Online Asynchronous:

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THE UP’S AND DOWN’S

- Flexibility & Autonomy
- Convenience
- At Your Own Pace (sort of)
- More Challenging Than Seem
- Require As Much or More Time
- Self Teaching (Active Learning)
5 KEYS TO SUCCEEDING IN ASYNCHRONOUS CLASSES

1. Employ Effective Time Management
   a. Schedule Daily “Class” Time (ie: MWF 10-12)
   b. Make a Calendar & Set Due Dates
      i. DO NOT RELY SOLELY ON NOTIFICATIONS

2. Log-in and Read Everything
   a. Log in to OAKS class each day
   b. Check and read email

3. Practice Effective & Appropriate Communication
   a. Communicate with your teachers (and classmates)
   b. Keep it professional, respectful, and constructive

4. Persist and Adapt
   a. When you run into a challenge, keep trying AND ask for help if needed.
   b. Keep an open mind and a positive attitude

5. Find and Use a Good Study Environment
   a. A “productive” work space that also comfortable and has good lighting
   b. Minimize distractions- turn off cell phones, avoid FB, IG and other black holes of time
Asynchronous Classes

Have a Realistic Vision of the Course

Routinely Look Ahead- Stay Focused & Dedicated

Be Ready for What’s Coming At You & Get Help if Needed