# Academic Resources @ St. George's

### 1. Consult your teacher!

Raise your hand in class – if you are a little confused, others are as well; they will thank you.

### 2. Conference Period!

This is a time—Wednesdays at 9:45am—when you know that your teacher is available to meet one-on-one.

### 3. Meet with your teacher outside of class!

The Academic Office sometimes asks that students arrange a regular weekly meeting with a teacher. Meeting times can be on Thursday or Friday lunch, a common free period, or before Study Hall.

## 4. Academic Coaching!

The Horton Center for Learning provides one-on-one help in keeping a planner, preparing for assessments, and staying organized. Mr. Lang, Instructional Service Director, and Mrs. Mason meet with individual students weekly or semi- weekly. This service is free of charge.

5. <u>Writing Center!</u> Ms. Mongollon is the new director of the Writing Center. You can request an online meeting time with a teacher to talk about your writing. Use this shortcut to make an appointment:

<a href="http://sg.instructure.com/courses/1354">http://sg.instructure.com/courses/1354</a>. Once the appointment is made, a teacher is waiting for you (and this becomes a required commitment unless you cancel it.)

### 6. Academic Labs!

Labs for nearly all academic subjects are offered through the Merck Horton Center. Mr. Joe Lang or Mrs. Sarah Mason publishes on email a list of all the lab times and locations. Please check your email to find a specific subject lab location and time that works for you.

### 7. Peer Tutors!

If you have tried all of these, and you still need help, you are not alone! Many students every year at all levels request and are matched with a peer tutor in a particular subject area. Just check with Mr. Lang in the Horton Center (joe\_lang@stgeorges.edu), and he can let you know about Peer Tutor options.

#### 8. Outside tutors?

In general, St. George's discourages use of outside tutors (for everything). Once all other resources are exhausted, however, families who hire an outside tutor are asked to coordinate with the Academic Office and direct tutors to the library for sessions. Meetings must take place in the library at regular hours (and before Study Hall). Tutors must provide identification and a recent criminal background check by local police, and thereafter sign in at every visit.

Note: Access to all except item 8 incur no additional fees

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