### **Course Types**

# What are traditional classes?

The traditional classroom experience is one where you attend classes in person, in a physical location. You meet face-to-face with your professor and classmates. Since most elementary through high schools are set up where students attend class in-person, this type of environment requires the least amount of adjustment in learning.

#### What are hybrid classes?

Hybrid classes aim to take the best aspects of online learning and combine them with the best aspects of traditional classes for an all-inclusive learning experience. Hybrid classes generally meet 50% of the time face to face, in the classroom, and the remaining 50% of the time, online, in the Learning Management System, Canvas, through discussion boards, chats, weekly modules, and a variety of other online learning strategies.

# How do hybrid classes work?

Here's an example:

A traditional 3-credit course would typically meet Tuesdays and Thursdays for an hour and a half each time. The same course taught as a hybrid course might meet on Thursday for an hour and a half, and the remainder of the course would take place online through different assignments and discussions. (This is only one variation of a hybrid class, but you get the idea.)

# Do I have to attend both the online and the face to face portion of the class?

Yes. While hybrid learning offers the students flexibility, students are still required to attend all portions of the class (the online and the face-to-face) as well as complete all online and face-to-face assignments.

# How do I know if I registered for a hybrid class?

Review the Schedule Type for any course you select. Hybrid courses are marked with a note that reads **hybrid 50% or more** in the LoLA registration system.



#### What are online classes?

An online class has most, or all of the content and learner engagement delivered online. Typically, online instructors have no face-to-face meetings. Instead online classes use the Learning Management System, Canvas, to offer a variety of media, discussion boards, assignments, internet technologies, and collaboration tools to teach the class. Some online classes may have face to face or proctored requirements for taking tests. Check the course syllabus for more details.

Each online class will have different rules regarding completing assignments and engaging with peers. Some can be self-paced while others will have daily or weekly requirements. Make sure you log in to canvas on the first day of the course and review the instructor's online requirements.

### How do I find my online class? What day does it start?

Online classes are located in Canvas. They usually open one week before the semester starts, so students can review the class and make sure it is a good fit for them. On the first day of the start of class, you should login to canvas and begin working on the required assignments.

# How do I know if I registered for an online class?

Online classes are listed as campus QZ. They are also marked with section ids that start with an O. For example, an online version of ENGL 1020 would look like this, ENGL 1020 O05. Finally, review the Schedule Type for any course you select. Online courses are marked with a note that reads Web in the LoLA registration system.

Composition & Critical Thought - 21435 - ENGL 1020 - 005

Associated Term: Spring 2019
Registration Dates: Oct 02, 2018 to Feb 04, 2019
Levels: Undergraduate
Attributes: Online/Web Course

SLCC Online Campus
Web Schedule Type
Web-based Instructional Method
3.000 Credits
View Catalog Entry

Scheduled Meeting Times
Type Time Days Where
Class TBA SLCC Online ONLINE Jan 29, 2019 - May 03, 2019 Web

#### What are Video-Conference classes?

Video-Conference classes are connected sections of a class that allows one teacher to teach two campus locations at the same time using video and audio transmissions to communicate. For example, one group of students in the class is on the Gulf campus and the other group is on our New Iberia campus.

# Where will the instructor be?

The instructor will have a home campus designated. This campus will be the primary campus the instructor will "teach from" with the remaining group of students being designated as "teach to." If scheduling permits, the instructor may, at times, travel to the other campus, reverse the feed, and teach from there. Regardless of if the instructor is on-campus with you or there via technology, students are required to attend all class periods.

# How do I know I registered for a Video Conference class?

Review the Schedule Type for any class you select. Video conference classes are marked with a note that reads **Video Conference** in the LoLA registration system.

