
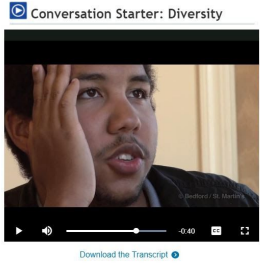
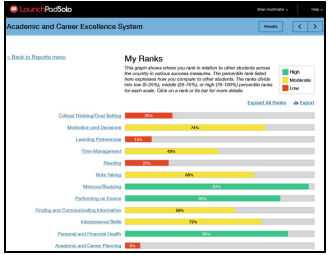
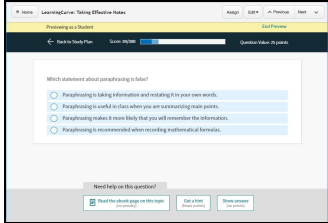


## Digital Learning Resource Guide for College Success

Macmillan Learning has everything you need to help you and your students have a productive, fun, and powerful distance learning experience. This resource guide highlights the solutions we offer to help you transition to or bolster your online first-year experience course. Please reach out to your local [Macmillan representative](#) to get started today!

Needs	Solutions	Examples
Engagement in synchronous distance learning	<p><b>iClicker with Designed Learning Experiences.</b> Translate your in-class learning experiences to a powerful, synchronous online experience with (1) iClicker, the #1 student response system, (2) Designed Learning Experiences for College Success, a complete set of ready-to-go activities for iClicker, and (3) your favorite video conferencing tool such as Zoom, WebEx, or Skype.</p>	<p>See <a href="#">catalog page for Designed Learning Experiences</a></p> <p>See <a href="#">3-minute video</a> on using iClicker in online classes</p> 
Powerful learning materials	<p><b>College Success Program from Macmillan Learning.</b> More than ever, students are needing quality, affordable, learning materials to support their college, career, and life goals.</p>	<p>See <a href="#">College Success catalog</a></p>
Skills in online learning	<p><b>Your College Experience, Tech Tips.</b> This feature found in all of the Gardner/Barefoot products helps build key skills for college, career, and life in online contexts.</p> <p><b>Connections 2e.</b> This college success product contains specific coverage of <b>7 key skills</b> in online courses: Managing Time, Reading, Taking Notes, Studying, Taking Tests, Writing, and Connecting with Others in online courses.</p>	<p>See <a href="#">Tech Tip: Ace Your Online Tests</a> in Step by Step 8e</p> <p>See <a href="#">Your College Experience 13 catalog page</a></p> <p>See <a href="#">Understanding Your College Experience 3e catalog page</a></p> <p>See <a href="#">Step by Step 8e catalog page</a></p> <p>See <a href="#">Manage Time in Online Classes</a> in Connections 2e</p> <p>See <a href="#">Connections 2e catalog page</a></p>
Robust online courseware	<p><b>LaunchPad.</b> LaunchPad is a resource to help students achieve better results by providing a place where they can read, study, practice, complete homework, and more. All of Macmillan Learning's college success programs are available through LaunchPad.</p>	<p>See <a href="#">3-minute LaunchPad overview video</a></p> <p>See <a href="#">LaunchPad benefits</a></p>

<p>Ready-to-go video activities</p>	<p><b>Student voices video activities.</b> Every college success LaunchPad includes a set of brief, powerful videos of students sharing their experience and offering advice on one of the key concepts/skills in the first-year experience course.</p>	<p>See <a href="#">Conversation Starter: Diversity</a></p> 
<p>Create your own video activities</p>	<p><b>Video assignment.</b> LaunchPad allows you to easily create your own video assignments, by uploading a video or embedding your favorite YouTube video, and then posing questions to your students to complete for credit.</p> <p><b>Suggested Video Tool Activities.</b> The Instructor’s Manual for each college success title includes a suggested list of YouTube videos along with instructional guidance for creating your own video assignments.</p>	<p>See <a href="#">using video assignment in my class</a></p> <p>See <a href="#">how to create a video assignment</a></p> <p>See <a href="#">sample video activities</a> from Chapter 10: “Information Literacy and Communication” in <i>Connections</i>, Second Edition</p>
<p>Personalized learning (1)</p>	<p><b>ACES Inventory.</b> Assign this easy-to-use self-assessment at the beginning of the term to give your students a norm-referenced report on their relative strengths and growth areas, compared to the average incoming college student. Students use this report to develop their own personal success plans for the course, and then can take ACES again at the end of the term to reflect on their growth.</p> <p>[ACES is available in the following products: <i>LaunchPad for Connections 2e</i>, <i>LaunchPad Solo for Connections Essentials</i>, <i>LaunchPad Solo for Step by Step 8e</i>, and <i>LaunchPad Solo for ACES</i>]</p>	<p>See <a href="#">How to Use ACES</a></p> <p>See <a href="#">ACES from the Beginning</a></p> <p>See <a href="#">The New ACES Progress Report</a></p> <p>See <a href="#">Connections: The Growth-Mindset Approach</a></p> 
<p>Personalized Learning (2)</p>	<p><b>LearningCurve.</b> Every LaunchPad for college success comes with a set of LearningCurve adaptive quizzes, that provides students with an opportunity to test what they know in a fun, game-like formative assessment. An eBook embedded within LearningCurve helps students read to answer the questions.</p>	<p>See <a href="#">Video: Take a tour with LearningCurve</a></p> 
<p>Social belonging</p>	<p><b>First-year reader.</b> Foster your sense of community with a thematic, common reading text from Macmillan trade.</p>	<p>See <a href="#">Macmillan Trade catalog</a></p> <p>See <a href="#">Places of Healing and Social Belonging</a></p>