
LTU SCHOLARS STUDY TABLES PROGRAM

Rationale

The Study Tables program supports the academic progress of LTU Scholars by providing a structured study environment. Scholars are required to participate in the program the number of hours per week indicated by the LTU Scholars Program. During that time, Scholars will complete assigned homework, readings, and projects.

Organization (Structure)

The study tables will be located in the Academic Achievement Center (AAC) and the Library on weekends. An AAC staff member will sign participants in and out with their student IDs and monitor the study tables.

Participants are expected to use this time to study. Participants will be warned once if observed playing video games, watching videos, visiting social media sites, texting, etc. Participants will be signed out if they are, again, not studying. Students will also be signed out if they leave for more than 15 minutes.

The AAC will have tutors available to help with the understanding of course content on weekdays.

LTU Scholars professional staff will receive automated reports of the hours studied by participants. Hours are calculated from Monday to Sunday. These hours may determine participants' eligibility for any incentives being offered by the program.

Study Table Conduct Policies

- Sleeping or sitting idle are not allowed.
- Participants must bring textbooks and academic materials to Study Tables.
- Computers are to be used only for homework; visits to social media sites such as Facebook are not allowed.

- No outside guests will be permitted.
- Cell phone use, PDA use, or texting are not allowed.
- Study Tables need to remain quiet to allow everyone to complete their assigned homework, unless participants are studying together in a designated group study space.
- Listening to music will be allowed as long as headphones are used and the volume is low enough that it does not disrupt others.
- Participants MUST to respect each other at all times.

Disciplinary Actions

Participants who fail to respect the AAC staff and/or other students in the AAC may not be allowed to participate in the program.

The LTU Scholars' professional team will determine consequences for participants that do not meet the required study table time or do not follow the Study Table Conduct Policies.