

## Before Class Begins

What should you do before the first day of class?

- Verify that you can log into the LMS. If you cannot, contact [tech support](#).
- Read the syllabus. If the syllabus is not loaded into the LMS or you did not receive it via email, contact your instructor.
- Mark key dates from the syllabus on your calendar.
- Create a weekly schedule of when you will complete your work. Plan *at least* 9 hours per week for each 3-credit course.
- Complete any assignments due before the first day of class.
- Purchase your etext.
- Verify that you can access your etext, Teams, and any other software your instructor plans to utilize.
- Set up your study space.

Do not wait until the first day of class to log into the course! Get started at least one week ahead of the semester start date.