



Managing Your Time While Earning a Walden Degree



"I chose Walden because it gives me the flexibility of attending class anytime I want and anywhere. I don't have a regular 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. job. My working hours are always different. As a Walden student, I don't have to put aside my goal of pursuing a Ph.D."

Alminda d'Agostino
Ph.D. in Public Health Student

At Walden University, we understand that personal and professional commitments create demands on your schedule that often can be difficult to manage while continuing your studies. That's why we focus on you—so you can focus on learning.

With **close to 80% of our students pursuing their degrees while working full time or self-employed**,* Walden is dedicated to supporting busy adult learners, like you, every step of the way.

Since Walden was founded in 1970, our programs have been designed to meet the unique needs of working professionals. Our **flexible online format** offers an engaging learning model that is designed to fit your busy schedule, which means you can participate in classes on a weekly basis whenever it's convenient for you.

*Results gathered by Walden University in 2011–2012 from current students, recent graduates, alumni, and employers who responded to our surveys. For additional survey details, visit www.WaldenU.edu/DATA.



Online Learning Is Not Learning Alone

If you're not familiar with online learning, the virtual classroom can seem like a lonely prospect. At Walden, we've developed a student orientation that helps you learn how to use Walden's classrooms as engaging learning environments where you can exchange ideas with peers. To learn more about the student orientation, call an enrollment advisor at 1-866-492-5336.

"I'm a mom and a working professional, and I just don't have the time to sit and go to regular school classes every night. ... I have to do homework and be a mother and a wife and also a professional, so Walden fits into my schedule."

Lori Williams-Johnson
Ph.D. in Public Health Student

Tools for Working Professionals

At Walden, we know your time is stretched between school, work, and family commitments. That's why we've developed tools to help you complete your coursework on your schedule:

- MobileLearn® allows you to download course content directly to your mobile device or MP3 player.
- Ebooks are available in select Walden courses. You can download your course content to your iPhone or iPad and save the cost of shipping books.
- Automatic registration and book shipment are available for select Walden programs. You focus on your studies, and we'll make sure you get your materials.

We're Here When You Need Us

Walden offers exceptional student services to help you when you need support:

- The Academic Advising Team counsels you on program planning, university procedures, course registration, and degree completion.
- The librarians of the fully digital Walden University Library help you identify, evaluate, and obtain reference materials.
- The Student Support Team answers questions you have about the online classroom and offers 24/7 tech support.
- The Writing Center staff offers free workshops, tutorials on APA style, and one-on-one support throughout the writing process.
- The Center for Research Quality offers resources, advocacy, and support relating to your research.
- The Career Services Center provides practical online tools for career development and personal career advising.

Walden University is accredited by The Higher Learning Commission and a member of the North Central Association, www.ncahlc.org.