Refresh offers options for review of writing, reading and/or math at all skill levels, utilizing ComFit Online Learning Center, an internet-based program. Based on assessments, customized learning modules are developed to ensure appropriate skill development. Enrollment is on-going with access for a six-week period. Students gain access by contacting the Office of Academic Services & Testing to arrange for an introductory session. Program Fee: $20

Students who are self-motivated, work well independently, and determined to review reading, writing, and math material to improve their academic skills will benefit. Students enrolling in DCC credit courses can earn the opportunity to improve course placement by retesting.

- **Writing**: ComFit writing covers everything from the basics of grammar to the finer points of advanced essay writing.
- **Reading**: ComFit reading is geared for students of all ages. Students who struggle with higher-level skills—in particular, the ability to identify main ideas, to differentiate inferences from observations, and to use context to define unfamiliar words will benefit from this review.
- **Math**: ComFit math is ideal for students who are struggling with algebra, geometry, trigonometry, or pre-calculus. It provides a meaningful and efficient way to master the fundamentals that are the building blocks for success in advanced math.

**How to Take Advantage of Refresh: On-Going Open Enrollment Process**

**Step 1**: Register on line for Refresh at: [www.sunydutchess.edu/refresh](http://www.sunydutchess.edu/refresh). There is a $20 enrollment fee. (Payable by debit/credit card on line, or by cash in person.)

**Step 2**: Meet with an Academic Services and Testing Lab Monitor to set-up access to ComFit Online Learning Center and become comfortable with this Internet-based software. This enrollment session will take approximately one hour.

- **Main Campus**: Go to Hudson Hall, room 315.
  Monday-Thursday: 9am-5pm

**Step 3**: Utilize the program! The more time spent, the better the outcomes! Please note, if your goal is to retake the placement test, a minimum of 25 hours in a given subject area must be completed to be eligible for re-testing. Students who have done well in this program average at least five hours a week over a six-week period. Your progress will be monitored by the Office of Academic Services and Testing. Tracking your own time is recommended.

**Step 4**: Retake placement test. (If your goal is to attempt to advance course placement.)

Questions can be emailed to: [DCCLearningCenter@sunydutchess.edu](mailto:DCCLearningCenter@sunydutchess.edu). Include “Refresh” as the subject.