

On Campus at CofC

Places to Study

Study Areas	Description	Noise Level	Use	Inside/ Outside	Computer Access/ Wifi	Food Available	Study Groups
Addlestone Library-first floor	Located on the corner of Calhoun and Coming the first floor houses 260 computers. The first floor of Addlestone is one of the most popular places to study on campus. You are sure to see a friend while there.	Low	Very High	Inside	Yes/Yes Wifi	Yes	Yes
Addlestone Library-Second Floor	The second floor is a quiet floor that houses all books A-Z. Study spaces are located in the middle and far back of the floor.	Very Low	Very High	Inside	No/Yes Wifi	No	No
Addlestone Library-Third Floor	The third floor is also a quite floor that houses bound journals and Special Collections. Study Spaces are housed on the Back Side of the third floor. If you are looking for somewhere that's extremely quiet this is your best choice.	Very Low	Very High	Inside	No/Yes Wifi	No	No
Addlestone Library-Study Rooms	Located on the Second and Third floors of Addlestone Library. Just visit the library website and reserve your room. The study rooms have a balcony on one side that overlooks the 260 computers in the library.	Very Low	Very High	Inside	No/Yes Wifi	No	Yes
Starbucks	Located on the floor of Addlestone Library. Here you can grab coffee and a snack while working with a study group. Starbucks can be busy but just the smell of coffee can sometimes give your brain some energy.	High	Very High	Inside	No/Yes Wifi	Yes	No
Rivers Green	Located on the backside of Addlestone Library. Here you can study on the patio outside Starbucks or on the grass near the fountains. Rivers Green has the best atmosphere especially if you want to study around other students.	Med	High	Outside	No/Yes Wifi	Yes	Yes
Stern Center	Located on the Corner of George and Glebe Street, the Stern Center has computers on the first floor and study spaces on the second, third, and fourth floor. Great place to study in-between lunch and dinner you can just go to the food court and grab something to eat.	High	High	Inside	No/Yes Wifi	Yes	Yes
Stern Center Gardens	Located directly outside of the Stern Center food court. Study by the pond or under covered benches. You can be relaxed while studying listening as the water pours over the rocks.	Low	Low	Outside	No/Yes Wifi	No	Yes

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Cistern Yard	The heart of the campus located behind Randolph Hall. Take a seat on the Cistern or an open bench and study beneath the Great Oak trees. This is the most beautiful and calmest place to study on campus.	Med	High	Outside	No/Yes Wifi	No	No
Education Center	Study Space on the first floor open 24/7. Located on St. Philips beside Craig Hall. The Ed Center is a popular place for students to study. You have access to the Pod express which serves coffee and many other types of snack food.	Med	High	Inside	No/Yes Wifi	Yes	Yes
Center for Student Learning	Located on the First Floor of Addlestone Library. Go do your homework and get free tutoring help while you are there. 45% of students at CofC use the CSL. You can come in when the labs open and not leave until they close.	Med	Very High	Inside	Yes/Yes Wifi	No	No
Multicultural Student Programs and Services	MSPS is located on Calhoun right next to the Addlestone Library. There is a computer room, Library, and study room. There are other great offerings in the space as well so you may see a student group meeting while studying!	Med	Med	Inside	Yes/Yes Wifi	No	Yes
Einstein's Bagels	Located on the First Floor of McAllister Hall. A great place to get a healthy snack and get in a quick study. Just remember like Starbucks it can get packed with students and may not be the quietest.	Med	Med	Inside	No/Yes Wifi	No	Yes
Liberty Common Areas	Liberty Hall Located on the Corner of St. Philips and Liberty has set common Areas on each floor. Small study rooms are available on each floor with beautiful views of Downtown.	Med	Med	Inside	No/Yes Wifi	No	Yes
Berry Common Areas	Berry Hall Located on St. Philips street across from the Bell building has set common areas on each floor. Berry has many different places to study besides the common areas.	Med	Med	Inside	No/Yes Wifi	No	Yes
Harbor Walk	CofC's newest space near the Aquarium has many different places outside to sit and study in peace by the water! Take the Trolley down to sit and relax next to the port and water.	Low	Med	Outside	No/Yes Wifi	No	Yes

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McAlister Hall	McAlister Hall Located on St. Philips beside Berry Hall has one set common area located on the first floor. If you feel like you need to take a break during studying here just step outside to the courtyard or to Einstein's Bagel shop.	Med	Med	Inside	No/Yes Wifi	No	Yes
McConnell Hall	McConnell Hall located Wentworth and Coming has one set common area. Although there is only one study area in McConnell it does have a computer lab for student access. This is great for students at night so they do not have to walk all the way to the library.	Med	Med	Inside	No/Yes Wifi	No	Yes
Craig Hall	Located on St. Philips across from George Street Parking Garage has set common areas on each floor. Craig is an all-male hall. This means while in the study area if you want to take a break you can play a game of pool and not get stressed.	Med	Med	Inside	No/Yes Wifi	No	Yes
Fresh Food Company	On the first floor of Liberty Hall grab breakfast, lunch or dinner with your study group. If you have time to spare go here be healthy and replenish your body while still staying on top of your courses. Remember though it is going too crowded with other students.	High	High	Inside	No/Yes Wifi	Yes	Yes
Beatty Center Atrium	As a Business Major make sure you make use of the computers and study areas located on the first floor or the Business building. Very open area to study with the sun coming in through the glass wall. Take notice of the many different flags from other countries.	High	High	Inside	Yes/Yes Wifi	Yes-Cube	Yes
Lightsey-Second Floor	Lightsey Building located on Calhoun has a tucked away study area on the second floor. Here you can be near Academic Advising, the Career Center, and the Registrar's office. All the computers on this floor are for student use so make sure you use them!	Low	Low	Inside	Yes/Yes Wifi	No	Yes
School of Sciences and Mathematics Building Courtyard	Located right outside the back of the School Sciences and Mathematics building take use of this quiet hidden area to study. Unlike Rivers Green if you want to study outside but not around many students this place is the place for you to be.	Low	Low	Outside	No/Yes Wifi	No	Yes

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Starbucks on Calhoun	Located beside the annex on Calhoun street. This is your best place to go if you want to be off campus in between classes or meetings.	Med.	High	Inside	No/Yes Wifi	Yes	Yes
Starbucks in the Francis Marion Hotel	If you have a little extra time in your schedule walk down to the Francis Marion Hotel and use the Starbucks there.	Med.	High	Inside	No/ Yes Wifi	Yes	Yes
Marion Square	In the Summer this is where you and your friends will want to be. Here you can sit by the fountain or lay on the grass by a memorial. Be around history while studying in the sun.	Med.	High	Outside	No/No Wifi	No	Yes
Kudu	A little different coffee shop than Starbucks. Located behind McAlister Hall. Take in the Music and the coffee with your study group. Just remember it can get busy.	High	High	Inside	No/Yes Wifi	Yes	Yes
The Battery	If you like to exercise and you feel like studying while walking helps you learn, take a walk to the battery. When you get there take in some of the most beautiful views Charleston has to offer. Then sit on the battery by the river and relax while studying.	Low	Low	Outside	No/No Wifi	No	Yes
Water Front Park	Walk down to the Water Front Park near the market. Here you can walk out onto the pier and grab a swing to sit and study in.	Low	Low	Outside	No/No Wifi	No	Yes
Charleston Beaches	Folly Beach, Isle of Palms, and Sullivan's Beaches there are so many that Charleston has to offer. If you have time in your schedule on a sunny day go to the beach take in some vitamin D while studying.	Low	High	Outside	No/No Wifi	No	Yes