

Is Online Learning Right for Me? Student Quiz

To help insure you are a good candidate for learning with online classes, read each statement and check **Yes** if you agree or **No** if you disagree. For each **Yes** answer, give yourself 1 point. For each **No** answer, give yourself 0 points.

1. If I were to take online classes, the computer I would be using has internet access.

Yes **No** **Score:** _____

2. I am self-motivated. I like to be prepared and get things done ahead of time.

Yes **No** **Score:** _____

3. When faced with a problem, I enjoy the challenge of being in a situation where I must figure out a solution to my question.

Yes **No** **Score:** _____

4. When it comes to being responsible, I am good at completing and turning in homework without being told. I plan ahead and have my work completed on time. It is my responsibility to schedule my school day and complete my school work.

Yes **No** **Score:** _____

5. I feel I am independent. I can set up my own work schedule and complete my studies without having to be told by someone.

Yes **No** **Score:** _____

6. I would describe my reading skills as above average. I understand material at my grade level and don't mind the challenge of higher level reading content. I know how to figure out the meaning of what I am reading without help.

Yes **No** **Score:** _____

7. Do I like to read? Sure! I enjoy reading a variety of material, from school work to independent choice.

Yes **No** **Score:** _____

8. When given written directions for an assignment, I prefer trying to follow the directions on my own and will read them over a few more times until I understand them better, before asking for help.

Yes **No** **Score:** _____

9. I express myself well in school work and in formal writing. I like to write letters, stories, and even e-mails to friends. I consider myself a good writer. I like to write in my free time.

Yes **No** **Score:** _____

10. I have use of a computer with internet access at home.

Yes

No

Score: _____

11. The computer I will be using for online classes is not more than two or three years old.

Yes

No

Score: _____

12. My Internet Service Provider (ISP) is accessed through a TV cable or a DSL or other high speed line.

Yes

No

Score: _____

13. I consider my keyboarding skills and ability to use a word processor as proficient. I am very comfortable with typing and can type fairly quickly.

Yes

No

Score: _____

14. If my computer system has problems, I can solve them by myself or with the help of someone close to me. I am very comfortable working with the computer and the problems I may have.

Yes

No

Score: _____

15. I send, receive, and read e-mail almost every day to communicate with family and friends. I feel very comfortable using e-mail.

Yes

No

Score: _____

16. If my computer required me to install software or download a plug-in from the internet, I would be very comfortable doing both. I have downloaded software and plug-ins from the internet before.

Yes

No

Score: _____

17. I am familiar with chat rooms and have used the chat feature before, but prefer to use it only once in awhile with only certain people.

Yes

No

Score: _____

18. I use search engines like Google, Yahoo!, or others to locate information on the internet. I am very comfortable using search engines to find information on the internet and use them quite often.

Yes

No

Score: _____

19. I consider my ability to work with multiple windows, resizing, minimizing, moving and closing windows as excellent. I am able to manage several different windows on my desktop at one time.

Yes

No

Score: _____

TOTAL SCORE: _____

How to Score the Quiz:

For each **Yes** response, give yourself 1 point. For each **No** response, give yourself 0 points. Calculate your total points at the end of the quiz.

- If you score between **14-19**: Congratulations! Online learning is probably right for you. Talk to your counselor to find out the next steps you should take.
- If you score between **8-13** – First talk to your counselor to determine if online learning is right for you.
- If you score between **0-7** – Online learning may not be the best option for you. Talk to your counselor to determine if there are other options like Summer School that you should consider.