MAT Drop-in Tutoring Fall 2017

Drop-in tutoring is available:

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday
	4:30-5:30 p.m. Sverdrup 201 Hannah B.	4:30-5:30 p.m. Sverdrup 201 Sydney B.	4:30-5:30 p.m. Sverdrup 201 Hannah B.	4:30-5:30 p.m. Sverdrup 201 Jocelyn S.
7:00-9:00 p.m.* Sverdrup 102 Sydney B.		7:00-9:00 p.m.* Sverdrup 102 Adam S.		7:00-9:00 p.m.* Sverdrup 102 Stewart H.

What is "drop-in" tutoring? Do I need an appointment?

Tutors are available to help you, and any other students in MAT courses, during these scheduled times. No appointment is needed -- just stop by. You can arrive at any time, although at least 15 minutes before the end time is recommended. You don't have to stay the full time. This drop-in tutoring is only for MAT courses. If you need assistance in another course, please contact the Academic Skills Office in the Gage Center.

What sort of help can I get during drop-in tutoring? And when should I go see my professor during office hours instead?

Drop-in tutoring is designed to help you learn the course material. The tutors won't do homework problems for you, but they can definitely help you figure out how to do homework problems, or help you understand your textbook. Here are examples of some great questions to ask a tutor:

"Here is my work on a homework problem. I am not getting the correct answer. What am I missing? Can you help me fix my solution?"

or

"I'm trying to read this example in the book, but I can't figure out where they get this line. Can you help me figure out where that comes from?"

It is helpful if you bring your class notes, your textbook/workbook/ebook, and your work on problems to tutoring sessions.

For questions about your grades, accommodations, or help on a specific course assignment (projects, labs, papers, presentations, etc.), you should visit your professor during office hours. Your professor's office hours are also a good place to get help figuring out how to improve your studying for the course or for help if you're totally confused about a topic.