



## **ACADEMIC AFFAIRS DIVISION**

### ***YCCC Learning Center***

## **2018**

#### **Mission Statement**

The Learning Center (LC) at York County Community College offers student-centered learning assistance designed to teach, develop, and enhance the overall academic skills necessary for college and career achievement. The Learning Center is committed to offering a positive academic experience that fosters student success and growth.

#### **Learning Outcomes**

Aligned with the Institutional Learning Outcomes at YCCC, the LC has identified the skills and abilities students may develop by accessing services at the Learning Center. *(Approved by the Assessment Committee at YCCC, on January, 24, 2012.)*

1. Apply critical thinking skills to evaluate sources and develop effective arguments across the curriculum. (1,4,5)
2. Apply previously learned skills to acquire new skills and knowledge. (4)
3. Apply problem solving skills and critical analysis to solve quantitative and scientific problems (2,4)
4. Apply prewriting strategies to start the writing process – narrowing a topic, brainstorming, outlining and deciding on an effective rhetorical strategy. (1)
5. Demonstrate revision strategies to enhance written communication such as grammar, tone, structure, mechanics, punctuation and organization (2,4)
6. Verify and analyze answer by employing critical thinking skills and logical tests in mathematics and science.
7. Demonstrate college-level literacy skills for writing, reading, computers and mathematics (1,2,6)
8. Solve mathematical problems by applying mathematical thinking, previously learned math skills and quantitative analysis in math and related disciplines. (2,4)
9. Develop computer and technological skills to enhance academic performance. (4,6)
10. Develop test preparation and study strategies to improve performance in classes. (4,6)
11. Learn and utilize reading strategies for improved academic performance across the curriculum (4)
12. Develop academic skills in time manage, stress management and organization. (7)
13. Apply critical thinking skills to broaden and build awareness of global issues (3,4)
14. Express an academic or personal viewpoint that is respectful of diverse views and perspectives (1,3,4)