Learning Resource

Center



# Continuous Learning Tips

## SPACE

- Comfortable seat (upright is best)
- Light enough to see and be seen
- Neutral background for Zoom classes
- $\circ$  Clock don't rely on your phone
- Try to use the same spot every day for class and for work

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#### TIME

- You can still use your <u>LC planner</u>! Just ignore or change the times.
- Can you designate a study time each day?
- What is expected outside of class?

TASKS: What can you do with the time you have in and out of class? Write out a <u>list</u> of concrete tasks each day.

- Planning?
- Specific homework?
- Questions for your teacher in the next class?
- Checking in with a classmate?
- Organizing?
- Brainstorming?
- Reviewing vocab, problems, procedures, etc.?

### MATERIALS

What tools will help you be an effective learner?

- Writing utensils
- Paper for note-taking
- ⇒ Paper is good! It is hard to flip between screens.
- Place to jot things you want to say in class
- NOT your phone. Put it out of sight, sound, and reach.
- Headphones use what makes you comfortable (as long as class can hear you)
- ORGANIZE computer files
- Folder for each class
- Name assignments clearly for upload
- Save drafts as separate docs

#### RESOURCES

- ✓ Who is available to help you and when?
- ✓ Check your email and the portal every day
- ✓ <u>Write things down</u> for the next class so you are able to use "live" time with your teacher (questions, due dates, clarifying points, etc.)
- ✓ Check in with your advisor, Counseling, LRC, Deans, College Guidance, etc. – we are here to help!

#### REMINDERS:

- This is new and different. It may impact your attention span and motivation.
- This is new and different. This is a great reason to try new strategies!
- Build in breaks!
- Multi-tasking is not possible. When it's school time, just do school.

