Apps and Resources for Learning

Tools for Success

This document contains suggested applications and resources that you may find helpful as you organize your life for school. These are not required (except for your university email), and the list is not comprehensive. Tools and technology change over time, so find resources that work for you!

- Google Apps provide Mail, Calendar, and Drive resources for all university students.
 - Mail serves as your official university email account. Check this daily for any and all university communications.
 - Take advantage of the Calendar to schedule your study time around work, family, and other life responsibilities. You can also set reminders for important due dates and keep a Tasks list.
 - Drive provides access to the Documents program, where you can write and save papers in Word format (.docx) for upload into your courses. You will also want to save your college papers and documents in Drive for safe and secure storage. If your computer breaks or becomes lost, you can sign into your Google account from another computer and retrieve all of your work that was saved in the Drive.
 - Explore other Google Apps to find additional resources that can support your learning.
- Moodle Mobile is the official mobile app for Moodle.
 - Browse the content of your courses, even when offline
 - Receive instant notifications of messages and other events
 - Quickly find and contact other people in your courses
 - Upload images, audio, videos and other files from your mobile device
 - View your course grades
 - and more!
- Momentum dashboard for Google Chrome web browser. Replace new tab page with a personal dashboard featuring todo, weather, and inspiration.
 - Build momentum and stay on task throughout the day with Momentum new tab homepage replacement. Get inspired and set your focus for the day. Every time you open a new tab, see an inspiring reminder of what you want to accomplish. It might just prevent you from loading reddit or Facebook for the tenth time.
 - Todo list tracks your tasks
 - See the weather for your area
 - Set a goal to focus your day
 - Clean design showcases inspirational photography and a motivating quote
 - "Apps" button takes you back to the default Chrome home page when needed
- Mobile Learning in Action is a website listing "101 favorite learning apps."

- Examination study aids, from the Bar Exam for law students to NCLEX study guides for nurses.
- o Cliff's Notes, Spark Notes, and other quick guides to literature.
- o Calculators, unit converters, and other tools for speeding up difficult work in math and science courses.
- <u>Digital Trends</u> has compiled a list of "The 21 Best Educational Apps for iPhone and Android."