

CASE WESTERN RESERVE UNIVERSITY

GRADUATE STUDENT COUNCIL

2024-2025 Resource List

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Academic Resources

Dean of Students Office

The Dean of Students Office serves in an advocacy role for all Case Western Reserve University Students. We assist students, parents, faculty and staff with all matters related to student life and academic success, providing holistic support and resources to help students overcome challenges in their academic journey.

Phone: 216.368.1527 Email: deanofstudents@case.edu

Campus Location: 110 Adelbert Hall (map) Office Hours: Monday-Friday, 8:30 a.m. - 5 p.m.

University Resources

https://case.edu/studentlife/welcome-cwru/resources

The university provides many different options to support both undergraduate and graduate students as they navigate their time at CWRU. From health, counseling and wellness services to food and housing insecurity, there are a lot of opportunities to get the help you need.

Health and Counseling Services

https://case.edu/studentlife/healthcounseling/

Offers:

- Health Services
- Counseling Services
- TimelyCare
- Student Wellness

Support Resources

- Academic and Campus Resources
 - Offices on campus that provide resources to students
- Food Insecurity
 - Locations of on-campus food pantries and additional food resources

• Housing Insecurity

• On-campus housing resources and intake for shelters

• <u>Student Emergency Fund</u>

• The Student Emergency Fund was created by a generous gift from Candace and Vincent Gaudiani to assist Case Western Reserve University students who encounter an unforeseen financial emergency or event which would otherwise prevent them from continuing their education at Case Western Reserve.

• Student Mental Health Fund

• The Student Mental Health Fund is available to assist Case Western Reserve University students in obtaining necessary mental health care. While many students are open to receiving mental health care and seek out services, the financial costs of receiving appropriate levels of care remain a significant barrier for many students.

• Interreligious Council

• The IRC is here—offering a collaborative community where every student, staff, and faculty feels encouraged to explore their spirituality, faith traditions, and/or religious identity.

Reporting Systems

- <u>Community Concerns Reporting System</u>
 - The goal of the Community Concerns Reporting System (CCRS) is to help educate and promote an inclusive community by supporting students through a clear and streamlined process for

reporting incidents of perceived mistreatment, cultural/ethnic insensitivity, and bias. The CCRS allows CWRU community members who have witnessed or have experienced incidents of bias, prejudice or discrimination involving a student to submit a report to the Community Concerns Reporting Response Team. If you would like to report an incident that does not involve a student, please contact the Office of Equity.

• Office of Equity

- The Office for Equity is available to support anyone who is experiencing or has experienced sexual harassment or sexual violence, and anyone who is accused of or rumored to be responsible for engaging in that conduct. Obtaining support is a primary reason for contacting the Office for Equity to share information about your experience or someone else's. The Office for Equity wants to ensure that CWRU community members feel supported
- <u>Resources</u>
 - Confidential Support
- Filing a Report
 - To obtain immediate and other support as a person who is impacted by sexual harassment or sexual violence, or to share that another person requires that support, or to initiate an investigation of possible sexual harassment or sexual violence, members of the CWRU community should contact the Office for Equity by using the contact information below or by completing this form. Individuals can call, text, email, or walk-in to the Office for Equity to request a meeting with an Equity Specialist & Investigator. People seeking support can share details about their experience or choose not to do so - regardless, they are still entitled to assistance from the Office for Equity.

Basic Needs Resource Lists

https://case.edu/studentlife/dean/support-resources/basic-needs-resource-lists

The Dean of Students Office is committed to providing assistance and support to all CWRU students. The basic needs resource lists below will help to ensure that we all continue to advocate for and empower each other. Please note, CWRU does not determine eligibility requirements and does not endorse the off-campus and community resources compiled in these lists.

- Child Care & Parenting
- <u>Clothing & Laundry</u>
- Financial Stability
- Furniture & Household Items
- <u>Hygiene & Cleaning</u>
- Legal Assistance
- <u>Health Insurance</u>
- <u>Nutritious Food</u>
- Pets & Emotional Support Animals (ESA)
- Pregnancy & Parenting
- <u>Secure Housing</u>
- <u>SNAP</u>
- Tax Preparation & Filing Assistance
- <u>Transportation</u>
- <u>Utilities</u>

Utech Resources

https://case.edu/utech/resources/student-resources

Includes Information on:

- Services
 - Email & Google Apps
 - Student Information System (SIS)
 - Software Center
 - Canvas
 - Echo360
 - LinkedIn Learning (Online Training)
 - Human Capital Management (HCM)
 - eStore
 - FREE Computer service & support
 - Research Computing
- Training
 - Google Apps
 - Research Computing
 - Student Information System (SIS)
 - LinkedIn Learning (Online Training)
 - Human Capital Management (HCM)
- Resources
 - Connect to the CWRU Network via VPN
 - MyApps virtual desktop environment
 - IT Policies
 - Information Security
 - Resources for Research
 - Technology for University Closures
 - Graduating Students FAQ

International student resources

The Office of International Student Resources and Engagement (OISRE) has compiled transportation, housing, financial, medical, and other resources for international students pursuing their studies at Case Western Reserve University (CWRU).

https://case.edu/studentlife/internationalresources/resources

Informational Areas Include:

- Before Arrival
- Medical Resources
- Transportation
- Banking
- State Identification Cards
- Scams
- Family Resources
- Engagement

Financial Aid

Pursuing a graduate degree at Case Western Reserve University is an opportunity to advance your education, and your career.

There are **a number of options available** to you to finance your next degree, including departmental assistance and loans.

• <u>General</u>

• <u>https://case.edu/financialaid/graduate-students</u>

• Mandel School

 Julie Payner, Assistant Director of Financial Aid Jack, Joseph and Morton Mandel School of Applied Social Sciences, Email: <u>jrp198@case.edu</u>, Phone: 216.368.1108

• <u>School of Medicine</u>

 Christian Essman, Senior Director of Admissions & Financial Aid Office of Admissions School of Medicine, Email: <u>christian.essman@case.edu</u>, Phone: 216.368.3450

• <u>School of Dental Medicine</u>

• Barbara A. Sciulli, Registrar and Financial Aid Advisor, Email: <u>barbara.sciulli@case.edu</u>, Phone: 216.368.3256

• <u>School of Law</u>

 Shaneice James, Associate Director of Finance and Grant Management, Email: <u>shaneice.james@case.edu</u>

Health and Counseling Resources

University Health and Counseling Services

UHCS provides medical and mental health care for students of Case Western Reserve University. Our interdisciplinary team includes physicians, psychiatrists, psychologists, nurse practitioners, social workers, counselors, nurses, medical assistants and for our varsity athletics, athletic trainers. We value a collaborative, holistic approach to treating the mind and body.

https://case.edu/studentlife/healthcounseling/

Clinic Hours Monday-Friday 9:00am-4:30pm Closed from 12-1pm daily Location: Dental Research Building at 2124 Cornell Rd. (Corner of Cornell Rd and Circle Dr) Health Services, 1st floor Counseling Services, 2nd floor Students can make appointments at <u>myhealthconnect.case.edu</u>.

After Hours Assistance:

On-Campus Emergencies 216.368.3333

TalkNow (virtual mental health support) <u>TimelyCare</u>

Nurse on-call (after hours and on weekends) 216.368.2450

Counselor On-Call (after hours and on weekends) 216.368.5872

Wellness Vending Machines

Case Western Reserve and University Health and Counseling Services (UHCS) have placed new wellness vending machines in a variety of campus locations to promote the health of our campus community. The machines are intended to increase access to affordable health and wellness products, particularly items that may be needed discreetly, urgently, or after hours.

https://case.edu/studentlife/healthcounseling/student-wellness/wellness-vending-machines

Vending Machine Locations:

- Health Education Campus- 3rd floor
- Tinkham Veale University Center- 1st floor by Information desk
- Wade Commons- by vending area
- Fribley Commons- entrance to building
- Sears Library 3rd floor- by WePa machine

Map of Machines:

https://www.google.com/maps/d/u/0/viewer?ll=41.50332186676002%2C-81. 60453427246402&z=16&mid=1B-dJ6Iesflo3BRkdkKCpP_rO5p75Jp4

Student Discounts

Playhouse Square

- <u>https://case.edu/hr/benefits/welcome-playhouse-square-booth</u>
- Promo Code: CWRU

Fairfax Market

• 10% off with Student ID

Local Museums

- Get into them for free once per week with student ID
- Museum of Modern Art
- Cleveland Museum of Natural History
- Western Reserve Historical Society
- Cleveland Botanical Gardens
- Cleveland Museum of Art

Cleveland Orchestra

• <u>https://www.clevelandorchestra.com/attend/student-tickets/</u>

• Become a Student Advantage Member, and enjoy \$15 tickets to most Cleveland Orchestra concerts at Severance. Join us this fall and bring a friend!

Rocket Mortgage Field House

- <u>https://www.rocketmortgagefieldhouse.com/events/student-pass</u>
- Score tickets as low as \$10 with Cavs & Monsters Student Pass!

Discount Tickets

- <u>https://case.edu/access-services/discount-tickets</u>
- CWRU partners with a variety of vendors to provide access to entertainment. Access Services maintains the vendor link that supplies the discount entertainment tickets to various attractions for CWRU ID Cardholders. Many of the discount entertainment tickets can be found by visiting TicketsatWork.