

High School Programs

ODASIS collaborates with Johnson & Johnson and New Brunswick Public Schools to provide the following programs to high school students in New Brunswick:

- Advancement Via Individual Determination (AVID)
- Saturday Scholars Program
 - 11th Grade SAT Preparatory Program
 - 12th Grade English Program

The Saturday Scholars program

- Prepares students for the SAT and college level courses
- Introduces students to science laboratories
- Includes motivational workshops and seminars
- Provides assistance with the college application and financial aid application process
- As part of the 12th grade English program, students earn **5.5 college credits** at Rutgers University.
 - Discussion and presentation skills course (356:152) in the Fall.
 - Extended College Writing course (355:104) in the spring.
- Students receive support for college math placement.



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How to Join ODASIS

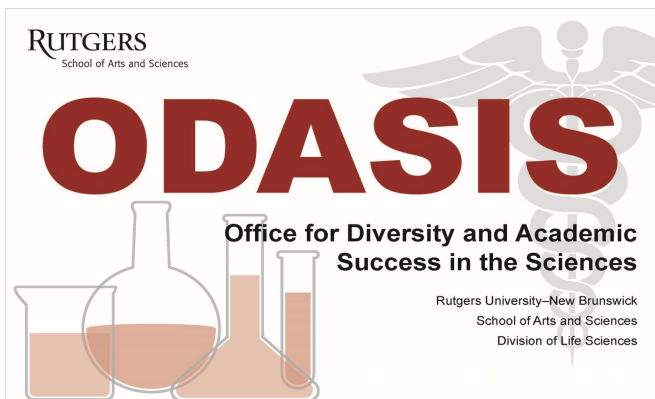
ODASIS registration happens every semester. For Fall 2025 registration, please keep an eye out on our homepage for the application link! It will be open later this summer.

Please visit www.odasis.rutgers.edu



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Who Are We?

The Office for Diversity and Academic Success in the Sciences (ODASIS) is an academic support unit within the Division of Life Sciences in the School of Arts and Sciences at Rutgers University.

The goal of ODASIS is to increase the recruitment and academic success of underrepresented students, as well as educationally and economically disadvantaged students, who are interested in pursuing careers in the science, technology, engineering and mathematics (STEM) professions.

ODASIS provides structured support for students entering the STEM fields through a rigorous academic support program that includes supplemental instruction, enrichment opportunities, academic advising and mentoring.



ODASIS offers various academic support programs during the fall and spring semesters as well as during summer sessions. Supplemental instruction is provided in courses including: Biochemistry, Calculus, General Biology, General Chemistry, Genetics, Organic Chemistry, Physics, Statistics, and Systems Physiology.

Certain GPA requirements apply in order to enroll and continue in ODASIS.

Don't forget to check out the **ODASIS LLC (Living Learning Community)**.

For more details, please see the ODASIS website: www.odasis.rutgers.edu

Opportunities



Enrichment opportunities, through ODASIS or in association with local NJ institutions, include:

ODASIS Summer Programs

- STP: Strategic Plan Summer Preparatory Program
- Prep Week: STEM Jump Start

Summer Partnership Programs

- Rutgers New Jersey Medical School: ARCH II (Biochemistry) and ARCH III (Research)
- Rutgers New Jersey Medical School: SUMEx Scholars Program for EOF
- Rutgers Robert Wood Johnson Biomedical Careers Program (BCP) for EOF
- REAP: RWJMS Early-Assurance Program
- Thomas Jefferson University Sidney Kimmel Medical College: STEP-UP Medicine Program
- Rowan-Virtua SOM Summer Pre-Medical Research and Education Program (PREP)
- USC Keck School of Medicine: Bridging the Gaps Summer Research Program
- Hofstra College Pipeline Program
- Rutgers New Jersey Medical School's Summer Medical and Dental Education Program (SMDEP)

Research Programs

- WM Keck Center for Collaborative Neuroscience at Rutgers University
- RU Dental Gateway to Dentistry
- Rutgers Cancer Institute

Our Community



ODASIS is dedicated to supporting students who are interested in pursuing careers in the STEM field. This includes:

- Medicine (MD)
- Osteopathy (DO)
- Biomedical Sciences (MBS)
- Dentistry (DMD/DDS)
- Biomedical Research
- Physician Assistant (PA)
- Podiatry (DPM)
- Nursing (RN/BSN/LPN/MSN)
- Pharmacy (Pharm D)
- Osteopathy/Biomedical Sciences (DO/MSB)
- Public Health (MPH)
- Physical Therapy (PT)
- Medicine/Public Health (MD/MPH)
- Chiropractic (DC)
- Biomedical Engineering (MBE)
- Law (JD)
- Optometry (OD)
- Research (PhD)
- Veterinary (DVM)
- Medicine/ Biomedical Sciences (MD/MBS)

"All of our students own their success. My goal is to have them claim it."

Dr. Kamal Khan
Director, ODASIS