Making the Most of Distance Education

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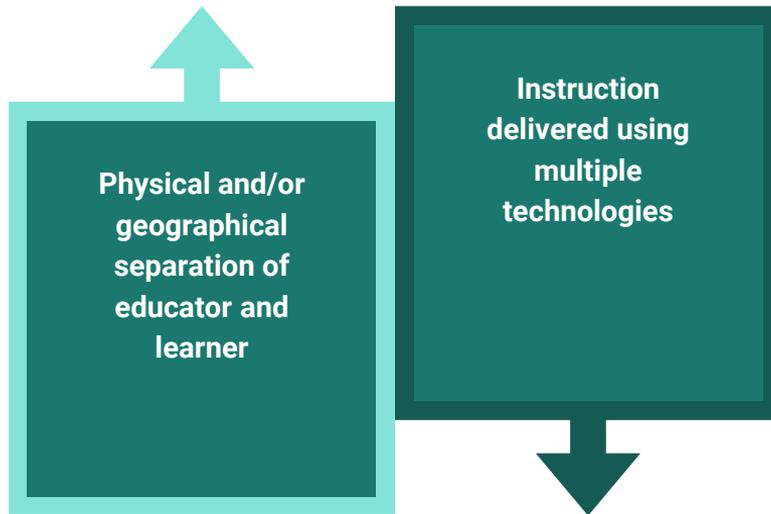
United States Department of Education (ED)	The United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization (UNESCO)
- Educational process: - Internet - One or two way communication - Audio Conferencing - Other media to deliver instruction to students who are separated from the instructor	- Educational process: - By a distant person from the student - Communication between teachers and learners are through a mediator, whether electronic or printed

Commonalities

Physical and/or geographical separation of educator and learner

Instruction delivered using multiple technologies

Eli hanging tough with the Basketball Team

Eli chilling on the Congo River

Eli and Laura in Republic of the Congo

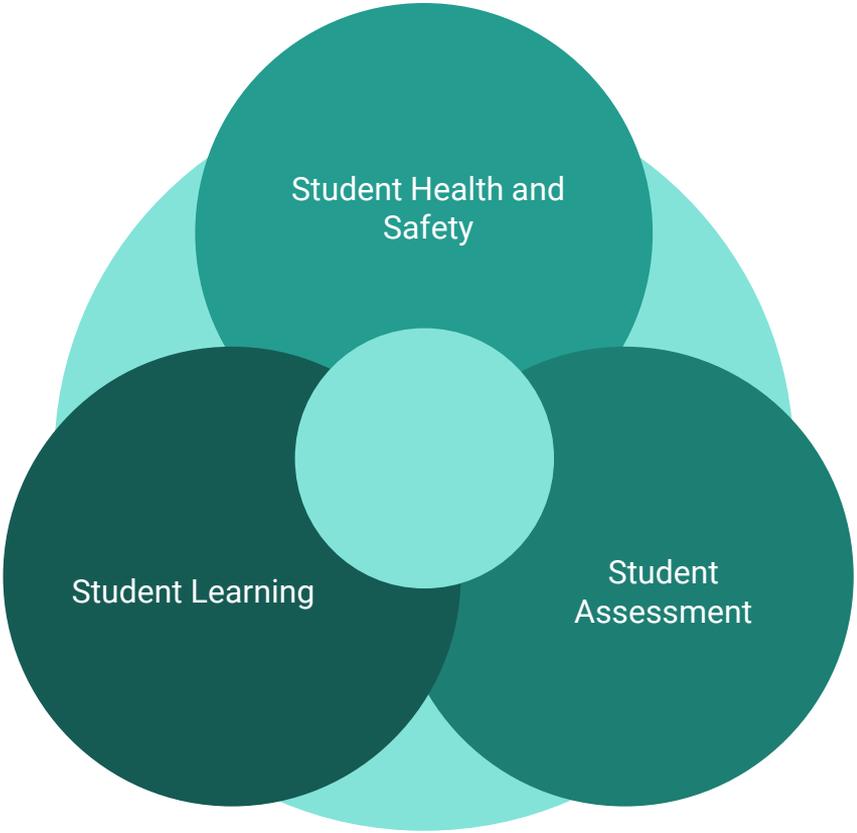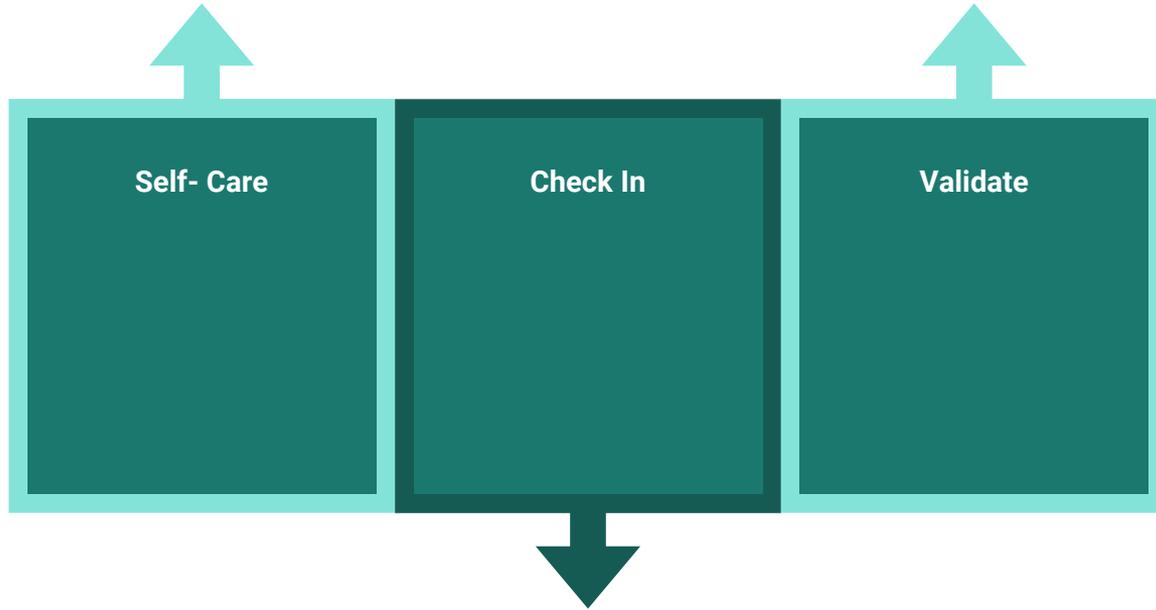| Pandemic	Sudden Transition to Distance Education	Opportunities
Dominated our collected lives	Record speed in March	Implement changes

Student Health and Safety

| Self- Care | Check In | Validate |

Student Learning

Professional Vision

- **Shared Idea of Distance Education**

Collaborative Learning

- **Social Presence**
- **Teaching Presence**
- **Constructive Presence**
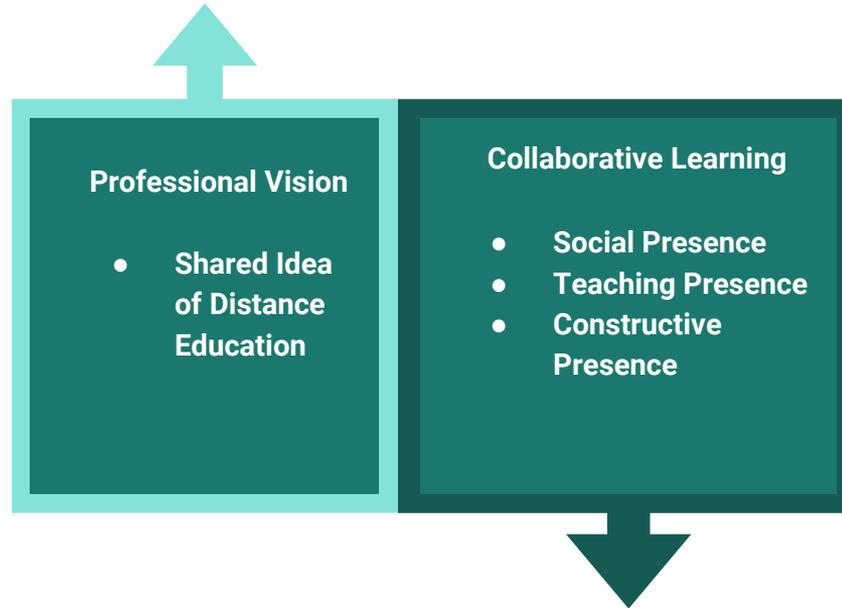
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24/7 Online Tutoring
(Tutor.com)

Google Drive

Syllabus

Modules

Chat

Discussions

Announcements

Assignments

Grades

People

Outcomes

Pages

Collaborations

Quizzes

Conferences

Files

Settings

Step 1: Share the access code for your Schoology Course (in the following tab). Please submit the access code by June 28, 2020 - 11:59 P.M.

**Step 2:** You will be assigned two Peer Reviews on June 28, 2020 -11:59 P.M.

Step 3: Join their Schoology Courses and use the Virtual Learning Environment Project Rubric to offer specific and constructive feedback. Please complete this task by June 30, 2020 - 11:59 P.M.

Step 4: Between July 1 and July 8, 2020...make edits to your Virtual Learning Environment Project based on the feedback from your Peer Reviewers.

Step 5: On July 8, 2020 (due date), Professor Vandergraaf will begin grading projects.

- Project = 125 points
- Two Peer Reviews = 20 points

Student Assessment

Assess the Essentials

Performance-Based
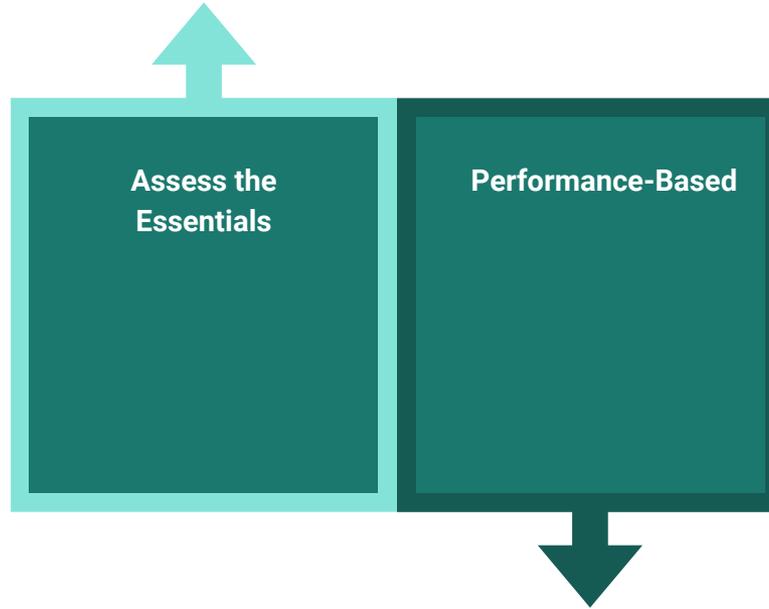
Considerations of Online Education