



STUDENT AFFAIRS OFFICE



ACADEMIC ADVISING

WHERE

Admin 109
(Academic Advising)
(Academic Support)



WHEN

8:00 am-5:00 pm



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WHAT

- Thorough advising of undergraduate students to remove Advising Holds
- Support students facing academic difficulties
- Referring students to appropriate campus resources
- Educating students on AUD academic policies

HOW

- Providing customized course plans
- Providing grade targets and Calculating CGPA, MGPA, & FGPA
- Assisting students in making effective decisions (Withdrawals, Change of Program, Change of Major and Choice of Minor)
- Academic Coaching

WHY

- Strengthening your sense of responsibility
- Completing your degree successfully and in timely manner
- Offer personalized help sessions on academic success strategies
- Refer academic resources



ACADEMIC SUPPORT

Academic Support maximizes your academic experience by offering a range of services including individualized academic coaching, facilitating access to peer tutors, and providing various workshops. It also promotes the use of help centers organized by the School of Arts and Sciences, specifically the Math Tutoring Center, the Writing Center, and the Public Speaking Tutoring Center.

Help Center locations:

Writing Center: C418

Public Speaking Center: Library

Math Tutoring Center: E-116








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Links and Schedules to the above help centers can be found on the Academic Support page: libguides.aud.edu/academicsupport/

GRADE SCALE

Grade	Points	PERCENT	
A	4.00	90 – 100	Excellent
A-	3.70	87 – 89	Very Good 
B+	3.30	84 – 86	Good
B	3.00	80 – 83	Good 
B-	2.70	77 – 79	Good
C+	2.30	74 – 76	Satisfactory 
C	2.00	70 – 73	Average
C-	1.70	67 – 69	Below Average
D+	1.30	64 – 66	Poor 
D	1.00	60 – 63	Poor
F	0.00	< 60	Failing 

C.G.P.A. = *Cumulative Grade Point Average*

$$\frac{\text{TOTAL (Points X Hour Credits)}}{\text{TOTAL Hour Credits}}$$

PERSONAL COUNSELING

We are here to help.

We provide a safe, confidential place for students to talk with the Personal Counselor about any concerns or problems that might interfere with their personal growth and academic achievement.



Who is a personal counselor?

The Personal Counselor is a trained professional committed to helping students identify, understand, and develop skills to increase their self-awareness and resolve their personal



What does the personal counselor do?

Offering individual one-to-one Counselling Services to help you:

- improve your well-being
- develop self-awareness
- overcome problems that are holding you back
- address mental health concerns (i.e. anxiety, depression)
- develop better relationships
- explore your academic and career directions
- increase your personal and academic resilience
- heal from traumatic experiences



STRESS



Who can benefit from seeing the personal counselor?

Making a transition to university life is not always easy nor is the same experience for every student. Students face a variety of challenges which may affect their personal growth, emotional well-being, and their ability to strive. Some of these challenges include, but are not limited to:

- Anxiety
- Depression
- Grief, trauma
- Adjustment and transition
- Lack of self-confidence
- Relationship and family difficulties
- Concentration problems

Any of these issues can prevent students from reaching their full potential. Students may find that their previous methods of handling problems are not working. Counseling help students learn new coping skills that help them handle their challenges in a better way.



What is confidentiality?

Confidentiality is the state of keeping everything private and confidential between the counselor and the student. Counseling is a confidential process where students are encouraged to speak freely and trust that their personal information will remain private. In the rare case that the counselor must speak with a student's family member or Dean of Student Affairs, the student will be notified.

Contact Health Center :+971 4 318 3200

STUDENT ACTIVITIES

Make your time at AUD count. Discover passions, set off on adventures and build lasting friendships with your peers from all over the world.

We encourage you to do so by actively engaging in the plethora of co-curricular activities and student groups that are on hand for you to have fun, as well as building skills such as team work, leadership and event planning.

If your special interest or hobby is not a club yet, ask the Student Affairs team about the steps and process to help you make your passion an official AUD club. Your community engagement beyond the classroom is also a great way of enhancing your resume.





Student Activities Division is committed to help you find **your passion**, grow as **a leader**, and make **new friends** while discovering mutual interests.

Departmental Clubs

Special Interest Clubs

Cultural Clubs

Beyond club membership, AUD offers extensive leadership opportunities, which are carefully designed for students to develop important skills in management, communication, public speaking, and public relations.

AUD Student Leadership Programs

- Student Government Association (SGA)
- Student Orientation Leaders (OLs)
- Peer Health Educators (PHEs)
- Study Abroad Mentors (SAMs)
- Resident Assistants (RAs)

To apply for these positions send an email to saffairs@aud.edu

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STUDENT HOUSING



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Please come to the Housing Manager
for the following:

- Housing reservations and cancellations
- Policies, rules, and procedures
- Personal problems
- Room/roommate changes
- Roommate issues
- Safety issues
- Curfew issues
- Deposit claims
- Suggestions and concerns
- Suggesting events only
- Housing forms and documents



MAKE YOUR
RESIDENCE HALLS
YOUR HOME



MAKE NEW FRIENDS
AND ENGAGE IN
OUR STUDENT
HOUSING EVENTS





CONTACT YOUR RESIDENT ASSISTANTS (RAs) OR VISIT THEIR ROOMS FOR

Roommate issues

Noise and disturbances

Hygiene concerns in rooms and in common areas

Maintenance requests

Programming and events



CONTACT YOUR FEMALE AND MALE CONTROLLERS FOR;

Room cleaning

Maintenance requests

Lost keys

Storage

Logistics of room/ roommate changes



Female Housing Controller

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Male Housing Controller

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ATHLETICS

AUD has some of the best sporting facilities in Dubai, which include



Students, who engage in sports work as part of a team, develop leadership skills and maximize their potential for success.

AUD Athletics accommodates all students at various fitness levels, ranging from beginners to advanced and more competitive athletes.



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A soccer field



An outdoor track



outdoor courts including tennis, volleyball and basketball



AUD knights indoor arena



AUD outdoor swimming pool



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AUD SPORTS TEAMS

Regular tournaments, games and friendly matches compliment the training and reward student-athletes who are encouraged to maintain a delicate balance between academic and athletic excellence.

Intramural Sports

These activities include bowling, volleyball, basketball, table tennis, soap soccer, beach volleyball, water games and tennis.

Drop-in Sports, Sport Clubs and Fitness Programs

Drop-in sports, clubs and fitness programs are designed for AUD students, alumni, faculty and staff who wish to enjoy social interactions in an athletic environment like Aqua gym, Zumba and Yoga.

USAGE OF AUD SPORT FACILITIES

Basketball and Volleyball

Basketball and Volleyball Indoor courts are limited to usage of AUD Athletes. Outdoor basketball/volleyball courts are available at all times to the AUD community. If the doors of the courts are locked, contact the Custodian at 043183558 and ask them to open the doors.

Soccer

The green field is limited to the usage of our soccer teams. Once a week the green field is open for AUD community members. Sports attire and appropriate shoes are required.

Swimming pool

The swimming pool is available for the use by the AUD community. Pool closes during team practices, competitions and events for use by the AUD Swimming Team.

Squash Courts

The squash courts are available for use by the AUD community. Doors of the courts are usually locked, call the custodian at 043183558 and ask them to open the doors. Sports attire and appropriate shoes are required. Bring your own equipment.
7:30 am to 7:30 pm

Gym in the student center

Located in C232, the gym is available for use by the AUD community. Follow and respect the rules. Sports attire and appropriate shoes are required.
7:30 am to 7:30 pm

Track

The AUD Track is available for the use by the AUD community.
The track is open 24hrs.



GET LIFE READY

Mission

The mission of the Office of Student Affairs is to support the university's mission by providing students diverse resources, facilities, events, and extracurricular programs that contribute to their academic, personal and professional development.



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