**Tutors**

**Allison** she/her  
English | Biomedical Engineering  
Advice: Make time for yourself. Don’t forget about your own well-being in the midst of helping others.  
Fantasy Travel Destination: Vietnam  
I recommend reading... *The Poisonwood Bible* by Barbara Kingsolver

**Arka** he/him  
English, PhD  
Advice: We have not lived enough to get it all. Just hang in there till the next day!  
Quote: “In life, unlike chess, the game continues after checkmate.” - Isaac Asimov  
Favorite Word: Chaos  
Favorite color: Blue  
Fantasy Travel Destination: The Matrix  
I recommend reading... *The Master and Margarita* by Mikhail Bugakov

**Anna** she/her  
English | Political Science | Addiction Studies  
Advice: Don’t be afraid to fail. Failure is the greatest stepping stool to greatness.  
Quote: “We rise by lifting others.” – Robert Ingersoll  
Favorite Word: Incandescent  
I recommend reading... *The Round House* by Louise Erdrich
Caitlin she/her  
English | Psychology  
Quote: “Happiness can be found even in the darkest of times if one only remembers to turn on the light.” – Albus Dumbledore  
Favorite Word: Oodles  
Favorite ice cream: Chunky Monkey  
I recommend reading... *Tuesdays with Morrie* by Mitch Albom

Falon she/her  
French | International Studies  
Advice: Never be afraid to try! The worst that can happen is that they say no, but you will likely surprise yourself with the amount of ‘yes’ you get when you put yourself out there.  
Fantasy Travel Destination: Vienna, Austria  
I recommend reading... *Catch-22* by Joseph Heller

Karen she/her  
MFA Fiction  
Quote: “Tell me, what is it you plan to do with your one wild and precious life?” – Mary Oliver  
Fantasy Travel Destination: Bhutan  
Favorite Word: Serendipity  
Favorite animal: Horse  
I recommend reading... *We the Animals* by Justin Torres and *Beloved* by Toni Morrison

Lauren V she/her  
English | Secondary Education  
Advice: Learn how to say no--you shouldn’t participate in something if you have no passion for it.  
Fantasy Travel Destination: Santorini, Greece  
I recommend reading... *The Glass Castle* by Jeannette Walls
**Leah**  she/her  
**English, Creative Writing/Professional Writing & Editing**

Quote: “We delight in the beauty of the butterfly, but rarely admit the changes it has gone through to achieve that beauty.” – Maya Angelou  
Favorite Word: Discombobulated  
Favorite movie: Shrek 2

I recommend reading... *The Five People You Meet in Heaven* by Mitch Albom

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**Michael D**  he/him  
**Biology | English**

Quote: “A purpose of human life, no matter who is controlling it, is to love whoever is around to be loved.” – Rainer Kurt Vonnegut  
Favorite Word: Idyllic  
I recommend reading... *The Wind Up Bird Chronicle* by Haruki Murakami  
*House of Leaves* by Mark Danielewski

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**Michael G**  he/him  
**English, PhD**

Advice: Embrace your mistakes. They're yours and, as such, play a large part in making you the unique individual you are.  
Favorite Word: Suspiria  
I recommend reading... *Gravity’s Rainbow* by Thomas Pynchon, *Uzumaki* by Junji Ito or *The Drowning Girl* by Caitlin R. Kiernan
**Sheryce**  
She/her, They/them  
Sports Media | English

Advice: Your intuition is always your best friend.  
Quote: “Stumbling is not falling.” – Malcolm X  
Favorite Word: Quidditch  
I recommend reading... *The Devil Finds Work* by James Baldwin

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**Tristen**  
He/him  
English | Interdisciplinary Studies | Psychology | Philosophy | Italian Studies

Advice: Everything happens for a reason.  
Favorite Word: Amalgamation  
Favorite music genre: Bossa Nova  
I recommend reading... *In Cold Blood* by Truman Capote

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**Olivia**  
She/her  
English, PhD

Quote: “There is no limit to what we, as women, can accomplish.” - Michelle Obama  
Advice: Take time to know yourself, or, as Aristotle would say, “Know thyself.”  
Favorite Word: Serendipity  
Favorite travel destination: Italy
**Alison**  
*she/her*  
Human Nutrition and Food | Spanish

Quote: “Smile and the world will smile back.” – Unknown  
Fantasy Travel Destination: Fiji  
Favorite Word: Confuzzled  
Favorite color: Blue  
I recommend reading... *Looking for Alaska* by John Green

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**Carter**  
*he/him*  
Sports Medicine Athletic Training

Advice: How you do little things, is how you do everything.  
Quote: “If it doesn’t challenge you, it won’t change you.” – Fred Devito  
Fantasy Travel Destination: Venice, Italy  
Favorite Word: Ventricle  
Favorite color: Crimson  
I recommend reading... *Uncommon Life* by Tony Dungy

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**Nathalie**  
*she/her*  
Writing Studio Coordinator

Quote: “Just like moons and like suns, with the certainty of tides, just like hopes springing high, still I'll rise.” – Maya Angelou  
I recommend reading... *The Dutch House* by Ann Patchett

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**Krista**  
*she/her*  
Interim Writing Studio Coordinator

Favorite Travel Destination: Pelee Island, Canada  
Favorite Poem: “Hope” is the thing with feathers by Emily Dickinson  
I recommend reading... *The Ocean at the End of the Lane* by Neil Gaiman