

Office of e-Learning



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CSN will be launching the CSN Online Campus during 2008. In support of the mission of the College of Southern Nevada, the CSN Online Campus provides access to a quality, comprehensive teaching and learning experience by offering innovative educational programs, services and lifelong learning opportunities for a diverse population.

The CSN Online Campus will have a centralized web presence with exemplary online student services, a comprehensive student orientation to online learning and WebCT, and faculty resources. Typical elements of online courses include:

- asynchronous, frequent student and faculty participation
- lectures and assigned readings (from textbooks and online resources)
- individual and group assignments (for example, case studies and discussion questions)
- individual and group papers
- use of online library resources
- online and proctored quizzes and examinations

What do I need to be successful?

Success in online courses depends on self-discipline and the ability to learn without face-to-face interaction. CSN's online courses maintain the same rigor and high standards of its classroom courses. Academic progress is established and maintained through regular course participation.

Online students need to be prepared to interact with their faculty member and course mates in writing. Strong reading and writing skills in the English language are critical.

eLearning is an innovative development in higher education that uses technology to facilitate learning without the limitations of time or place. CSN offers courses online so that students around the world can complete a certificate or associate's degree without stepping foot in a traditional classroom.

eLearning students use state-of-the-art technology to connect to faculty members, course mates, and advisors. The great advantage of eLearning is that it gives students the flexibility to achieve an appropriate balance of work, family, community, and educational commitments. We provide you with the tools to further your academic career with classes and support that fit your lifestyle.

CSN's online courses link students with their faculty member and course mates online through the World Wide Web (WebCT). Online courses are asynchronous, which means that students can sign on and participate at times convenient to them. All CSN online courses are fully accredited. Credits earned through online courses are recorded on students' transcripts in the same manner as all other courses at CSN.

What are the technical requirements?

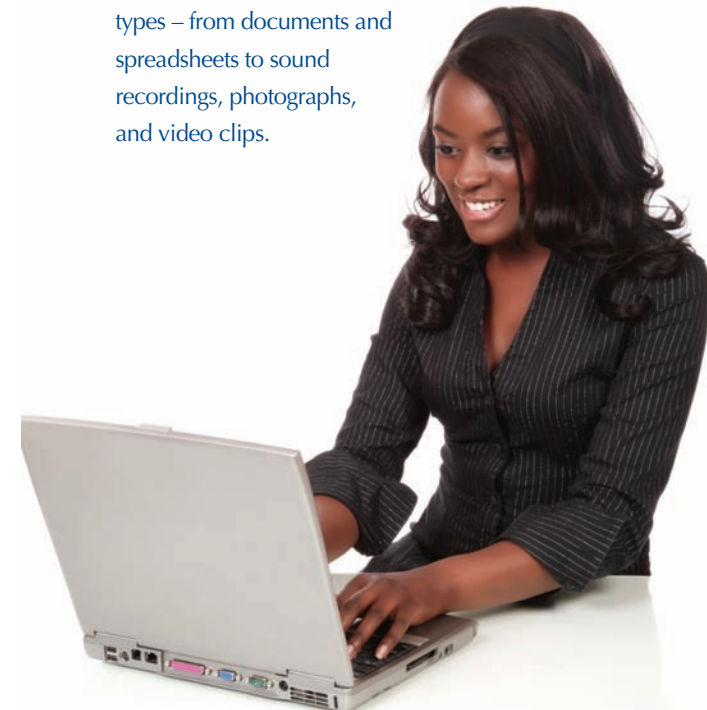
To participate in an online course via the World Wide Web, you should have:

- An Internet service provider (ISP),
- An active e-mail account, and the latest version of your preferred browser.

Some courses, such as those in business, finance, and accounting, require additional software such as a Windows-based spreadsheet program or MS Project.

What is an ePortfolio?

CSN offers students access to an ePortfolio through classes they are enrolled in. Students can collect and organize their work from both inside and outside the classroom. The ePortfolio enables students to integrate classroom, co-curricular, life, and work experiences. The ePortfolio supports all common file types – from documents and spreadsheets to sound recordings, photographs, and video clips.





CSN is a leader in eLearning, offering fully accredited degrees to students. Students can choose from a variety of degree programs.

Associate of Arts

Early Childhood Education
Elementary Education
Secondary Education
Special Education
History
Psychology
Sociology
General Transfer
Criminal Justice

Associate of Applied Science

Computer Information Technology
Accounting
Business Management
Criminal Justice – Law Enforcement
Small Business Management
Ophthalmic Dispensing Technician

Associate of Business

Associate of General Studies

Certificate of Achievement

Business Management
Computer and Information Technology – Networking
Computer and Information Technology – User Support
Criminal Justice
Casino Management
Hotel Management

Online Teaching Certificate of Completion



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