</u>

<u>Contact this office</u> when you have issues related to graduate admissions.

GRADUATE FELLOWSHIPS, ENROLLMENT, AND GRADUATION SERVICES

• Email: <u>gradreg@uark.edu</u>

Funding: gradfunding@uark.edu

• Phone: (479) 575-5869

Contact this office for all registration issues related to graduate enrollment (ex: ACOR, Out of Career forms) and fellowship concerns.

GSIE HUMAN RESOURCES

• Email: gsiehr@uark.edu

Contact this office for issues related to GA stipends and/or health insurance.

OTHER CAMPUS OFFICES

DIVISON OF DIVERSITY, EQUITY, AND INCLUSION

• Phone: (479) 575-3338

• Email: <u>dvrsty@uark.edu</u>

<u>This office</u> offers information resources, and training to promote diversity and inclusion.

SPONSORED STUDENTS AND SPECIAL PROGRAMS

• Phone: (479) 575- 6661

Email: <u>uassp@uark.edu</u>

<u>Contact this office</u> for admissions and support for sponsored students.

SPRING INTERNATIONAL LANGUAGE CENTER

• Phone: (479) 575-7600

• Email: silc@uark.edu

<u>Contact this office</u> for concerns related to English Language and Culture Studies.

STUDY ABROAD AND INTERNATIONAL EXCHANGE

• Phone: (479) 575-7600

• Email: <u>studyabr@uark.edu</u>

<u>Contact this office</u> for study abroad travel and setting up international research.

TESTING SERVICES

• Phone: (479) 575- 3948

• Email: testing@uark.edu

<u>Contact this office</u> for inquiries related to testing services.

GRADUATE HANDBOOK AND CATALOG

Graduate Student Handbook

Check out this helpful guide with resources on the honor code, student rights, degree requirements, policies, procedures, and more

Graduate Catalog

The Graduate Catalog is a list of courses and degrees offered through the Graduate School at the U of A. Find information on suggested and required degree plans, anticipated costs, scholarships, financial assistance, and campus resources.

Graduate Forms

Here are quick links to <u>grad</u> <u>student forms</u>, including registration forms, graduate faculty forms, financial forms, and more.

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

Thesis and Dissertation Information

<u>This information</u> offers a graduation checklist, pre-check process, and formatting tips and tricks.

Thesis and **Dissertation Guide**

The Thesis and Dissertation Guide contains formatting help for your thesis or dissertation. Check out this research guide to help you find tools that support your progress.

Graduation Requirements

Here's a <u>helpful guide</u> with resources on the honor code, student rights, degree requirements, policies, procedures, and more

GRADUATE STUDENT GUIDE

GETTING STARTED

UA CONNECT

<u>UA Connect</u> is an online student center that has admissions, academic, and financial information.

CAMPUS CARD OFFICE

Grab your Student ID located in the Student Union. You can take a photo in-person, or submit a photo for use and pick it up from the Campus Card Office.

GRAD STUDENT ORIENTATION

Register for Graduate Student
Orientation, which is hosted by the
Office of Graduate Student
Support every fall and spring
semester.

TA TEACHING CAMP

If you will have teaching responsibilities, register for <u>TA</u>
<u>Teaching Camp</u> and check out some <u>teaching resources</u>.

GRAD STUDENT RESOURCES

Find resources for academic, research, finances, health and wellness, and more. Email gradsupport@uark.edu if you can't find what you're looking for.

PARKING AND TRANSIT

Review the "Parking and Transit" section in this guide and decide if you'd like to map out your <u>bus</u> route, buy a <u>parking pass</u>, or try free parking options.

GETTING TO KNOW NWA

Check out the opportunities this area has to offer on the <u>Experience</u>

<u>Fayetteville Explore Northwest</u>

Arkansas websites.

Take advantage of every funding opportunity you can! In the next few pages, you will find funding opportunities available to grad students, as well as resources to help manage your finances. Be sure to check out the <u>policies</u> governing funding and graduate assistantships.

1.FUNDING FOR LIVING EXPENSES

NEEDY FAMILY GRADUATE STUDENT EMERGENCY FUND

The <u>Needy Fund</u> contains need-based assistance for grad students with an unforeseen financial emergency (unexpected/unplanned events, job loss, medical emergency, car trouble, etc) beyond their control that hinders their ability to continue in school.

INTERNATIONAL EDUCATION CATASTROPHIC FUND

The International Education Catastrophic Fund provides needs-based assistance to undergraduate and graduate students international students with an unforeseen financial emergency (unexpected/unplanned events, job loss, medical emergency, car trouble, etc) beyond their control that hinders their ability to continue enrollment.

U OF A CARES STUDENT EMERGENCY FUND

The <u>U of A Cares Student Emergency Fund</u> is designed to assist students with short-term emergencies such as death of a family member, housing emergency, etc. This fund cannot be used toward tuition. Submit an application if you require short-term financial assistance.

LAW STUDENT EMERGENCY FUND

The <u>Law Student Emergency Fund</u> provides emergency funding for U of A School of Law students who are experiencing immediate financial hardship that puts their education at risk.

FUNDING FOR LIVING EXPENSES

MARIO MARTINELLI EDUCATIONAL ASSISTANCE FUND

The <u>Mario Martinelli Educational Assistance Fund</u> was created to support Panamanian students with sudden personal emergencies that would hinder their ability to continue with school or employment, or to provide funding for study abroad travel, service learning, and research. Students must be a citizen or permanent resident of Panama to be eligible for funding.

VETERAN RESOURCE AND INFORMATION (VRIC) EMERGENCY FUND

The VRIC Emergency Fund assists U of A student veterans with short-term emergencies (such as death of a family member, housing emergency, etc.) that could hinder a student's ability to continue in education or employment. This fund is not intended to provide tuition support. Submit an application if you're a veteran that requires emergency funding.

UNITED WAY/211

<u>211</u> is a free, confidential information and referral service that connects people to essential health and human services 24 hours a day, seven days a week online and over the phone. Find information on childcare, health, utility assistance, legal assistance, housing, employment, and more.

UNITED WAY SINGLECARE PRESCRIPTION SAVINGS CARD

<u>SingleCare</u> is a free drug discount card provided by the United Way that can save you, on average, around 45% on prescriptions.

RANGER'S PANTRY PET FOOD BANK

Ranger's Pantry Pet Food Bank is a project of the Community Resources Division, designing to keep struggling families and their pets together during times of financial hardship by providing pet food to in-need families residing in Fayetteville. The program is donation-based, and every pound of food that has been distributed has been donated by businesses and local residents.

SAMARITAN COMMUNITY CENTER RESOURCE GUIDE

Find resources through the <u>Samaritan Community Center</u> for assistance with medical, dental, legal, housing, or food in the Northwest Arkansas area.

PET BLESSING FOOD PANTRY (SPAY ARKANSAS CLINIC)

Thanks to a local Girl Scout, there is a <u>new pet pantry in NWA!</u> It's similar to food boxes for humans, but this one is dedicated to pets.

Available 24/7 near the Spay Arkansas Clinic

PRAIRIE GROVE PET SUPPLY PANTRY

This pet supply pantry is free and continually stocked with pet supplies . Cajun Lady's K9 (114 S. Neal St., Prairie Grove, AR 72753)

2. GRADUATE ASSISTANTSHIPS

GRADUATE ASSISTANTSHIPS

<u>Graduate Assistantships</u> (GAs) are awarded by a department on 50% assistantships. Students work up to 20 hours a week (research, office work, etc) or teach up to two 3 credit hour courses for the department in exchange for tuition benefits, plus a stipend, paid directly to the student. Students on 25% assistantships will work up to 10 hours per week and will be classified as instate for tuition purposes.

EQUITY OPPORTUNITY AND COMPLIANCE

The <u>Office of Equal Opportunity and Compliance</u> sets workplace accommodations, Email <u>oeoc@uark.edu</u> for workplace accommodations.

STUDENT HEALTH INSURANCE

The University of Arkansas offers <u>health insurance plans</u> to eligible students. <u>Dental and vision plans</u> are also available. Graduate Assistants on a 50% appointment or greater will also have 67% of their student <u>health insurance paid for by the University</u> for those students eligible for health insurance. For health insurance questions, call (479) 575-4406.

3. ACADEMIC FUNDING

BENJAMIN FRANKLIN LEVER TUITION FELLOWSHIP

<u>The Benjamin Franklin Lever Tuition Fellowship</u> is designed to increase diversity within graduate degree programs by providing financial assistance to graduate students from underrepresented groups. For more information, please contact the Office of Graduate Fellowships at (479) 575-4327 or gradfunding@uark.edu.

TRAVEL GRANTS FROM THE GRADUATE SCHOOL

<u>Graduate School Travel Grants</u> are designed to help defray costs incurred by U of A graduate students traveling to a conference or professional meeting to present research. These travel grants include:

- Presentation Travel Grants: for travel-related expenses
- Research Travel Grants (PhD and EdD students only): for research activities necessary for completion of dissertation
- International Travel Supplement (PhD and EdD students only): for travelrelated expenses related to international conferences and symposiums.

GRADUATE STUDENT PROFESSIONAL CONGRESS (GPSC) FUNDING GRANTS

The GPSC offers <u>three kinds of grants</u> to graduate and professional students at the University of Arkansas. In most cases, students must be represented on the GPSC by a Departmental Student Organization (DSO) before grant money can be dispersed. Contact <u>gpscpro@uark.edu</u> if you would like to set up a DSO for your department!

GRANTFORWARD FUNDING DATABASE

<u>GrantForward</u> uses specialized data-crawling technology to constantly update our extensive database of sponsors and funding opportunities, allowing thousands of grant opportunities to be gathered from over 9,000 US Sponsors. Every grant opportunity is thoroughly analyzed and then verified by our team of specialists to ensure accuracy.

ACADEMIC FUNDING

NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION GRADUATE RESEARCH GRANTS

The <u>NSF GRFP</u> recognizes and supports outstanding graduate students in NSF-supported STEM disciplines who are pursuing research-based Master's and Doctoral degrees at accredited US institutions. The five-year fellowship includes three years of financial support, including an annual stipend of \$34,000 and a cost of education allowance of \$12.000 to the institution.

A. L. CHILTON FOUNDATION AWARD

The <u>A. L. Chilton Foundation Award</u> was established to assist graduate students with a one-time award of up to \$500 to support research activities such as:

- · Assisting with travel relating to research,
- Purchasing material that may be needed for the student's research that is not available at the university, or
- Purchasing, leasing, or renting any other items or services that will assist the student's research

TIPTON FAMILY ACADEMIC ENRICHMENT FUND

The <u>Tipton Family Academic Enrichment Fund</u> was established to assist graduate students enrolled in either the Master of Education in Higher Education or the Doctor of Education in Higher Education programs at the University of Arkansas with expenses related to their academic enrichment. Examples include, but are not limited to, travel expenses and expenses related to research.

EXTERNAL FUNDING SOURCES

Check out the Graduate School directory of <u>External Funding Sources</u>, which has a list of fellowships and scholarships provided by state, federal, and outside sources. This tool can filter for specific results.

4. FOOD

FULL CIRCLE FOOD PANTRY

The <u>Full Circle Food Pantry</u> is available only with Student ID, UAMS ID or Photo ID to access.

Located in Bud Walton Hall near Stadium Dr. Parking Garage

Additionally, the Full Circle Food Pantry has started a new <u>Full Circle Mini for students</u>, faculty, and staff in the Graduate Student Lounge. Please come by and grab food you need and, if you are in a position to donate food or personal items, please email <u>gradsupport@uark.edu</u>.

Graduate and International Student Lounge (GEAR 206)

GRADUATE STUDENT LOUNGE

The Full Circle Food Pantry has started a new Full Circle Mini for students, faculty, and staff. Please come by and grab food you need and, if you are in a position to donate food or personal items, please email gradsupport@uark.edu.

Graduate and International Student Lounge (GEAR 206)

WASHINGTON COUNTY EOA FOOD ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

EOA partners with Bread of Life to distribute food.

LIFE SOURCE INTERNATIONAL INC

The <u>Lifesource food pantry</u> is available for anyone requiring food assistance. 602 S. School Ave. Suite 2. Fayetteville, AR 72701

COOPERATIVE EMERGENCY OUTREACH INC

Along with a <u>food pantry</u> this outreach program also provides gas, clothing, prescription vouchers, utility, and rent assistance.

1649 Huntsville Rd, Fayetteville, AR 72702

UNITED WAY/211

<u>211</u>, along with other services, is available nationwide and can connect you to local food sources in your area.

FOOD

SECOND MILE MINISTRIES

<u>Second Mile</u> seeks to meet needs of food, clothing, monetary aid in small amounts, rent, utilities and some medications.

315 W. Maple St. Fayetteville, AR 72701 (Found Heritage Hall-2nd floor)

FRIENDLY FRIDGE

<u>Friendly Fridge</u> is a food pantry for refrigerated and frozen food items. Take what you need, leave what you can.

224 N East Ave, Fayetteville, AR 72701

Y'ALLIDARITY

<u>Y'allidarity</u> is a local mutual aid group; visit their Facebook Group page for more information.

ALDI

<u>Aldi</u> is a grocery store with cheap alternatives for products. Their inventory rotates items, so what's in stock can vary from visit to visit.

3214 W, M.L.K. Jr Blvd, Fayetteville, AR 72704 (use Route 44 on Razor Transit)

HARP'S

Harps is a local supermarket with moderate prices.

1189 Garland Avenue (Use Route 21 on Razor Transit)

FAYETTEVILLE FARMER'S MARKET

<u>The Farmer's Market</u>, located on the square, features local farmers selling farm-raised vegetables, fruit, and flowers.

224 N. East Ave, Fayetteville, AR. (use Route 13 on Razor Transit)

FOOD

OZARK NATURAL FOODS

<u>Ozark Natural Foods</u> is a local co-op. You can find organic, bulk grocery items as well as garden items. Paying for a membership allows students to receive a 10% discount on Tuesdays and Saturdays; membership is \$10 a year.

380 N. College Ave. Fayetteville AR, 72701 | 479.521.7558

NATURAL GROCERS

<u>Natural Grocers</u> is a chain health food store and has organic, natural food options as well as supplements.

4116 N College Ave, Fayetteville, AR 72703

WHOLE FOODS

<u>Whole Foods</u> is a chain health food store with organic and natural food options as well as clothes, supplements, soaps, etc. Sales are available and discounts are available with an Amazon Prime membership.

3425 N College Ave, Fayetteville, AR 72703

MENDOZA GROCERY

<u>Mendoza Grocery</u> is a Hispanic market with good food and low prices.

121 W Township St, Fayetteville, AR 72703 (use Route 21 on Razor Transit)

INTERNATIONAL GROCERY

This <u>International Grocery store</u> sells halal foods and meats, Mediterranean, Indian, Bangladeshi, Pakistan, and African Foods.

1224 N Lindell Ave, Fayetteville, AR 72703 (use Route 21 on Razor Transit)

FOOD

WALMART SUPERCENTER/ON-CAMPUS "SMALLMART"

<u>Wal-Mart Supercenter</u> goes beyond your quick grocery runs to the Neighborhood Market. They also offer non-grocery services and goods like oil changes, clothing and a pharmacy. Free grocery pick-up is available by using the Wal-Mart app. They also offer delivery for a small fee (or free when you join WalMart+)

Use Route 44 for Razor Transit-2875 M.L.K. Jr Blvd, Fayetteville, AR 72704

There is an on-campus Walmart with a pharmacy as well.

616 N Garland Ave Ste 363, Fayetteville, AR 72701

5. LOCAL BANKS

WITH FAYETTEVILLE LOCATIONS AND ATMS IN THE UARK UNION:

- Arvest
- Bank of America
- Simmons Bank

WITH FAYETTEVILLE LOCATIONS ONLY:

- Bank Ozark
- UARK Federal Credit Union

6. FURNITURE

FURNITURE FRIENDS

Furniture Friends provides furniture for international students at no cost.

POTTER'S HOUSE THRIFT STORE

Potter's House Thrift Store is a local business with multiple locations in the NWA area. Along with clothes and other used goods, Potter's House always has a used furniture selection, where you can get good deals on a variety of pieces.

Fayetteville location: 2703 N. Drake St., Fayetteville, AR, 72703

GOODWILL

Goodwill has multiple locations in NWA and always a selection of used furniture at low prices.

Fayetteville locations: 3105 MLK Blvd.

705 E Appleby Rd.

7. OFF-CAMPUS HOUSING

UARK OFF-CAMPUS HOUSING

Find housing or roommates in the Fayetteville area with <u>UARK Off-Campus</u> <u>Housing</u> (note: not affiliated with the U of A).

FAYETTEVILLE HOUSING AUTHORITY

Find a home or rental assistance with the Fayetteville Housing Authority.

TUITION AND LIVING COSTS

Check cost of tuition and fees as well as estimated living costs.

COST OF LIVING ESTIMATOR

Calculate your estimated cost of living.

Success in graduate school starts with the right tools. Whether you are looking for tutoring services or technology help, the university offers resources to help you succeed in the classroom.

1. RESOURCES TO HELP YOUR ACADEMICS

ACADEMIC INTEGRITY

This research guide offers a course on academic integrity as well as information on plagiarism, university policy, and citation tools to help you stay on track with your work.

NATIONAL CENTER FOR FACULTY DEVELOPMENT AND DIVERSITY

On the <u>National Center for Faculty Development & Diversit (NCFDD)</u> website, you can find dissertation help, writing challenges, and monthly accountability buddy matches to help you develop academic skills and stay on track.

SYLLABUS SEARCH

<u>Search faculty-submitted syllabi</u> to review assignments, exam schedules, reading lists, course materials, and attendance policies.

ENGLISH LANGUAGE AND CULTURAL STUDIES FOR INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS

Take a look at <u>English Language and Cultural Studies</u>, designed for non-native speakers of English looking to improve their English language skills or understanding of U.S. cultural norms and institutions.

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2. DAVID W. MULLINS LIBRARY

UARK RESEARCH GUIDES

Check out the Research Guides website and these other helpful research resources:

- Useful Sources for Research
- Finding Reputable Sources
- Use Interlibrary Loan to borrow resources
- Finding and Using Ebooks
- Research Database
- Special Collections
- Newspapers

RESEARCH AND PUBLICATIONS

Check out these resources for research and other scholarly works:

- Writing and Publishing: Resources for Researchers and Scholars
- Identifying Predatory Journals
- Author/Creator Rights and User Rights
- Scholarly Metrics
- Better Results with Google Scholar
- Text Mining
- Open Education Resources (OER)
- Email Alerts: Keeping Up With Your Field

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DAVID W. MULLINS LIBRARY

ESOURCES FOR GRAD STUDENTS

Checkout the <u>Grad Student Library Resources</u> page and others listed below, which have info on Research Guides, interlibrary loans, technology and more.

- An Introduction to the Library
- New Student FAQs
- Group Study & Collaboration Rooms

RESEARCH GUIDES FOR FOR FOREIGN LANGUAGE TA'S

The Library offers Research Guides for TA's who teach in foreign languages to help them with their research.

- Guides for TA's in Spanish
- Guides for TA's in French
- Guides for TA's in German

DATA SCIENCE

The Library has lots of useful resources about Data Science:

- Data Management Plans and Data File Management
- Data Visualization
- Data Services On-Campus
- Data and Statistics Portal
- Open Science Framework
- Tools for Reproducibility and Replicability
- Data Services Librarian
- Data Services Links
- Data Storage Repositories

3. TUTORING SERVICES

MATH RESOURCE AND TUTORING CENTER

Sign up online to make your appointment. The <u>MRTC</u> is located in Champions Hall (CHPN, 811 W Dickson St). Find the Teaching Center in CHPN 326, and the Testing Center in CHPN 327. Virtual tutoring sessions are available.

STATISTICAL AND MEASUREMENT SUPPORT SERVICES

<u>Statistical Support</u> assists researchers at any stage of the research process – from project design to statistical analysis and interpretation of results. It can be most helpful to researchers especially when consulted early during the planning and design stages. Please consider making a <u>preliminary</u> <u>appointment</u> with them early in your research process.

4. TECHNOLOGY AND EQUIPMENT

COMPUTING IN THE LIBRARIES

<u>Mullins Tech Spot</u> / Laptops for checkout / Printing available / Scanning available / Technology support available

IT SERVICES

<u>Free Tech Support</u> for UARK Students 479-575-8611

STUDENT TECHNOLOGY CENTER

Located in the Union, the <u>Technology Center</u> has equipment rentals that are free of cost for students with their IDs.

TECH SPOT LABS

Check out a list of locations with computers and printing access.

5. WRITING RESOURCES

WRITING STUDIO

The <u>Writing Studio</u> provides one-on-one tutoring assistance for graduate students at any stage of the writing process. You can work with the writing tutors in person or upload your paper for online feedback. Look for their dissertation/thesis expert.

CITING YOUR SOURCES

The library offers research guides on <u>how to cite</u> as well as access to citation managers.

STYLE GUIDES

The library offers several research guides over writing styles. These guides include tips for citations and the style guide manuals.

- MLA Style
- APA Style
- Chicago/Turabian Style
- IEEE Style

CULTIVATE THE WRITER

Graduate students can find webinars at <u>Cultivate the Writer</u> to help you set up successful writing habits. Email <u>gradsupport@uark.edu</u> for info on how to create your account.

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WRITING RESOURCES

ENGLISH LANGUAGE AND CULTURAL STUDIES FOR INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS

The <u>English Language and Cultural Studies course</u> is designed for non-native speakers of English looking to improve their English language writing skills.

WRITING WEEK

The graduate school hosts events throughout the year to help boost your writing skills, such as Writing Week. Find events and register on the <u>Office of Graduate Student Support Eventbrite page</u>.

TURNITIN.COM

A <u>TurnItIn course is available</u> for graduate students who wish to self-enroll and check their work in TurnItIn before submitting it to their instructor.

WRITING RESOURCE GUIDE

The Office of Graduate Student Support has created a <u>Writing Resource Guide</u> that is available on the Student Resources page. This guide has compiled all the writing resources available into one source for quick, easy access.

ACCESSIBILITY

The university offers services and resources to help make sure you can participate fully in classes, work, and other activities on campus.

CENTER FOR EDUCATIONAL ACCESS (CEA)



The <u>Center for Educational Access (CEA)</u> serves as the central campus resource for the University community in regard to students with disabilities and accommodations to remove barriers to academic access.

UA CARES



<u>U of A Cares</u> offers a supportive and encouraging partnership with students by linking them with appropriate resources that will allow them the opportunities to overcome barriers on their path to success; both personal and educational.

PARATRANSIT



Paratransit services_are available for individuals with permanent or temporary disabilities. Call (479) 575-7433 or visit the <u>Paratransit website</u> for eligibility and accommodations.

RESEARCH

Set yourself up for success in research by taking advantage of all the research resources the university has to offer. Be sure to check out the subject librarians.

RESEARCH RESOURCES

RESEARCH GUIDES

The library offers access to subject databases for developing your own research. You can also reach out to your <u>subject librarian</u> to help with resources and ideas.

RESEARCH/CITATION RESOURCE GUIDES

The Office of Graduate Student Support has created a <u>Research Resource Guide</u> and <u>Citation Resource Guide</u>, which contain compilations of research and citation resources all into one document for easy access.

SCHOLARWORKS

<u>Scholarworks</u> is the University of Arkansas institutional repository, where we showcase the research, scholarship and creative work of the U of A Community. For assistance: <u>scholar@uark.edu</u>

OTHER RESOURCES

- Check out <u>Responsible Conduct of Research</u> for research miscondunct policies
- Check out the <u>Research Centers on Campus</u>
- Check out the <u>Writing and Publishing: Resources for Researchers and</u>
 <u>Scholars</u> page to learn how to publish, promote your research, and build your reputation
- Set up email alerts for new publications of interest in your field with <u>Email</u>
 Alerts: Keeping Up With Your Field
- Check out the <u>Literature Reviews</u> page for a brief guide on literature reviews for various disciplines

Parking and transit on campus can be tricky to navigate. Be sure to check out the information below so that you know where to park and what to expect from campus police. Use the <u>University of Arkansas Map</u> and <u>Parking Map</u> to help navigate.

PARKING ON CAMPUS

NAME/COLOR	AVAILIBILITY	ТҮРЕ	LOCATION
Orange Lot/Commuter Lot	Students only	Annual permit (most affordable)	Next to Beechwood Apts. off MLK Blvd.
Green Lot/Reserved Lot	Students only	Annual permit (2nd most affordable)	<u>See Parking Map</u>
Red Lot/Resident Reserved Lot	Residential only	Annual permit	<u>See Parking Map</u>
Yellow Lot/Faculty- Staff Lot	Faculty/Staff only	Annual permit	<u>See Parking Map</u>
Blue Parking Permit/Student Lot	Faculty	Annual permit (most expensive)	<u>See Parking Map</u>

Note: Parking lots will differ when there are athletic events

All student and faculty on-campus parking have ADA accommodations

PARKING ON CAMPUS

NAME/COLOR	AVAILIBILITY	TYPE	LOCATION
<u>Meadow St.</u> <u>Parking Garage</u>	All	Metered Parking	West side of the HPER Building
<u>Harmon Parking</u> <u>Garage</u>	All	Annual Permit or Metered Parking	146 Harmon Ave., near Mechanical Engineering & JB Hunt buildings
<u>Garland Parking</u> <u>Garage</u>	All	Metered Parking/ Free 30 min. Retail Parking	650 Garland Ave.
<u>Stadium Drive</u> <u>Parking Garage</u>	All	Metered Parking	380 N. Stadium Dr., close to Arkansas Union & Union Bus Station
Street Parking Meters	All	Metered Parking-use <u>Flowbird app</u>	Arkansas Ave. & Maple St., the streets surrounding Old Main

Note: Parking lots will differ when there are athletic events

All student and faculty on-campus parking have ADA accommodations

CITATIONS

CITATION COSTS

Moving Violations and Parking Violations vary in cost. Please check the <u>Citation</u> <u>Costs site</u> for the most updated list of cost per infraction. <u>You can choose to work off your tickets with the ASC Work It Off program</u>.

APPEALING YOUR CITATION

People who seek to appeal a university traffic citation, a parking citation, the placement of a boot, or a vehicle tow have the option to <u>file an appeal with the UA Parking and Traffic Appeals Committee</u>. There are different appeals procedures for different infractions, so be sure to check the website to ensure you follow all procedures correctly. Parking and Traffic Appeals are the only appeals on campus that cost a small administrative fee to file your appeals paperwork.

PARKING AND TRAFFIC RULES AND REGULATIONS

Check here for information on Parking and Traffic Rules and Regulations.

FREE PARKING

STUDENT GENERAL PARKING

Check out <u>information about free parking</u> on certain campus parking lots after 8:00 PM- 7:00 AM. Parking lots will differ when there are athletic events.

WEST AVE. PARKING LOT

Located on intersections West Ave. and Dickson St. across from the Walton Arts Center. Free in the mornings but metered parking after 2PM. Use <u>PayByPhone app</u>

CENTRAL METHODIST CHURCH

Located on 6 W. Dickson St.

Use Bus Route 13 to arrive at the main campus.

STREET PARKING

Street parking near the university is free parking as long as it isn't metered and there are no signs preventing parking in that area. Check side roads off Leverett, Arkansas Ave, and Maple. Be prepared to parallel park.

TRANSIT

RAZORBACK TRANSIT BUSES

<u>Free buses</u> running to on campus and off campus locations including the NWA mall (Route 26), and Walmart on MLK (Route 44). For information about routes, use the <u>PassioCo! App</u>.

SAFE RIDE

The <u>Safe Ride</u> provides students with a safe means of transportation from any uncomfortable or inconvenient situation. During operating hours, Safe Ride can pick you up at any location within the Fayetteville city limits and take you to your residence as indicated on UAConnect.

(479) 575-SAFE (7233)

PARATRANSIT

<u>Paratransit</u> offers services available for individuals with permanent or temporary disabilities. Call (479) 575-7433 or visit the Paratransit link for eligibility and accommodations.

VEORIDE

<u>Veoride</u> offers sustainable bicycle and scooter options, managed with the Veo App.

SPIN

Rentable scooters are available through the Spin app.

OZARK REGIONAL TRANSIT (ORT)

The <u>ORT</u> is a bus route that extends through NWA including routes to Springdale, Rogers, and Bentonville.

HEALTH AND WELLBEING

Health is a vital component of success in graduate school. Find resources to help you maintain your health and wellbeing below.

1. PAT WALKER HEALTH CENTER

PRIMARY CLINIC

<u>Primary Clinic</u> services both acute and chronic illness/injuries, wellness physical exams, screening for infectious diseases, integrated behavioral health and dietitian counseling.

(479)-575-4451

GYN (WOMEN'S) CLINIC

The services offered at <u>the GYN Clinic</u> include reproductive exams, contraception, emergency contraception counseling and prescriptions, HPV vaccination, flu vaccination, update on adult tetanus, etc. (479)-575-4478

NUTRITION SERVICES

<u>Nutrition services</u> are based on the following: cholesterol, diabetes, hypertension, weight concerns, and disordered eating

ALLERGY, IMMUNIZATION, AND TRAVEL CLINIC

<u>Travel Clinic services</u> include MMR vaccines, recommended vaccines, tuberculosis screening, allergy injections, etc. (479) -575-7723

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HEALTH AND WELLBEING

Emergency mental health services are available 24/7 by phone at (479) 575-5276.

2. CAPS AND PSYCHOLOGICAL SERVICES (CAPS)

MAIN SERVICES AT CAPS

The main services that <u>CAPS</u> offers includes short-term individual counseling, psychiatry, group therapy, workshops, case management, outreach and prevention, advocacy, consultations, and training programs.

LET'S TALK

<u>Let's Talk</u> is an informal, brief consultation for those who may not really be interested in continued services but have something they want to talk to a counselor about. Let's Talk sessions are also for those who are unsure about counseling and just want to try it out.

RESOURCES FOR DIVERSITY, EQUITY, AND INCLUSION

CAPS provides mental health resources which are sensitive to diversity needs including but not limited to age, race, ethnicity, physical and mental ability, religion, sexual and gender identities, socioeconomic status, nationality, body shape/size, and values.

RELAXATION ROOM

The <u>Relaxation Room</u> offers a safe and relaxing space for University of Arkansas students to quiet their mind, reduce stress, and restore themselves. Located on the second floor of the health center.

TOGETHERALL

Graduate students have free access to <u>TogetherAll</u> — an anonymous social media-style mental health app that gives students a safe place to connect with others experiencing similar feelings, as well as access to useful self-help resources, peer groups, self-assessments and more.

HEALTH AND WELLBEING

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3. ON AND OFF CAMPUS MENTAL HEALTH RESOURCES

DEPARMENT OF PSYCHOLOGICAL SCIENCE CLINIC

The Psychological Science clinic offers <u>counseling services for students</u> at an affordable price.

ONLINE COMMUNITY COUNSELING CLINIC

The Counselor Education program is offering free virtual counseling services, provided by their counselors-in-training. This is a great option for students who cannot afford CAPS services or other forms of mental health counseling. Contact uarkcned@uark.edu for more information on the Community Counseling Clinic.

ARKANSAS CRISIS CENTER

The <u>Arkansas Crisis Center</u> is a helpline dedicated to helping people in Arkansas in any type of crisis.

CRISIS TEXT LINE

<u>Crisis Text Line</u> provides free, 24/7, high-quality text-based mental health support and crisis intervention by empowering a community of trained volunteers to support people in their moments of need.

Text "START" to 741-741

THE TREVOR PROJECT

<u>The Trevor Project</u> is the world's largest suicide prevention and crisis intervention organization for lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, queer, and questioning (LGBTQ+) young people.

(866) 488-7386

HEALTH AND WELLBEING

3. ON AND OFF CAMPUS MENTAL HEALTH RESOURCES

SUICIDE PREVENTION LIFELINE

The <u>National Suicide Prevention Lifeline</u> is a national network of local crisis centers that provides free and confidential emotional support to people in suicidal crisis or emotional distress 24 hours a day, 7 days a week.

(800) 273-TALK

SANVELLO

<u>Sanvello</u> offers self-care, peer support, coaching, and therapy. Self-care memberships starting at \$8.99/month. Sanvello accepts health insurance.

CALM

<u>Calm</u> offers meditation, music, sleep, body, masterclass, and scenes to help you relax. A free trial is available; the annual subscription fee is \$59.99

HEADSPACE

<u>Headspace</u> offers guided meditations for everything from helping you with your stress to helping you sleep. A free trial is available; monthly subscription fees range from \$7.99 - \$12.99.

BUDDHIFY APP

<u>Buddhify</u> is a guided meditation app categorized by what you are doing in the present moment. The sessions last from 4 to 30 minutes. App purchase is \$4.99; this app has a \$30 annual fee.

INSIGHT TIMER

<u>Insight Timer</u> is a guided meditation app that features daily-check ins, mobile workshops, soundtracks, and personalized meditation timers. This content is accessible for free, but this app also features a premium version.

HEALTH AND WELLBEING

4. WELLNESS RESOURCES

WELLNESS CENTER

The <u>Wellness Center</u> provides positive health and wellness programs for the campus community. The Wellness Center includes classroom and meeting space and hosts events such as public health info, blood drives, and community yoga groups.

WELLNESS COACHING

Free <u>wellness coaching</u> is offered by certified wellness coaches at the Wellness Center. Wellness coaching is offered through Zoom or in-person and can be conducted individually or as a group. <u>Fill out a request form to get started with wellness coaching</u>.

UNIVERSITY RECREATIONAL FACILITY (HPER)

The <u>HPER</u> boasts facilities such as fitness facilities, an aquatic center, and a sports complex.

WALMART PHARMACY

Visit your local <u>Walmart pharmacy</u> for your healthcare needs including prescription drugs, refills, flu-shots & immunizations, eye care, walk-in clinics, and pet meds.

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HEALTH AND WELLBEING

5. INCLUSIVE HEALTHCARE

VECTOR HEALTH AND WELLNESS

<u>VECTOR Health and Wellness</u> offers primary care, reproductive care, and an emphasis on competent, sensitive, and individualized LGBTQ+ healthcare.

TRANS RESOURCES

- The Transgender Equality Network provides a list of transgender resources
 and rates them as trans-friendly, trans-competent, or trans-ally (the highest
 rating) according to their competency, experience, and dedication to trans
 individuals. Included are primary health resources, mental health, cosmetic,
 and organizational resources.
- NWA Equality provides a list of LGBTQ+ and transgender resources in the NWA area, along with contact information and a brief description of each resource. Resources are included for transitioning, support, and primary care.

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CAMPUS SAFETY

Protecting our campus is vital to building our campus community. Learn about the resources available to keep our campus safe for everyone.

For emergencies, call 911. For non-emergencies: 479-575-2222 (call or text)

SAFERIDE



479-575-SAFE (7233)

<u>Safe Ride</u> provides students with a safe means of transportation from any uncomfortable or inconvenient situation. During operating hours, Safe Ride can pick you up at any location within the Fayetteville city limits and take you to your residence as indicated on UAConnect.

CONTACTING CAMPUS POLICE



Visit the <u>Campus Police</u> at their department located across from Bud Walton Arena in the Administrative Services Building, the same building as Transit and Parking and University IT Services. Our Communications Center is open 24 hours a day. Police officers offer <u>many services</u>, including friendly visits to campus from our canine officers.

SAFEZONE APP



Share your position with UAPD for your personal safety. <u>SafeZone</u> connects you directly to the University of Arkansas Police Department (UAPD) when there is an emergency on campus, 24 hours a day, seven days a week.

CAMPUS SAFETY

2. SAFETY REPORTING

REPORTING SEXUAL ASSAULT

To <u>report sexual assault</u>, one can contact U of A STAR Central office of Sexual Assault and Relationship Violence at (479) 575-7252. One can also contact the TITLE IX Office at (479) 575-7111. All contacts and survivor services are confidential.

REPORTING ANY SEXUAL ASSAULT, GENDER DISCRIMINATION, OR STALKING

To <u>report any sexual assault, gender discrimination, or stalking</u>, the report is forwarded to TITLE IX which will investigate the violations. Please call (479) 575-7252. If needed you can also follow the link to report.

REPORTING DISCRIMINATION OR DISCRIMINATORY HARASSMENT

<u>Report discrimination or discriminatory harassment here</u>. This report is forwarded to Office of Equal Opportunity (OEOC) and Compliance to investigate.

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CAMPUS SERVICES AND ORGANIZATIONS

Find career development help, jobs on campus, or volunteer opportunities (on and off campus). Get involved with a graduate student organization. The university has many opportunities for those wanting to get involved or prepare for employment.

1.GRADUATE STUDENT COMMUNITY

GRADUATE STUDENT PROFESSIONAL CONGRESS (GPSC)

The <u>Graduate-Professional Student Congress</u> exists to serve all graduate and professional students at the University of Arkansas by improving their lives, career, and research.

Contact GPSC: gpscpres@uark.edu or gpscvice@uark.edu

LIST OF REGISTERED STUDENT ORGANIZATIONS (RSO'S) FOR GRADUATE STUDENTS

Check out the full list of registered student organizations.

MULTICULTURAL CENTER

The <u>Multicultural Center</u> serves the U of A by creating education on the importance of leadership and diversity to enhance the University of Arkansas experience for all students. Become a <u>Safe Zone Ally</u> on our campus.

LAVENDER SOCIETY

The <u>Lavender Society</u> represents the interests of LGBTQ+ students on campus. <u>Contact the Lavender Society to learn more</u>.

BLACK GRADUATE STUDENT ASSOCIATION (BGSA)

The <u>Black Graduate Student Association</u> represents the interests of black graduate students on campus. <u>Contact BGSA to learn more</u>.

CAMPUS SERVICES AND ORGANIZATIONS

GRADUATE STUDENT COMMUNITY

LATINX GRADUATE STUDENT ORGANIZATION (LGSO)

The <u>Latinx Graduate Student Organization</u> represents the interests of Latinx graduate students on campus. <u>Contact LGSO to learn more</u>.

2. PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT, VOLUNTEERING, AND EMPLOYMENT

OFFICE OF ENTREPRENEURSHIP AND INNOVATION

The <u>Office of Entrepreneurship & Innovation</u> is a community for all disciplines where you can design events, find and use innovation spaces, and get information about innovation and entrepreneurship from a single source to create something you are passionate about.

CAREER DEVELOPMENT CENTER

The <u>Career Development Center</u> provides many services including career counseling, resume and cover letter reviews, mock job and medical interviews, job search assistance, career fairs, company information sessions, career assessments, and more.

NATIONAL CENTER FOR FACULTY DEVELOPMENT AND DIVERSITY

The <u>National Center for Faculty Development & Diversity (NCFDD)</u> is a nationally recognized, independent organization that provides online career development and mentoring resources for faculty, post-docs, and graduate students.

UARK EMPLOYMENT

Check out the <u>UARK Employment page</u> to find opportunities for on-campus jobs and GA positions.

CAMPUS SERVICES AND ORGANIZATIONS

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT, VOLUNTEERING, AND EMPLOYMENT

VOLUNTEER ACTION CENTER (VAC)

The <u>Volunteer Action Center (VAC)</u> is a student-led organization that connects University of Arkansas students to volunteering opportunities in the Northwest Arkansas Area.

THE PHOTOGRAPHIC SERVICES UNIT

The <u>Photographic Services Unit</u> provides headshots, photographic expertise for web, magazines, brochures, fundraising literature, and other printed material as needed. Contact their email or call to make an appointment.

CHILDCARE

In this section find resources to help you find local schools and childcare.

1. CHILDCARE

JEAN TYSON CHILD DEVELOPMENT STUDY CENTER

The <u>Jean Tyson Child Development Study Center</u> offers on-campus child care with an <u>Infant and Toddler Program</u> and <u>Preschool Program</u> options.

ADHE CHILDCARE FINDER

Search for childcare options in your area with the ADHE Childcare Finder.

2. SCHOOLS

Use the contact information below to contact any of the following school districts:

- Fayetteville School District
- Farmington School District
 - Bob Folsom Elementary School
 - o Jerry Pop Williams Elementary School
 - o Farmington Middle School
 - o Farmington Jr. High School
 - o Farmington High School
- Springdale School District
- Prairie Grove School District
- Elkins School District

GRADUATE STUDENT GUIDE

FUN OUTINGS IN NWA

Looking for cheap or free ways to find interesting outings for you or your family? Check out museums and outdoor outings in the Northwest Arkansas area.

1. MUSUEMS

CRYSTAL BRIDGES MUSEUM OF AMERICAN ART

<u>Crystal Bridges</u> offers a variety of art and outing options focusing on American art. This museum offers free general admission and but seasonal exhibits may require tickets. This outing is wheelchair accessible.

600 Museum Way, Bentonville, AR 72712

THE MOMENTARY

<u>The Momentary</u>, a satellite to Crystal Bridges Museum of American Art, is a contemporary art space in downtown Bentonville for visual, performing, and culinary arts. Space is limited. Some exhibits are free, but others may require tickets. All interiors are wheelchair accessible.

507 SE E. St., Bentonville, AR 72712, (479) 418-5700

MUSEUM OF NATIVE AMERICAN HISTORY

The <u>Museum of Native American History's</u> mission is to educate future generations about the lives of the First Americans. The museum provides a cultural hub to amplify the voices of their legacy. Admission is free. MONAH is a handicap accessible facility. 202 SWO St. Bentonville, AR 72712

WALMART MUSUEM

The <u>Walmart Museum</u> is in the original 5&10 that Sam Walton opened in 1950 on Bentonville's town square. Admission is free. This outing is wheelchair accessible. 105 N. Main St., Bentonville, AR 72712

FUN OUTINGS

MUSUEMS

SHILOH MUSEUM OF OZARK HISTORY

The <u>Shiloh Museum of Ozark History</u> is a regional history museum focusing on the Northwest Arkansas Ozarks. The museum takes its name from the pioneer community of Shiloh, which became Springdale in the 1870s. Free admission is available. Shiloh Museum is wheelchair accessible.

118 W. Johnson Ave, Springdale, AR 72764

SCOTT FAMILY AMAZEUM

The <u>Amazeum</u> is a children's museum focused on interactive, educational exhibits.

Admission is \$10/person; Kids 2 and under are free. Members also have free admission. The Amazeum is accessible to those with assistive technologies. 1009 Museum Way, Bentonville, AR 72712

2. OUTDOOR ATTRACTIONS

RAZORBACK GREENWAY

The <u>Northwest Arkansas Razorback Regional Greenway</u> is a 37.6 miles primarily off-road shared-use (bicycles and pedestrians) trail in Northwest Arkansas.

LAKE FAYETTEVILLE

<u>Lake Fayetteville</u> offers an area for fishing, hiking, and more.

1130 E. Lake Fayetteville Road, Fayetteville, AR.

DEVIL'S DEN STATE PARK

<u>Devil's Den</u> is a classic NWA destination. Great for hiking and outdoor activities. 11333 West Arkansas Hwy. 74 West Fork, AR 72774.

FUN OUTINGS

OUTDOOR ATTRACTIONS

BUFFALO OUTDOOR CENTER

Jumpstart your trip planning with <u>Buffalo Outdoor Center's quick guide</u> to all things floating, hiking, tent camping, zipline and mountain biking. Get info on cabin rentals, group lodges and RV park sites, too. Located an hour and 20-minutes east of Fayetteville, the center is your one-stop shop for exploring all that the Buffalo River has to offer.

STEELE CREEK CAMPGROUND

<u>Steel Creek Campground</u> is about 3 miles east of Ponca, Arkansas, off Highway 74. The tent campground has 26 campsites, and the horse campground has 14 sites. All sites are \$20 per site, per night. Each site has a picnic table, fire ring, and lantern hook provided.

Located in Jasper, Arkansas about 1 hour and 30-minutes east of Fayetteville.

37 NORTH EXPEDITIONS

37 North provides a wide variety of outdoor activities that enhance each individual's quality of life while also connecting these individuals to other likeminded outdoor enthusiasts and educating the community of the importance of outdoor conservation. They offer adventures in Springfield, MO; Bentonville, AR; Fayetteville, AR; and private trips. Cost varies depending on the trip. (417) 827-4582

FUN OUTINGS

3. MUSIC ATTRACTIONS

GEORGE'S MAJESTIC LOUNGE

<u>George's Majestic Lounge</u> is the oldest and longest-running music venue in Fayetteville. Located on Dickson St., George's brings an intimate feel to both local and touring artists and is regarded as a local favorite for live music.

PRAIRIE ST. LIVE

<u>Prairie St. Live</u> is an open-air small venue that hosts concerts and events-and they are pet friendly!

JJ'S LIVE

<u>JJ's Live</u> in North Fayetteville, originally known as JBGB, is a mid-size venue that hosts touring artists and live events.

WALMART ARKANSAS MUSIC PAVILION (THE AMP)

The <u>Walmart Arkansas Music Pavilion</u>, located in Rogers, AR. offers the opportunity to watch big music artists with standing, stadium seating, and lawn seating options.