

Hola! Ciao  
Bonjour 歡迎  
你好 Olá! Hallo  
Bienvenidos!  
Benvenuto accueil  
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HELLO!  
WELCOME



# Department of Modern Languages & Cultures

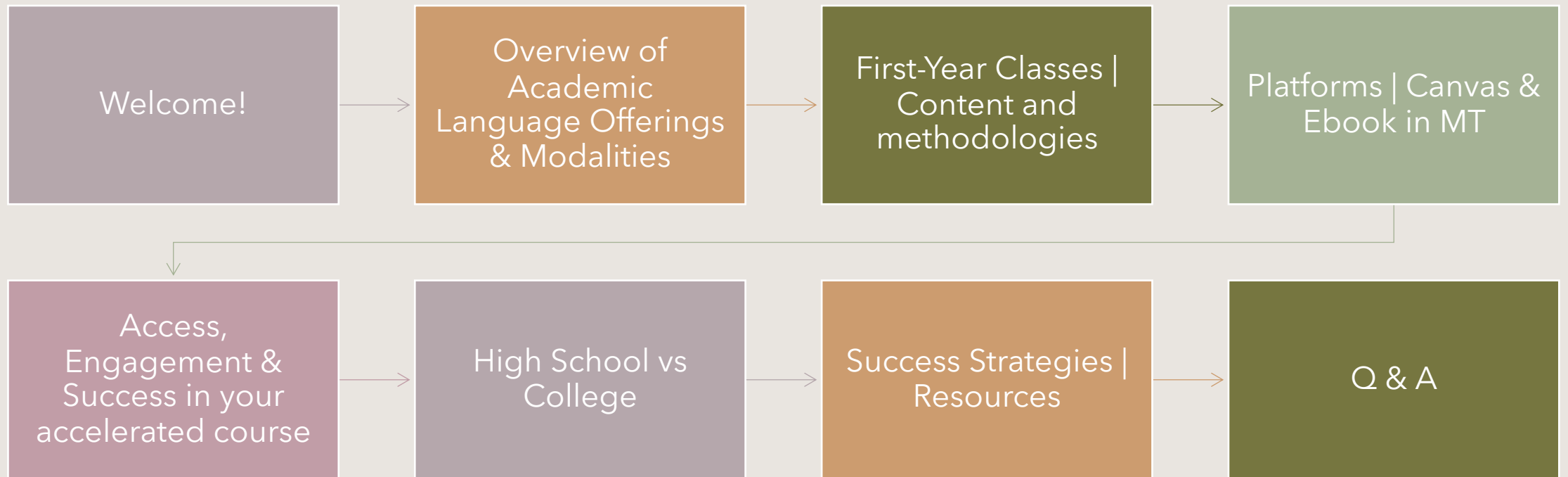
Chinese • French • German • Italian • Spanish



## Summer 2022 MLC Student Orientation & Success



# Agenda



# Our Academic Offerings

First-year & second year and equivalencies

[AA Degree](#) (21 units) , AA-T (23 units), [Certificates](#) (10-13 units)

Transferability to UC, CSU. 5 units, 90 contact hours.

Accelerated vs Full-Term (5, 8-week vs 12 or 16-week)

Modalities (Hybrid vs OL)

Academic Engagement Policy

Options (transfer or take course in the Fall)



# Recognized National Standards-ACTFL



Language learning vs acquisition



Four Skills: Reading, Listening, Writing and Speaking



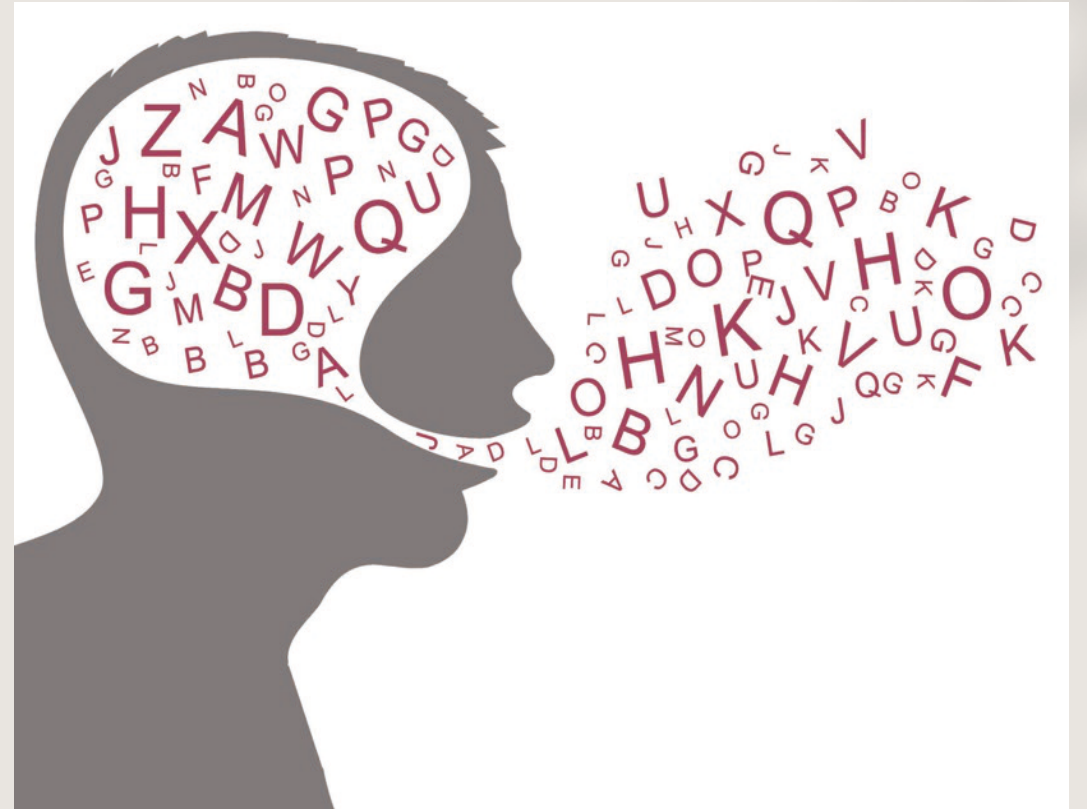
Cultural Framework: Perspectives, Practices, and Products



Five Cs: Communication, Culture, Community, Connections, Comparisons



Intercultural competence



# Approach

- Taught in the target language
- Communicative approach (complete tasks in the target language)
- FL Techniques for language acquisition
- Production of the language written and oral
- Completion required of 3 oral assessments in real time via Zoom





Access ~ Engagement ~ Success

OUR  
STRATEGIC  
GOALS

YOUR  
STRATEGIC  
GOALS TOO!

# Platforms: Stay Connected



Canvas



All your course work!



Modular configuration



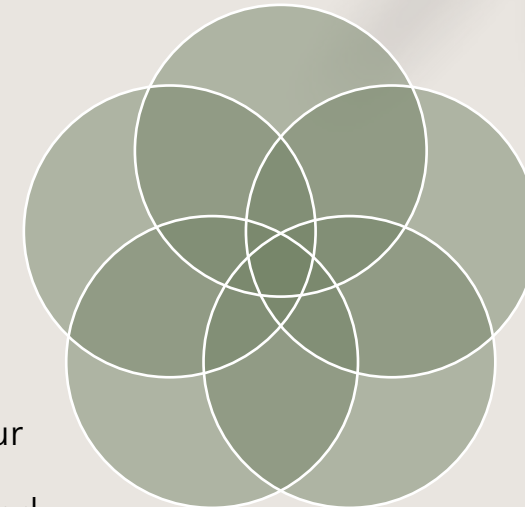
Weekly discussion board, activities, assessments, projects and more



Access from your smart phone, tablet and computer 24/7 (free app)

Leading online learning digital platform

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Ebook in MindTap

Complete your weekly assignments and chapter exams

Learning Path leading to success

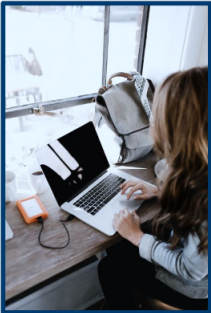


# Canvas Support Website

[Online Education](#) [Online & OnlineLIVE](#) [Orientation Letters](#) [Student Support](#) [Zero Textbook Cost](#) [Faculty Support](#) [PAL](#) [Contact Us](#)

## College of the Canyons Online Education

Taking advantage of technology, online education allows students to complete courses outside a face-to-face classroom setting by completing course lessons, activities, assignments, discussions and exams online.



- [Video Instructions](#)
- [Instrucciones en español](#)

Search for Online Classes

[Canvas & Zoom Student Guides](#)

[Read Your Instructor's Orientation Letter](#)

[Learn the difference between Online & OnlineLIVE](#)

Log into Canvas: [coc.instructure.com](https://coc.instructure.com)

Log into Canvas with your CanyonsID:

- The username is your MyCanyons email address "username@my.canyons.edu"
- The password is your my.canyons email password
- [How to login to CanyonsID for the First Time](#)

College of the Canyons is committed to supporting students as we move in-classroom instruction to remote-learning platforms. Your success is important to us, and we want to support you in any way we can. Please see the links below for the student & faculty/staff support and resources during the transition:

[Student](#) [Faculty/Staff](#)

Have questions? Contact Us! Tel: 661-362-3600 Email: [online@canyons.edu](mailto:online@canyons.edu)



Cengage Mobile App

# Intensive class: Doable if you are disciplined

Learn and apply communicative functions each week

Study 5 chapters, complete weekly exams, + 10 quizzes/exams and 3 oral assessments in real time, and the final written exam

Complete work in module weekly Tuesday-Monday (exams Friday-Monday)

Dedicate 15-20 hours per week

Must pass final exams in order to pass the course



# High School vs College

- Teachers present material to help you understand the content in the textbook.
- Time is managed by others.
- You will be reminded of assignments.
- Grades are based on your ability to comprehend what you were taught.

Professors may lecture non-stop providing background or supplementary information and/or research on the topic.

You manage your own time.

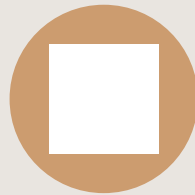
Professors expect you to read the syllabus/program.

Grades are based on your application of the concepts learned.

# Nice try!



My family and I are going on vacation the week of June 20th



I didn't know that!



Internet issues



I need to make up last week's work.



What is my grade?



I need to take the final a week early...

# Keep in mind

Course

Course due dates

Canvas

Use Canvas and Cengage (free) apps for connection 24/7

Learning

Best course modalities and formats for your learning style

Succeed

You can succeed!



# Success Strategies & Resources



# Got it!



Read the syllabus



Complete your work in Canvas and MindTap



Communicate with your instructor, ask questions



Study with the tutor



Take charge of your own learning!



# Thank you!

For more information, contact your instructor or the MLC Department Chair