



ST. BERNARD'S

SCHOOL OF THEOLOGY AND MINISTRY

Academic Writing Support Services

St. Bernard's School of Theology and Ministry offers students tutorial meetings and consultancy services with Academic Writing Consultants. Consultants offer students assistance and support in writing method, style, grammar, and citation for students looking to improve and fine-tune their writing and research skills and strategies.

Academic writing is a process that requires active participation and an individual's desire for continual improvement. Academic Writing Consultants are trained professionals ready and willing to assist students through this process. They can assist students at any skill level and at any stage of the writing process – for example, they provide assistance with refining a thesis statement, reviewing the rough draft of a paper, researching a particular topic, offering tutorials in style formatting, etc. Academic Writing Consultants will never complete assignments on behalf of the student.

Academic Writing Consultants are available for appointments of up to 60 minutes, which can be scheduled using the link below. Each student is limited to one appointment per week. Once an appointment is scheduled, your Consultant will reach out via email to you to confirm. At least 24 hours before your appointment, you must email a draft of your paper or any other materials to your Consultant for review.



Deacon Gary Andelora, MSE, MAT

Deacon Andelora received his Master of Arts in Theology from Christ the King Seminary. He spent many years working in Campus Ministry at Canisius College and as a Writing Tutor at Christ the King Seminary before taking up this position at St. Bernard's.



Mary Keniry, MA, JD, LMSW

Mary Keniry has a background in both education and social work, with Masters degrees from Columbia University Teachers College and SUNY Albany School of Social Welfare. She currently works for Catholic Charities Senior & Caregiver Support Services in Schenectady as an advocate for residents of long-term care. She has tutored diverse learners in reading comprehension and writing.

A Zoom writing consultant with Deacon

Gary can be made by clicking here:

calendly.com/gary-andelora/writing-lab-appointments

A Zoom writing consultant with Mary can be made by clicking here:

<https://calendly.com/mary-keniry>