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Act 101 is a state-funded program sponsored by the Higher Education Equal Opportunity Program of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania. Participants must be Pennsylvania residents and must meet certain eligibility requirements.

Program services include counseling and tutoring throughout the students' four years to assist with academic and personal issues. Act 101 offers a textbook lending library, career counseling, cultural enrichment activities, and a summer orientation program for incoming freshmen, all specifically designed to enhance the college experience. Act 101 seeks to promote a positive sense of self, as students develop personally, educationally, and professionally.

Choices

Barbara Murphy Grimes

Please refer to page 7 for information on the Choices Program at Delaware Valley College.

Counseling Services

Sharon Donnelly, Counseling Coordinator

Traci Kaye, Counselor

The Counseling Center, located in Segal Hall, supports students with defining and accomplishing personal and academic goals. Professional Counselors provide individual and group counseling services to students throughout their college experience. Counselors assist students in resolving a broad range of issues including balancing work obligations, family and school, stress management, substance abuse and other personal concerns. When necessary, the Counseling Center also arranges outside referrals to community providers.

Learning Center

James Yard, Tutorial Coordinator

The Learning Center is an important campus resource that provides free individual and group tutoring in a wide variety of academic disciplines. While tutoring is available in many upper division courses, the Learning Center's primary focus is on freshman and sophomore level core classes. Tutoring is available on a walk-in basis or by appointment, and students may also use the center to improve their study skills. Individual appointments and group workshops are available throughout the semester on topics such as note taking, text reading, exam preparation, and time management.

Learning Support Services

Sharon Malka, Learning Support Specialist

Learning Support Services is a resource for students with disabilities located within Student Support Services at Delaware Valley College. Its goal is to assure reasonable accommodations and equal access to the college's educational programs and activities for students with disabilities. The office offers a variety of academic support services directed at student achievement and adjustment in college. In addition, Learning Support Services serves as a liaison within the college community, an information center, and a referral source on disability related issues.

Students requesting academic adjustments or accommodations should contact Learning Support Services as early as possible following acceptance to the College. At that time, they are asked to provide documentation of their specific disability. Throughout their time at the College, students interact with the Learning Support Specialist to implement arrangements that meet their specific learning needs.

Learning Support Services strives to provide superior levels of assistance to students with disabilities. When a student requests and provides information in a timely manner, personalized accommodations can be implemented effectively.

