

HOW MUCH TIME SHOULD I SPEND STUDYING?

Whether you are taking classes online, in the classroom, or something in between, you should plan to spend time outside of class reading, writing, doing homework, researching, participating in discussions, preparing presentations, studying for quizzes and exams, and working on other projects. See your course syllabus (First Day Handout) for specific class requirements.

Please visit www.macomb.edu/online for specific information about online and hybrid course requirements, including student log-in, the Introduction to Online Learning for first-time users, and Online Support contact information.

So how much time should you spend each week studying outside of class? Check out the table below to see the minimum number of hours. For example, if you are taking a 3-credit hour class that meets for 16 weeks, you should plan to spend at least 9 hours each week studying outside of class.

NUMBER OF CREDIT HOURS FOR YOUR CLASS	NUMBER OF WEEKS YOUR CLASS MEETS	YOU SHOULD SPEND AT LEAST THIS NUMBER OF HOURS EACH WEEK STUDYING OUTSIDE OF CLASS
1	4	12
1	8	6
2	4	24
2	8	12
2	12	8
2	16	6
3	8	18
3	12	12
3	16	9
4	8	24
4	12	16
4	16	12
6	8	36
6	12	24
6	16	18
7	8	42
7	12	28
7	16	21