The mission of CAASS is to help students establish, monitor, and achieve their academic goals, culminating in graduation.

CAASS provides developmental advisement in a student-centered environment that acknowledges the unique circumstances and individuality of each student. We also correspond with academic departments and administrative offices to develop and maintain a coordinated and comprehensive approach toward academic advisement.

In other words, we’re here to help students graduate!

We help students make smart choices, prevent mistakes (preferred) or correct some mistakes (when possible), and translate long-term goals into short-term steps.

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THE DUAL ADVISEMENT STRUCTURE AT BROOKLYN COLLEGE

CAASS:
- Gen-Ed Requirements
- Academic Policies
- Academic Planning
- Student Advocacy
- Troubleshooting/Problem Solving

ACADEMIC DEPARTMENT:
- Major Requirements
- Field of Study
- Career Outlook
- Mentorship
- Research Opportunities

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS:
- Complete a minimum 120 credits composed of general education requirements (Pathways), major requirements, and electives

Gen-Ed (42 cr.) + Major (x cr.) + Electives (y cr.) ≥ 120 cr.

- Complete a “Writing Intensive” course
- Fulfill the Brooklyn College residency requirement (minimum 30 credits at BC)
- Fulfill your major residency requirement (consult major advisor)
- Maintain good academic standing (minimum 2.0 GPA)

To graduate in 4 years, students should complete 15 credits, on average, per term.

- This will keep students on a four-year track towards graduation (without having to take summer/winter classes)
- Saves time and money (NYC residents pay a flat tuition rate for 12-18 credits)

Students can meet with a CAASS advisor in one of two ways:

1. An EXPRESS SESSION allows students to visit the CAASS office and choose an available 15-minute advisement slot for the same day. Slots are first come, first served. Express Sessions are typically available on Tuesdays and Thursdays.

2. An APPOINTMENT can be reserved weeks or days in advance online via BC WebCentral. Appointments are 30 minutes and more appropriate for in-depth academic planning. Appointments are typically available on Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays.