

PC 101 Life Skills

Gathering Agenda for Week 07

Gathering Purposes

- Reflect on the course and share insights

Preparation

- For *face-to-face Gatherings*, arrive early to setup the room, prepare any visual aids, **bring blank pieces of paper and pens/pencils**, and greet students as they arrive.
- For *virtual Gatherings*, start the meeting early, share your screen with a message welcoming them to the gathering and letting them know you'll start soon.
 - When the Gathering Agenda asks that students meet in small groups, use [Breakout Rooms](#).
 - When the Gathering Agenda asks you to display things on “the board,” you can use the [whiteboard](#).

Min.	Activities	Teaching Tips
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Welcome and Devotional

5	Welcome	Welcome, announcements, and housekeeping	
	Devotional	Please sing one or two verses of a hymn. If you meet with a virtual gathering, the lead student or another student should be invited to share a brief spiritual thought. A volunteer will then give an opening prayer.	

Reflect on PC 101 Life Skills

55	Review	Review the major topics discussed in this course <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Learning How to Learn 2. Time Management and Goals 3. Thinking Errors 4. Financial Stewardship 5. Perseverance 6. Deep Learning <p>Remind the class that the math and writing requirements of the course also helped strengthen students' ability to become a more capable learner.</p>	Consider writing these on the board.
	Present	Divide into six groups, with each group assigned one of the six topics listed above. Each group should prepare a 5-10 minute presentation that highlights one or more of the major insights the group found while studying that topic. For ideas, the group can refer to the table at the bottom of this document. <p>After about 5 minutes of preparation, have everyone return to the large group and take turns presenting. As groups present, invite the class to offer additional insights they have gained on those topics. Try to make sure everyone participates.</p>	Consider sharing a copy of the application activity table below.

	Conclude	Thank everyone for being at the gathering and sharing their thoughts. Don't forget that this is just the beginning. Next semester's course is called "Professional Skills," and its outcome is to help students use personal strengths to add value to home, Church, and community.	
	Testimony and Prayer	Bear a 30-90 second testimony about your experience with the course. End with a prayer by invitation.	

Topic	Assignments
Learning How to Learn	Choose a learning strategy from the course and explain in a basic paragraph why it can help you succeed in PathwayConnect.
	Discern between examples of growth mindset, false growth mindset, and fixed mindset.
Time Management and Goals	Reflect on how you spend your time, complete a pacing guide.
	Practice arithmetic and complete a construction project using Microsoft Excel.
Thinking Errors	Write an essay that answers this prompt: <i>What is one thing you can do to overcome a specific thinking error?</i>
Personal Financial Management	Create a budget from your tracked expenses and income and reflect upon it.
	Math Exam 1: negative numbers, fractions, percentages, solve for a variable
Perseverance	Write an essay that answers this prompt: <i>What are two things a person can do to have more perseverance?</i>
Deep Learning	Math Exam 2: Solve for a variable including equations that use fractions
	Write two commitments to help you continue deep learning.