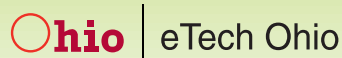


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I'm Going to College!
A Freshman's Guide

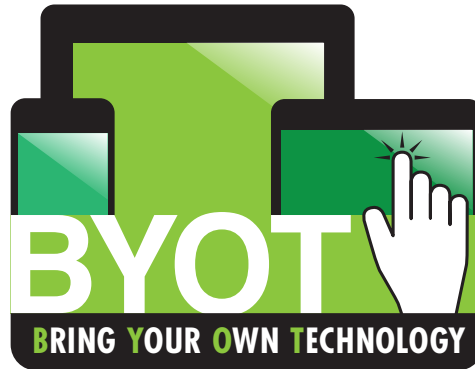


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Help! I'm Going to College: A Freshman's Guide to BYOT

Module Synopsis

Writing tools, research strategies, and even online admission expectations are changing. College students and faculty advisors will share what professors are expecting incoming freshmen to know about online research, writing, and the tools necessary to succeed as even traditional college courses move toward a blended learning delivery method.



Watch accompanying video on YouTube at:
<http://youtu.be/q-kudgv7iY0>

Terms

Card catalog - a familiar sight to library users for generations, but it has been effectively replaced by the online public access catalog (OPAC); original purpose was to enable a person to find a book by author, title, category, or subject and show what was in the library's collection

Email - electronic mail used as a method of exchanging digital messages from an author to one or more recipients

iPad - is a line of tablet computers designed and marketed by Apple Inc., which runs Apple's iOS (examples include iPad 1, iPad 2, iPad with Retina Display, iPad mini)

iPod - is a line of small hand-held tablet computers designed and marketed by Apple Inc., which runs Apple's iOS (examples include iPod shuffle, iPod touch, iPod classic, iPod nano)

Laptop - a portable personal computer with a clamshell form factor, suitable for mobile use (examples include Chromebook, MacBook, Dell Lenovo)

Learning Management System (LMS) - a free or fee-based software application for the administration, documentation, tracking, reporting and delivery of e-learning education courses or training programs (examples include Blackboard, Moodle, Edmodo, Schoology, eGenio, Cascade)

Netbook - a category of small, lightweight, and inexpensive laptop computers with screen below 5" screen diagonal to 12"

Nook - a brand of e-reader developed by American book retailer Barnes & Noble, based on the Android platform

Word processor - a computer application software that performs word processing: the composition, editing, formatting and sometimes printing of any sort of written material

Spell check - a function of most word processing software, actually checks spelling of words against wordlists

STEM - science, technology, engineering, and mathematics, as collective fields of study

Thesaurus - a reference work that lists words grouped together according to similarity of meaning (containing synonyms and sometimes antonyms)

Typewriter - a mechanical or electromechanical machine for writing in characters similar to those produced by printer's type by means of keyboard-operated types striking a ribbon to transfer ink or carbon impressions onto the paper

VCD - visual communication design - a program that educates and trains designers for the communication needs of industry and society. Emphasis is placed on the conception, creation, planning and realization of visual solutions to complex problems in contemporary culture

<http://art.washington.edu/design/undergraduate/visual-communication-design/about-vcd/>

Note: Definitions derived from Wikipedia

Resources

“Access to Education: Resources for Students & Families”

Tips on college preparation, study skills and videos.

http://www.osu.edu/access/family_resources.php

Source: The Ohio State University

“Ask, Act, and Achieve”

Everything you need for research in one place. Resources that can be used to integrate inquiry and research into the curriculum.

<http://go.infohio.org/>

Source: INFOhio: Ohio's PreK-12 Digital Library

“Career Tech”

<http://education.ohio.gov/Topics/Career-Tech>

Provides resources that include helping students to find career tech schools, explore careers, and learn about earning college credit while enrolled in high school.

Source: Ohio Department of Education

“College Life Quiz”

<http://quizzes.familyeducation.com/college/preparing-for-college/college-life-quiz.html?detoured=1>

Source: Family Education

“College Profile (Bowling Green State University as an example)”

http://www.collegedata.com/cs/data/college/college_pg01_tmpl.jhtml?schoolId=307

Source: College Data

“From High School to College: Resources to help plan your journey”

<http://www.infohio.org/PreparingOhioLearners/student.html>

Source: INFOhio: Ohio's PreK-12 Digital Library

“INFOhio's Research 4 Success”

INFOhio's online, six-module course, designed for high school students grades 11 and 12. Upon completion of R4S students will have the skills to conduct research successfully in college and careers. The course material may also be used by college and university students and faculty.

<http://educators.infohio.org/r4s>

Source: INFOhio: Ohio's PreK-12 Digital Library

“Learning Express Library”

Provides free and unlimited access to the best online resource for test-preparation, career & job resources, and skill-building practice, at no cost to users.

<http://www.LearningExpressLibrary.com>

Source: Learning Express

“Ohio Higher Ed: University System of Ohio”

<https://www.ohiohighered.org/>

“Ohio Means Success”

This site has everything you need to prepare for, search for, and pay for college in Ohio.

<http://OhioMeansSuccess.org>

“Preparing for College: An Online Tutorial”

<http://www.washington.edu/doit/Brochures/Academics/cprep.html>

Source: University of Washington

“Preparing for College: Resource List”

<http://school.familyeducation.com/college/college-prep/39261.html>

Source: Family Education