WHAT SUPPORTS DOES THE STUDENT SERVICES DEPARTMENT PROVIDE?

The Student Services Department provides a Student Coordinator/Counsellor who engages and builds relationships with students while assisting them to navigate the campus experience. Students' needs, interests and academic goals are considered and they are assisted in academic program planning and accessing services on campus and community services.

The services includes supports such as:

- ⊗ Elder on Campus Support
- ⊗ Personal Counselling
- ⊗ Academic Support
- ⊗ Career Services
- Referrals to longer term counselling, on campus and community
- ⊗ Assistance Accessing Financial Aid
- ⊗ Study Skills Information Sessions
- ⊗ Cultural Teachings and Ceremonies and other Cultural Activities

SCHOLARSHIPS, BURSARIES & AWARDS

- ⊗ First Nations Caring Society
- Indspire Bursaries, Scholarships and Awards for Post-Secondary Education
- Soceyln Starr Memorial Scholarship for Yellowquill MSHSD students
- ⊗ Manitoba Student AID
- ⊗ National Indian Brotherhood Trust
- RBC Aboriginal Student Awards
 Program
- Tribal Wi-Chi-Way-Win Capital Corporation (TWCC)
- Sellowquill University College Awards

Please check the Financial Aid, Scholarships, Bursaries and Awards Pamphlet available in the Student Centre.

For more information please see the Student Coordinator/Counsellor



STUDENT SERVICES DEPARTMENT

The Student Services Department provides a network of supports for students while they progress through their academic journey

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MISSION, VISION and VALUES

Mission Statement

Mandated and established in 1984 by the Dakota Ojibway Tribal Council, Yellowquill College embraces all learners and provides holistic education and training. The college encompasses a team of dedicated and supportive professionals guiding our learners to achieve excellence and success in education, employment, and economic development. (Became Yellowquill University College in February 2021)

Vision Statement

Yellowquill University College is a First Nations accredited educational institute of excellence, preparing and advocating for students to meet the needs of the 21st century and beyond while providing an appropriate environment that preserves and enhances culture and tradition.

Values Statement

WISDOM To cherish knowledge is to know wisdom

LOVE To know peace is to know love

HONESTY Be honest with yourself and others

HUMILITY Is to know yourself as a sacred part of creation

TRUTH Living the truth is living the Seven Teachings

RESPECT To honour all creation is to have respect

COURAGE It takes courage to do what is right

PERSONAL COUNSELLING SERVICES

We offer individual counselling sessions to assist students who may need extra support. The student counsellor will offer brief, solution-focused services to discuss your current needs and to establish a plan that includes the resources and services that will be the most helpful to you.

Students also have direct access to free qualified mental health support and counselling through our campus. Please drop by Student Services if you need assistance.

ACADEMIC SUPPORT

Academic support is provided to promote insight and understanding of programs, academic policy, and academic life at Yellowquill University College. Student Services works closely with instructors on campus to provide a continuum of support for all students. A variety of information sessions, workshops, and seminars will be offered throughout the academic year.

Please drop by Student Services if you need assistance.

CAREER SERVICES

We assist students in the development of resumes and cover letters to support employment success for our graduates. We will assist you with practice interviews if you are looking to be successful in a job or practicum placement that is based on your field of study.

ELDER ON CAMPUS SERVICES

The Elder provides students with personal, cultural, and spiritual guidance while sharing traditional knowledge in programs, classes, traditional activities, and ceremonies.

The Elder will offer traditional teachings and ceremonies throughout the academic school year, such as the use of ceremonial tobacco and pipe ceremonies.

Everyone at YQUC is invited to attend and participate in the ceremonies. If you are not familiar with cultural practices and protocols, please take a few minutes and visit the Elder who will provide you with information.

For more information, please contact the Elder.

TREATY 1 LAND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

Yellowquill University College acknowledges that it is situated on Long Plains First Nation -Treaty 1, traditional territory of the Anishinaabeg, Cree, Oji-Cree, Dakota, and Dene Peoples, and on the homeland of the