

All About:

Supplemental

Instruction

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Why Go?

- Collaborative learning
 - You will always find a helping hand here! You can help others understand concepts and they can help you understand concepts.
- Better Grades
 - Review of material though attending is sure to help you improve your grades, especially with everyone working together toward this common goal!



Why Go?

- Informal Learning
 - Bring notes, textbooks, and questions! The session's direction is in your hands!
- Making New Friends
 - It's always better to struggle together! SI helps you build connections with classmates through team activities.



How To Find SI Leaders

SI Leaders are students who sit in on your class. They will have introduced themselves to your course section at the start of the semester and will often walk around during class time to offer help.

Note : If you are unsure who the SI Leader is for your course section, reach out to your Professor for that information.

Reminder:

Remember that SI Leaders are there to help you soar and become more comfortable with course material! It is always better to ask questions than silently struggle, so see the next pages to learn how to sign up for your first session, today!





Guide to Signing Up

for:

SI Sessions

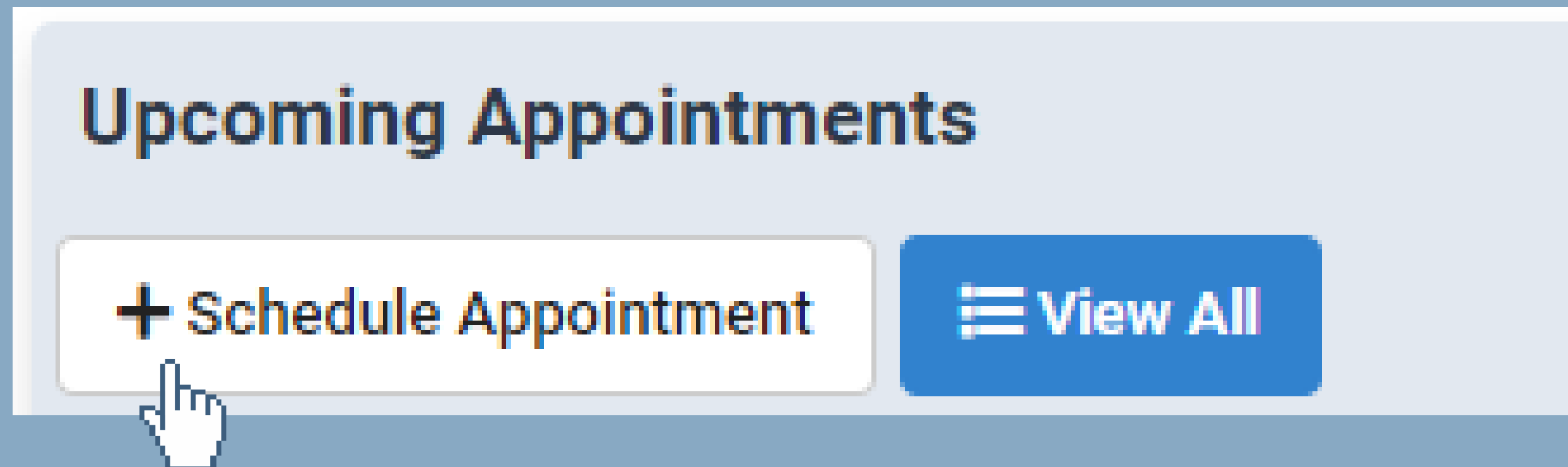
Navigate to site:



kean.tutoring.edu|

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Click on “Schedule Appointment” :



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Type your full name, then click
“Continue” :

New Appointment

Select Student



Continue >

FirstName LastName

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Scroll down, then click “Supplemental Instruction” :

 Supplemental Instruction 



OFFERS: ACCT 2200 (Room: Hynes Hall 400B) Chem 1083 (Room: Learning Commons 213 or 218)
Chem 2581 (Room: Learning Commons 213 or 218) Chem 2582 (Room: Learning Commons 213 or 218)
CPS 1231 (Room: Green Ln. Acad. Bldng 422) CPS 2231 (Green Ln. Acad. Bldng. 422)
CS 0412 (Room: Learning Commons 213 or 218) Math 1044 (Room: Learning Commons 213 or 218)
Math 1054 (Room: Learning Commons 213 or 218) Supplemental Instruction (Online)

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Find and select your course :

Select Service

↑ Type to search service...



Services in Supplemental Instruction

ACCT 2200 (Room: Hynes Hall 400B)



Chem 1083 (Room: Learning Commons 213 or 218)



Chem 2581 (Room: Learning Commons 213 or 218)



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Supplemental Instruction (Online)




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Click the drop-down menu to choose your SI Leader, then pick a day of the week and an available slot :

Available Slots


Specific Tutor


- Any available tutor - 

Days of Week [Select All](#) [Select None](#) [Select Mon-Fri](#)

☒ Sun ☒ Mon ☒ Tue ☒ Wed ☒ Thu ☒ Fri ☒ Sat 

Pick date and time

Duration: 30 minutes 

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Check the details of your appointment, then click confirm :

You're Almost Done!

Recurrence: [Setup Recurrence](#)

Notes:

[Attach](#)

Review Details:

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TUESDAY

FirstName LastName

12-12:30 PM

Supplemental Instruction

CPS 2231 (Green Ln. Acad. Bldng. 422)

Course Name

SI Leader Name

PREVIEW - NOT CONFIRMED YET

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Congrats! You've made an SI appointment!
Don't forget to come with questions and a
mind open to learning! Have Fun!



Glossary (sentence definition)

- **Supplemental Instruction (SI):** additional academic support provided by experienced students to foster positive learning outcomes.
- **SI Leader:** a student who has completed the course, pays attention to the lectures, notes, and professors, and helps others understand the subject and succeed academically.
- **Academic Success:** meeting educational objectives, mastering subject matter, and demonstrating personal growth in one's academic journey.
- **Peer-led:** activities that lead to cooperation and mutual learning, done by people in the same age group or educational level.
- **Informal Learning:** educational activities that take place outside of the usual classroom setting, reinforced by peer interaction and self-discovery.



Glossary (paranthetical definition)



- **Supplemental Instruction (SI):** additional academic support provided by a more experienced person (often a peer or tutor) to enable learning.
- **SI Leader:** a student who has previously done well in the course, and who provides academic support to peers in Supplemental Instruction sessions.
- **Academic Success:** achieving desired academic goals and outcomes in one's educational journey. For instance, one can obtain high grades, dominate a subject matter, and/or achieve personal growth in an educational setting.
- **Peer-led:** activities that are facilitated by individuals within the same educational level, encouraging collaboration, teamwork, and mutual learning among peers.
- **Informal Learning:** educational experiences that typically take place outside of traditional classroom settings. It often involves learning accompanied by personal interests, interactions with peers, and guided self-learning.

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