Learning Modes

Effective Summer 2015, the Chancellor's Office has developed a new set of values to more distinctly identify the learning mode for each course section in the Schedule of Classes. These values will replace the previous values of F (Face to Face), A (Asynchronous), and S (Synchronous).

Following are the two-digit codes for the new values, which have been categorized to assist academic schedulers with understanding and assigning the appropriate learning mode values to course sections. This information is reported to the Chancellor's Office each term by Institutional Research. For more information, refer to the <u>Learning Mode Updates</u> document from the Chancellor's Office.

Face-to-Face Classes (when all of the course contact hours meet face-to-face and none of the contact hours are online)	
09	face-to-face
Fully Online Classes (no face-to-face meetings)*	
01	asynchronous instructional course section can be offered anywhere (no campus meeting; fully online)
02	synchronous instructional course section can be offered anywhere (no campus meetings; fully online)
10	combination of asynchronous and synchronous instructional course section can be offered anywhere (no campus meetings; fully online)
Online Classes that Only Meet Face-to-Face for Orientation, Mid-term, and/or Final Meeting*	
03	asynchronous instructional course section (orientation, mid-term, final campus meetings allowed)
04	synchronous instructional course section (orientation, mid-term, final campus meeting allowed)
11	combination of asynchronous and synchronous instructional course section (orientation, mid-term, final campus meetings allowed) - federal Distance Education
Hybrid Classes – Combination of Online and Face-to-Face Meetings (meet face-to-face 4 or more times in a term)*	
05	asynchronous instructional course section segment with face-to-face course section segment (regular face-to-face meetings from every day to four or more times in a term) aka Hybrid
06	synchronous instructional course section segment with face-to-face course section segment (regular face-to-face meetings from every day to four or more times in a term) aka Hybrid

^{*}Keep in mind that synchronous mode requires a student to login at a specified time and attend class online at the same time as the instructor and fellow students. Asynchronous mode does not require a student to log in at specified times, e.g. independently watch a video posted online, post to discussion boards and forums.