

# *ACADEMIC SUPPORT*

## *The Riverhawk Way*



**NORTHEASTERN**  
**STATE UNIVERSITY**  
*Advising Center*

# ***TUTORING MYTHS***

***Visiting a tutor means you aren't smart enough for college.***

***You only need to visit a tutor if you are failing a class.***

***Tutors will do your work for you.***

***Tutors are teaching assistants.***

# ***WHAT SUCCESSFUL STUDENTS KNOW***

***The Center for Community College Student Engagement reports:***

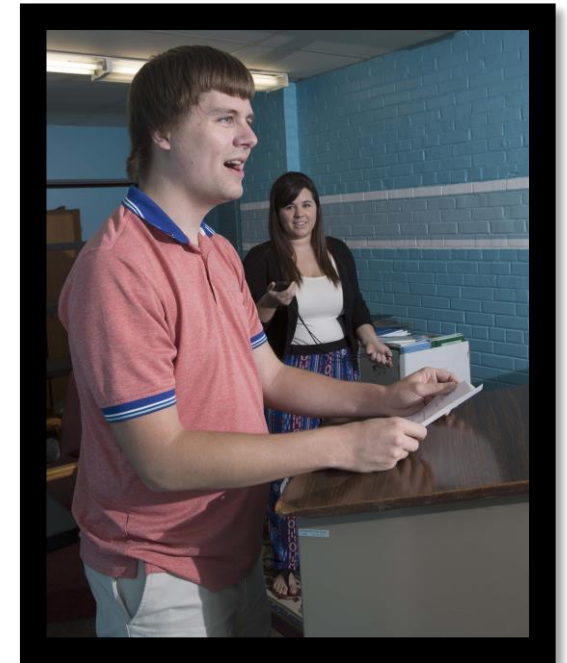
- ✓ ***Tutoring is associated with higher GPAs and grades***
- ✓ ***Increased likelihood of completing your courses the first time***
- ✓ ***Increased likelihood of completing your degree program on-time***



# ***BENEFITS OF TUTORING***



**BOOSTS CONFIDENCE**



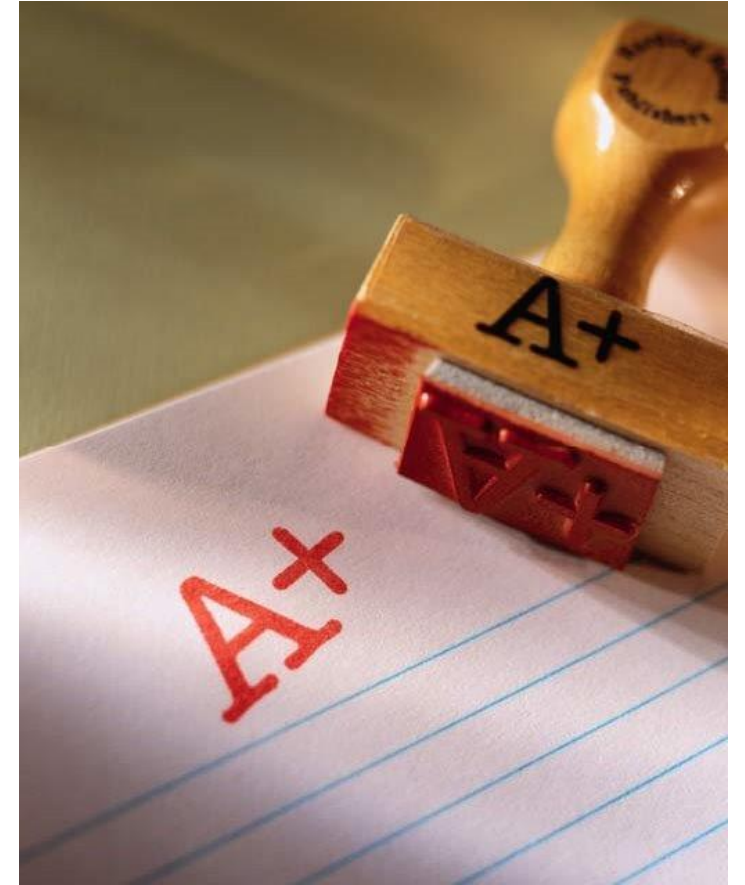
**INTENSIVE PRACTICE**

**INDIVIDUALIZED, STRUCTURED LEARNING**

# ***STUDENTS WHO WOULD'VE BENEFITED FROM TUTORING***

## ***Actual questions and answers from British exams***

- **Q. Give an example of a fungus. What is a characteristic feature?**  
A. Mushrooms. They grow in damp places and so they look like umbrellas.
- **Q. How can you delay milk turning sour?**  
A. Keep it in the cow.
- **Q. What is the fibula?**  
A. A small lie.



# ***TIPS FOR EFFECTIVE TUTORING SESSIONS***

- 1. Make an appointment.***
- 2. Arrive on-time.***
- 3. Bring everything you need: textbook, assignment instructions, drafts of your work, etc.***
- 4. Be specific as to why you are there.***



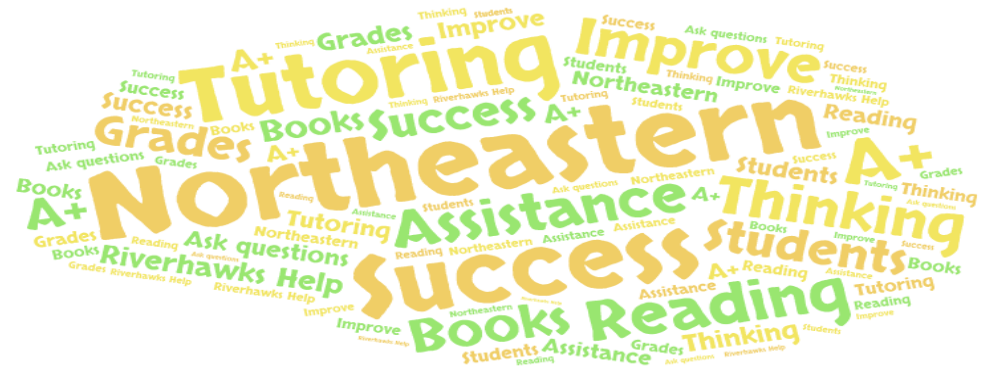
“Well, here we go again. ... Did anyone here *not* eat his or her homework on the way to school?”

# WHERE CAN YOU FIND FREE TUTORING?

<http://www.nsuok.edu>

Go to the NSU Homepage and type "tutoring" in the search bar

Ask at the University Advising Center:  
918-444-3238



# ***ADDITIONAL RESOURCES***

***Additional strategies for success that we strongly encourage include:***

***Find a study partner in your class - two heads are better than one.***

***Ask your faculty for specific course recommendations.***

***Put together a study group of three or four classmates - teamwork can often give you several strategies to conquering the same problem.***



tutor.com

**FREE ONLINE  
TUTORING**

## ***24/7 Online Tutoring***

***Covers a variety of courses when NSU face-to-face tutoring may not work for you (late, late night, subject not available)***

***Expert tutors, you work with one-on-one, in over 35 subjects***

***Accessed through the Tool menu in every course in Blackboard***

***[https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=yjvx9rlr\\_tQ&feature=youtu.be](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=yjvx9rlr_tQ&feature=youtu.be)***