



Become a PAL Leader



What is PAL?

The PAL (Peer-Assisted Learning) program is a modified supplemental instruction support program for first-year, historically difficult, or mandatory "gatekeeper" courses at Sheridan. The PAL Program consists of weekly, informal review sessions facilitated by a PAL Leader. During study sessions, a PAL Leader reviews notes, discusses readings, helps students develop study skills and prepare for tests and assignments. PAL sessions are interactive and provide students with an opportunity to ask questions and check their understanding of course material previously taught in class.

Job Description & Typical Schedule

- PAL Leaders have previously completed the course they hope to support and have earned a grade of **76%** or higher in that specific course.
- PAL Leaders are paid **\$14.43/hour**.
- PAL Leaders are an expanded role of the *LW-PAL Leader* role for courses with high attrition rates--additional hours reviewing notes and hosting study sessions as well as working with faculty are included in this role.

Training

All PAL Leaders attend training before the beginning of the term provided by Learning Services, the Centre for Teaching and Learning and Accessible Learning.

Interested?

Contact your course's professor to express your interest in becoming a PAL Leader.