

# Resources

## University of Iowa Department of Communication Sciences and Disorders

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### **Wendell Johnson Speech and Hearing**

We are currently located in the Wendell Johnson Speech and Hearing Building  
**250 Hawkins Drive, Iowa City, IA, 52242**

**Fall 2025** we will relocate to a new building at the corner of Melrose and South Grand Avenue, across the street from Parking Ramp 4.

### **Little Wenjo Pantry**

Free food and other items available to all. Located in **SHC #109**, the supply room.

**For administrative services and assistance**, visit office #119

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- Course registration questions
- Thesis/Dissertation information submission
- Graduation confirmation

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- Room reservations
- Outplacement information
- Department travel funding
- Student offices
- General department questions

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- TA/RA financial questions
- Forms for International Students

**For Clinic assistance**, visit office #118

[Bobby Rodriguez](#) – Support Services Specialist

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## Graduate College

[gradcoll@uiowa.edu](mailto:gradcoll@uiowa.edu)

- To change your registration (add/drop/change hours) after the first week of classes, email the Department (Ana), your advisor, and the grad college for permission.

## Useful Websites

<b>ICON</b>	Enrolled Classes/Classes you are teaching	<a href="https://icon.uiowa.edu">https://icon.uiowa.edu</a>
<b>MAUI</b>	Attendance/Midterm Lists	<a href="https://www.maui.uiowa.edu/">https://www.maui.uiowa.edu/</a>
<b>MyUI</b>	Course Registration, UI Bill, Health Insurance	<a href="https://myui.uiowa.edu">https://myui.uiowa.edu</a>
<b>Self Service</b>	Direct Deposit, Pay Stubs, sign up for health insurance, complete required training, etc.	<a href="https://hris.uiowa.edu">https://hris.uiowa.edu</a>
<b>My Chart</b>	Health Care Appointments	<a href="https://mychart.uihealthcare.org/mychart/">https://mychart.uihealthcare.org/mychart/</a>
<b>InfoHawk</b>	Search for Books, Journal Articles, Interlibrary Loan	<a href="https://www.lib.uiowa.edu/find/infohawk/c">https://www.lib.uiowa.edu/find/infohawk/c</a>
<b>COGS</b>	Graduate Student Union	<a href="https://cogs.org/">https://cogs.org/</a>

<b>Parking</b>	Parking Passes	<a href="https://parking.uiowa.edu">https://parking.uiowa.edu</a>
<b>Office 365</b>	Microsoft Drive, Microsoft Office Suite, Sign in using University email/password	<a href="https://office365.uiowa.edu/">https://office365.uiowa.edu/</a> You can download the software onto your computer
<b>Handbook</b>	Information for grad school, deadlines, expectations, etc.	<a href="#">2023-24grad Student Handbook FINAL.pdf</a>
<b>Departmental Awards, Fellowships, Scholarships</b>		<a href="https://csd.uiowa.edu/graduate/funding">https://csd.uiowa.edu/graduate/funding</a>
<b>University Funding Opportunities</b>	GSS Travel Awards, GPSG Travel Awards and more	<a href="https://grad.uiowa.edu/funding">https://grad.uiowa.edu/funding</a>
<b>Graduate Student Resources</b>	Grad success Center	<a href="https://grad.uiowa.edu/grad-success">https://grad.uiowa.edu/grad-success</a>
<b>Relevant Conferences</b>	ISHA – Iowa Speech Language Hearing Association	<a href="https://www.isha.org/">https://www.isha.org/</a> the department pays for grad student registration and membership every year
	ASHA – American Speech-Language-Hearing Association	<a href="https://www.asha.org/">https://www.asha.org/</a>
	AAA, American Academy of Audiology	<a href="https://www.audiology.org/">https://www.audiology.org/</a>
<b>Typhon</b>	Platform for tracking clinical hours in grad program– you will receive login information prior to your start in the department	<a href="http://www.typhongroup.net">www.typhongroup.net</a> the department pays for student account

## Trainings

- University Requirements
  - FERPA Training
  - Not Anymore Sexual Assault ICON Training (Part 1 and Part 2)
  - First Amendment Training
- CSD Required trainings (see list from Graduate Program Coordinator)

## Recommended Apps

- [Transit](#) app (both Iowa City and Ulowa bus Schedule)
- Outlook

- Canvas
- Duo Mobile (2-Step Authentication)
  - \*\*you will need this app to log into your university accounts

## Student ID

- Go to one of the two office locations
  - UI Service Center
    - 2700 University Capitol Centre (Old Capitol Mall, 2nd Floor above CVS)
    - Hours - 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday – Friday
  - **UI Health Care Badge Center** \*closer to WenJo
    - UI Hospitals & Clinics - C110 General Hospital (Near Elevator B - Go East at the Compass)
    - Hours – 7:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday – Friday
- Individuals must present a valid (not expired), approved form of government issued photo ID to receive a student ID

## Professional Headshot

The Office of Strategic Communication (OSC) provides professional photography that supports our institutional communication goals. This can include imagery focused on noteworthy campus events and news, recruitment, advancement, and outreach.

- Fall studio hours (beginning August 26)
  - Tuesdays, 1-3 PM
  - Thursdays, 1-3 PM
- We offer walk-in portraits (professional headshots) for university faculty, staff, and students free of charge. No appointment is necessary. The studio is not large enough to accommodate group photos.
- The studio is on the third floor of Plaza Centre One on the Ped Mall in downtown Iowa City, room 369. Take the elevator up to the third floor to find room 369 in the NW corner of the hallway.
- The photo studio operates on a first-come, first-served basis. Images will be sent via email and stored in the OSC digital archives.
- The studio is staffed and operated by University of Iowa students. As their academic schedule takes precedence, the studio may close to accommodate their needs - even during the open hours listed above. We recommend that those with a time-sensitive need for portraits visit the studio well in advance.
- <https://osc.uiowa.edu/photography>

## Transportation

One important decision you'll have to make about living here in Iowa City is how you'll get to school every day. You have a few options:

- Parking:
  - You can purchase a parking permit (sign up at <https://parking.uiowa.edu/>),
  - Or you can pay as you go by using visitor parking.
    - pay an hourly fee to be in the parking lot: [\\$1.20/hour](#) (\$0.60 for the first hour) and you can park in any of the lots near our building
      - This works if you do not have a parking permit with the University, if so, you can only park in Ramp 3.
    - **Be warned**, hospital visitors, staff, and students have access to all these lots, and sometimes they fill up. This can lead to wait times to get into the parking lot.
- Bus:
  - [CAMBUS](#) - University busses. These are free and cover most of campus. You can track these routes on the Transit app (same for city buses)
  - The university offers a bus pass that works in both Coralville and Iowa City. The pass is currently free for Iowa City. To purchase a bus pass for Coralville, you can go through MyUI and follow these directions: <https://transportation.uiowa.edu/alternative-transportation/bus-pass-u-pass/student-u-pass-program>
  - Wendell Johnson is located near the Kinnick Stadium bus interchange stop which services most CAMBUS routes and Coralville routes
  - [Iowa City Route 10](#) has a stop right in front of our building
  - [Iowa City Route 8](#) has a stop at the corner of Melrose and Hawkins
- Walking/Riding a Bike: If you were lucky enough to find a place close enough, you can walk and/or ride a bike to school. It's free to do so, but you do need to register your bike through parking and transportation services (<https://parking.uiowa.edu/>). Please remember to always be aware of your surroundings and wear a helmet. There are bike lanes all over Iowa City, but cars can, and do, disrespect/disregard cyclists.

## Getting Healthcare in Iowa City

- Graduate health insurance is great. Use this page (<https://hr.uiowa.edu/benefits/health-insurance-graduate-students>) to sign up for the UIGradCare plan (SHIP is NOT RECOMMENDED). After signing up, your health insurance comes out of your paycheck every month. It's roughly \$35/month if you're paying for just yourself, and \$73/month if you're covering you and your spouse.
- Once you're signed up, use the online portal (<https://mychart.uihealthcare.org>) to request appointments, message your doctor, and see your test results. The vast majority of services are either 100% covered or 90% covered by our insurance. This includes preventative care, prescriptions, therapy, immunizations, etc.

## Therapy

If you find yourself struggling throughout your program, consider seeking mental health resources. It's strongly encouraged in our department to maintain your well-being. Here are some clinics and practices that our current students and faculty highly recommend:

- Turning Point in Iowa City (<http://turningpointiowacity.com/4401.html>): counseling, LGBTQ+-friendly, academic-friendly
  - 757 West Benton Street, Iowa City
  - 319-339-4757
- Hope Springs Behavioral: Psychology Services in Coralville and Iowa City: does both counseling and psychiatric work if medications are need
  - 1303 5<sup>th</sup> St #202, Coralville, IA 52241
  - 319-358-6520
- Meadowlark Psychiatric Services: both psychiatric and psychological services, highly recommended by fellow grads
  - 320 W Cherry St, North Liberty, IA 52317
    - 319-358-6520
    - 319-626-3300
  - New Downtown location! - 1 South Gilbert St, Iowa City, IA 52240

## Cultural Resources:

- Afro-American Cultural Center: <https://multicultural.uiowa.edu/culturalcenters/afrohouse/>
- Latino Native American Cultural Center: <https://multicultural.uiowa.edu/culturalcenters/lnacc/>
- Asian Pacific American Cultural Center: <https://multicultural.uiowa.edu/culturalcenters/apacc/>
- Pride Alliance Center: <https://multicultural.uiowa.edu/culturalcenters/pridehouse/>
- International Student Support & Engagement: <https://multicultural.uiowa.edu/culturalcenters/international-student-support-and-engagement/>

## Academic Support:

- Supplemental Instruction: <https://tutor.uiowa.edu/find-help/supplemental-instruction/>
- Writing Center: <https://writingcenter.uiowa.edu/#services>
- Speaking Center: <https://speakingcenter.uiowa.edu/>
- Math Tutorial Lab: <https://math.uiowa.edu/math-tutorial-lab>
- Center for Language and Culture Learning: <https://clcl.uiowa.edu/>
- Success in Rhetoric: <https://tutor.uiowa.edu/success-rhetoric-sir>
- Student Disability Services: <https://sds.studentlife.uiowa.edu/>
  - Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Academic Resources: <https://diversity.uiowa.edu/programs/student-support>

- Tutor Iowa: <https://tutor.uiowa.edu/>
- Learning at Iowa: <https://learning.uiowa.edu/students>

## Miscellaneous

- You need to submit OFFICIAL transcripts from your previous graduate institution AND undergrad campus
- There are no janitorial services for your office, so it's your job to keep it relatively clean
- Iowa requires an Iowa Driver's License to vote. You may get your license at the transportation department, which is on the southeast side of town near the Sycamore Mall. Unlike some states, license plates must be obtained from a separate location - the county clerk's office.
- **Cats or Dogs in Iowa City must be licensed.** It's \$10 annually and includes microchipping. This can be done at the animal shelter. Iowa City Animal Shelter: 319-356-5295
- Graduate TAs are unionized at UIOWA. If you have concerns about pay, discrimination, or other employment issues, contact them for resources and support. They support you whether you pay dues or not! <https://cogs.org/>
- Utility Discount Program: <https://www.icgov.org/government/departments-and-divisions/finance/revenue-utilities/utility-discount-program>
  - eligible Iowa City utility customers can receive a discount of 60 percent of the minimum water and sewer charges, 60 percent of the monthly storm water charge, and 75 percent of the refuse, recycling and organics charges each month.
- Student Life Emergency Fund: <https://dos.uiowa.edu/assistance/student-support-initiatives/>

## Places to Eat

One good thing about Iowa City is that there are a ton of good/unique dining options in the area. Whether you have a special diet (vegetarian, vegan, gluten free, etc.), or you're looking for something out of the ordinary, Iowa City's got you covered. Below are the recommended spots from grad students and faculty.

- **Mexican food:** Acapulco, La Regia, Banditos
- **Indian food:** Masala Indian Cuisine, Haveli Indian Cuisine, Exotic India
- **Asian food:** Soseki Café, Szechuan House, Sushiya Hoja, Thai Flavors, Red Ginger, Iowa Pho, Uncle Sun
- **Vegan:** Trumpet Blossom, Oasis Falafel, Szechuan House, Nodo, Orchard Green, La Regia, Thai Flavors and Thai Spice, Formosa or Red Ginger
- **Gluten Free:** Banditos, Carlos O'Kelly's, Blackstone, Chipotle, Monica's, Louie's Wine Dive, Haveli, Masala, Nodo
- **Breakfast:** The Dandy Lion, Bluebird Diner
- **Other:** Basta, St. Burch, Stella, Big Gove

## Coffee Shops & Cafes

- Bread Garden Market - 225 S Linn St, Iowa City, 52240
- Bruegger's Bagels
  - Downtown - 245 Iowa Ave, Iowa City, 52240
  - West Side - 708 S Riverside Dr, Iowa City, 52246
- Cafe Crema - 411 2nd St, Coralville, 52241
- Cafe Muse - 565 Cameron Way #108, North Liberty, 52317
- Capanna Coffee & Gelato - 6 Pacha Pkwy, North Liberty, 52317
- Coffee Emporium
  - Downtown - 301 E Market St, Iowa City, 52245
  - Coralville - 925 E 2<sup>nd</sup> Ave, Coralville, 52241
  - North Liberty - 710 Pacha Pkwy, North Liberty, 52317
- Corridor Coffee Co - 555 Hwy 965 A, North Liberty, 52317
- Cortado Coffee & Cafe - 26 S Clinton St, Iowa City, 52240
- Dash Coffee Roasters - 287 N Linn St, Iowa City, 52245
- Dodge Street Coffeehouse - 2790 N Dodge St, Iowa City, 52245
- Dunkin'
  - Coralville - 604 2nd St, Coralville, 52241
  - Downtown - S Clinton St, Iowa City, 52240
  - North Liberty - 620 Meade Dr, North Liberty, 52317
- Dunn Brothers Coffee - 3284 Crosspark Rd Ste A, Coralville, 52241
- Encounter Cafe - 376 S Clinton St, Iowa City, 52240
- The Green House – 505 E Washington St, Iowa City 52240
- Java House
  - Downtown - 211 E Washington St, Iowa City, 52240
  - East Side - 1575 S 1st Ave, Iowa City, 52240
  - West Side - 713 Mormon Trek Blvd, Iowa City, 52246
- Mammitas Coffee – 224 S Linn St, Iowa City, 52240
- Nodo Coffee - 600 N Dodge St, Iowa City, 52245
- Panera Bread,
  - Coralville - 213 1st Ave, Coralville, 52241
  - Coralville Mall - 1451 Coral Ridge Ave, Coralville, 52241
  - Downtown - 201 S Clinton St, Iowa City, 52240
  - East Side - 1646 Sycamore St, Iowa City, 52240
- Poindexter Coffee - 210 S Dubuque St, Iowa City, 52240
- Prairie Lights Cafe - 15 S Dubuque St, Iowa City, 52240
- Press Coffee Company - 2201 E Grantview Dr #102, Coralville, 52241
- Sidekick Coffee & Books - 1310 ½ Melrose Ave, Iowa City, 52246
- Starbucks
  - Coralville - 1815 2nd St, Coralville, 52241
  - Downtown - 228 S Clinton St, Iowa City, 52240
  - West Side - 11 IA-1, Iowa City, 52246
- T.Spoons (Inside Old Cap Mall) - 201 S Clinton St, Iowa City, 52240
- Tru Coffee

- The Makers Loft Coffee - 125 S Dubuque St, Iowa City, 52240

### Libraries

- Coralville Public Library - 1401 5th St, Coralville, 52241
- Iowa City Public Library, Downtown - 123 S Linn St, Iowa City, 52240

### Grocery Stores

- Hy-Vee
  - Riverside - 1720 Waterfront Dr, Iowa City, 52240
  - Coralville - 1914 8th St, Coralville, 52241
  - East Side 1 - 1125 N Dodge St, Iowa City, 52245
  - East Side 2 - 812 S 1st Ave, Iowa City, 52246
  - North Liberty - 3285 Crosspark Rd, Coralville, 52241
- Aldi
  - West Side - 760 Ruppert Rd, Iowa City, 52246
  - Coralville - 2750 Heartland Dr, Coralville, 52241
- Walmart Supercenter - 919 Hwy 1 W, Iowa City, 52246
- Target - 1441 Coral Ridge Ave, Coralville, 52241
- New Pioneer Co-Op
  - 1101 2nd St, Coralville 52241
  - Downtown - 22 S Van Buren St, Iowa City, 52240
- Bread Market - 225 S Linn St, Iowa City, 52240
- Natural Grocers - 1404 S Gilbert S, Iowa City, 52240
- Fareway Grocery
  - West Side - 2530 Westwinds Dr, Iowa City, 52246
  - East Side - 2765 Commerce Dr, Iowa City, 52240
- Trader Joe's - 920 Ponseti Way, Coralville, 52241
- Starlight Market - 906 2<sup>nd</sup> St, Coralville, 52241
- Chong's Supermarket - 905 2<sup>nd</sup> St, Coralville, 52241
- Iowa City African & Oriental Market - 1055 US-6 East, Iowa City, 52240
- K Brothers (Indian groceries)
- Taj Indian groceries

### Sweet Treats

- Heyn's Ice Cream
  - 811 S 1st Ave, Iowa City, 52245
  - North Liberty - 25 E Cherry St, North Liberty, 52317
- Dane's Dairy - 1430 Willow Creek Ct, Iowa City, 52246 (Open Seasonally)
- Dairy Queen
  - Riverside - 526 S Riverside Dr, Iowa City, 52246 (Open Seasonally)
  - Coralville - 904 2nd St, Coralville, 52241
- Jon's Ice Cream Store - 231 W Marengo Rd, Tiffin, 52340
- Bread Garden - 225 S Linn St, Iowa City, 52240

- Capanna Coffee & Gelato - 6 Pacha Pkwy, North Liberty, 52317
- Hurt's Donut Co - 1301 5th St #105, Coralville, 52241
- Molly's Cupcakes - 14 S Clinton St, Iowa City, 52240
- Aspen Leaf Frozen Yogurt and Chocolate Factory - 125 S Dubuque St, Iowa City, 52240
- Yotopia Frozen Yogurt - 132 S Clinton St, Iowa City, 52240
- Scratch Cupcakery - 927 E 2nd Ave, Coralville, 52241
- Deluxe Cakes & Pastries - 812 S Summit St, Iowa City, 52240
- Culver's - 710 Hwy 1, Iowa City, 52246
- Insomnia Cookies - 125 E Washington St Iowa City, IA 52240

## Leisure

- Film Scene - 118 E College St, Iowa City, 52240
- Marcus Sycamore Theaters - 1602 Sycamore St, Iowa City, 52240
- Coral Ridge Cinema - 1451 Coral Ridge Ave, Coralville, 52241
- SpareMe Bowl & Arcade Iowa City - 407 E Washington St, Iowa City, IA 52240
- Colonial Lanes - 2253 Old Hwy 218 S, Iowa City, IA 52246
- Downtown Iowa City Events - <https://downtowniowacity.com/events/>
- Stanley Museum of Art – 160 W Burlington St, Iowa City, IA 52242
- [Englert Theater](#) – 221 E Washington St, Iowa City, IA 52240
- [Hancher Auditorium](#) – 141 Park Rd, Iowa City, IA 52242

## Food Pantries and Other Basic Needs

Charitable organizations that distribute food to those who have difficulty purchasing sufficient food.

- University Food Pantry: <https://basicneeds.uiowa.edu/food-pantry>
  - The Food Pantry is a free service open to anyone with a university ID card.
  - located in room G200 of the [Iowa Memorial Union](#). This space is on the Ground Floor of the IMU and is shared with Clothing Closet.
- [CommUnity Food Pantry at Pepperwood Plaza](#)
  - 1045 Highway 6 East, Iowa City, IA 52240
  - Residents of Johnson County, IA can receive grocery assistance once per week. First-time visitors need to have a 15-20 min client interview.
- St Andrews Presbyterian Church (140 Gathering Place Lane, Iowa City) does a food pantry the 4th Wednesday of the month. <https://saintandrew-ic.org/mission-service/food-market>
- The IC Compassion Food Pantry is open Wednesdays 12-5 PM , Address: 1035 Wade St., Iowa City, IA 52240 <https://www.iccompassion.org/>
- North Liberty Community Food Pantry: <https://northlibertycommunitypantry.org/>
- [Clothing Closet](#)

- Provide University of Iowa students, postdoc, faculty, and staff with access to quality, new or used, professional clothing at no cost.
  - located in room G200 of the [Iowa Memorial Union](#)
- Little Free Pantries
  - Locally maintained boxes where community members stock food and other essentials for anyone to access.
    - Coralville Library's community fridge - 1401 5th St, Coralville, IA 52241
    - 1910 Western Rd, Iowa City, Iowa 52240
    - Little Pink Pantry - 714 Kimball Ave Iowa City, IA 52245
    - City High School - 1900 Morningside Dr., Iowa City, IA 52245
    - 411 S. Governor St., Iowa City, IA 52240
    - 1130 Seymour Ave, Iowa City, IA 52240
    - 1300 S 2nd St., Fairfield, IA, 52556, (around corner on Iowa Ave)
    - 214 East Jefferson Street, Iowa City, Iowa 52245
- Buy Nothing Groups: <https://buynothingproject.org/find-a-group#rec479389434>