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ISSUE 1

Can you learn it Online?

College can be rewarding experience, both personally and professionally. Some people, however, do not have the opportunity, time, or money needed to attend a traditional college. Today, many schools address these obstacles with online learning. Online learning allows students to learn whenever and wherever they can access a course's Web page, often more economically than traditional tuitions. A student might be able to complete an entire degree program without ever physically attending a class. Many online classes present material using captivating simulations, real-life case studies, and interactive tools. Yet, even the best online classes lack some of the most important features of the campus experience, such as casual talks with professors, informal study groups in the dorm or library, or enthusiastic discussions in the campus coffee shop.

What are the more important advantages and disadvantages of online classes? Why?

What Type of student is best, and least, suited for online classes? Why?

Would you be interested in taking a class online? Why?

Should it be possible to obtain a four-year college degree without attending a single class on a college campus? Why?

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Online learning seemed to be very popular choice of modern education for teenagers now days. The advantages of online learning are the main criteria to drag teenager's interest to select it. On the other hand, the disadvantages of online learning scare this teenager and made it more difficult for them to choose either the online learning or traditional style.

When the advantages of online learning listed out, the most important advantage is flexibility for the students. Online learning gives them the time and place flexibility. Differently from the traditional classes because students can learn at anytime which suits best for their daily schedule. Besides, there is no longer a rule for you to study in a class room. The options are students', they can study any time at any where. This makes the students to be very confident that they won't even miss any of the studies. They can catch up their studies although the daily learning time and place are different. There will be no student rushing to their classes in the heavy traffic or their tight schedule. Flexibility plays a big part in a student's life. Besides this, the learning period is also an advantage for online learning. Different students may have different type of lesson observation time, which means some students may understand and follow up with the studies fast and the rest are slow to follow up. In this situation, online learning had just opened more space for them. It's up to a student either to spare less time and learn fast or spare more time and learn slowly to make sure they understand the studies. They are no longer given a fixed period of time to study such as in traditional learning where means the class starts 2.00pm and ends 5.00pm and the fixed period is 3 hours. Both of the professor and student will be rushing to finish up their learning in these 3 hours. This will be also a reason for the student unable to follow up or catch up his lesson for that day. Learning online will give the student a chance to learn at their own pace.

While disadvantages of online learning is being main factor for students to avoid from choosing online learning. Basically, online learning is classified as a boring style of education because the students are not fully experiencing their student-life. Where means,

they will be no longer meeting their classmates and professors. There is no interaction and casual talks with other students. The student will be taking the class alone. This is why it is classified as a boring style. There is no friend beside him to ask him doubts and there is no professor in-front to clear his doubts. Interact with peoples around us is the main factor to increase our life experience and facing the computer all the day long is not profiting for our experience. Besides that, online learning will need more discipline from students. They need to be really self-motivated to be a successful in online learning. Otherwise, the whole afford will be a waste. Else than this, the level of education is being a disadvantage for it self. The value for a student's lesson is the value that given to the student's certificate or degree. But most of the online learning providers do not offer a real valuable certificate. They only focus on the study fee rather than lesson quality. Most of their certificate or degree are not recognized or authorized by government. Student got fooled easily to take online learning although their lesson is not authorized. This will be a waste of their money and time for them.

When researched 'who is the best and worst student for learning online', it had resolve the puzzle with one single answer which is 'do it by your own and survive yourself!' Students are mostly not self-motivated because their life style now days are so easy and simply. In this case, most of them prefer not to study but work. Although they prefer to work, they knew very well that the higher education promises the higher salary. Education being an added advantage for them to earn extra salary. Therefore, they study without putting in their full affords into education. These types of students are the most in now generation. They are classified as not self motivated.

For online learning, the self motivation is very important for them. It must be compulsory for a student who decides to go for online learning. This is because they will not be assisted or helped by any anyone neither the professor nor other students as they don't exist in online learning. If the student get bored easily, they won't study properly as they is no one to force them to study. Besides, there is no 'must attend the class and study' rule for online learning. This maybe an advantage for student to escape from learning.

In this case, it's very clear that only self-motivated person can be used to online learning and worth. They are the best suited person for online learning. While, the not self-motivated students are the least suited student for online learning. They are totally not worth for joining online learning. It will be a total waste for them.

Taking a class online will never be a best option for me. If I am given the opportunity to choose either online learning or traditional style of education, I will definitely select the traditional style of learning. Being a student is such a hard life to go through in teenage life. In this age, I definitely can't survive or manage to study without help and advises from my professors and friends. It is very important for me to enjoy the traditional style of learning to not miss out the opportunity to have a casual talk with my professors and talk everyday with my classmates. This is an age to make bulk of friends. The whole university or college students will be my friend if I joined that university or college. But in online learning, the computer and internet will be the only friend in my life. Experiencing a student life is the most important for a teenager to be successful in future when entered the adult's life.

Besides that, I am not a self motivated person. I really hate to study and attend my classes. If I choose online learning, I will definitely take the advantage to escape from learning and attending classes. And this will be a waste of money for me. While in traditional learning, everyday, every single person that I meet will teach me how to interact with others properly. Sitting a side and facing the computer will not be benefiting for me to learn how to interact with people around us. Online learning will never suit for me and it's not worth for me to go for it. I will be not interested to take class online.

Actually, all of us study mainly to obtain a certificate or degree. While obtaining a four-year college degree without attending a single class on a college campus is definitely possible. To obtain a degree, the condition is we must pass our assignment and exams in all semester for 4 years continuously. Assignments and exam can be passed if the student puts in his or her full afford. The student must be a self-motivated person also. As long as the student able and studies with full of afford to achieve his or her degree will definitely

possible. The education of online learning and traditional class is almost similar, and not to be surprised if the student passes all his assignment and exam with out attending a single class on a college campus because he or she had really studied online with the proper ways and benefits him or her to obtain a degree.

ISSUE 3

LCD or CRT?

Home and business users currently spend a substantial amount of time working on computers. To reduce eyestrain and other types of monitor related health conditions, it is important users have high-quality monitors that produce crisp, bright images. Until recently, CRT (cathode-ray-tube) technology dominated the monitor industry. The space saving, brighter LCD monitor, that uses LCD technology had emerged as a key competitor in the monitor market. Although the goal of the LCD monitor industry is to replace the CRT monitors as the dominant desktop monitor, some industry experts predict that LCD monitor will appear on the only one-half of users' desktop in the coming years.

Can LCD monitors compete against CRT monitors for desktop applications?

Will price issues affect LCD monitor sales? If so, how?

Will health-related concern influence the sales of LCD monitors?