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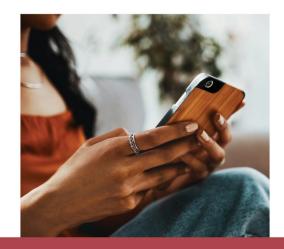
## **Mobile-Mindful:** Expanding Our Teaching and Learning Mindset

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Handout: tinyurl.com/MobileMindfulAHIMA 

#### MOBILE-MINDFUL TEACHING AND LEARNING

Harnessing the Technology That Students Use Most



Christina Moore Foreword by Jenae Cohn



#### **Learning Outcomes**

## At the completion of this educational activity, the learner will be able to:

- Broadly define "mobile-mindful" learning as a way to make learning flexible to students' various learning and life needs
- Reflect on themselves as mobile learners and the ways they use phones to leverage mobile learning and ways they could intentionally increase their mobile-mindful learning
- Discover ways to implement mobile-mindful learning options to their courses

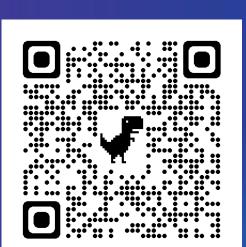
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## Why "mobile-mindful learning"?

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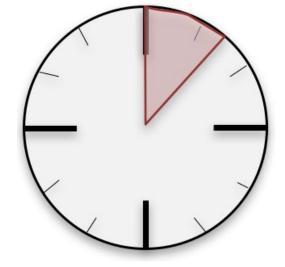
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Reach Everyone, Teach Everyone Universal Design for Learning in **Higher Education** 

Thomas J. Tobin and Kirsten T. Behling

"...think about all of the students whom we aren't yet reaching when they have a few minutes here and there throughout their day for learning." (Tobin & Behling, pp. 85-86)











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## Now Is the Time to Embrace Mobile Learning

Christina Moore Monday, June 22, 2020

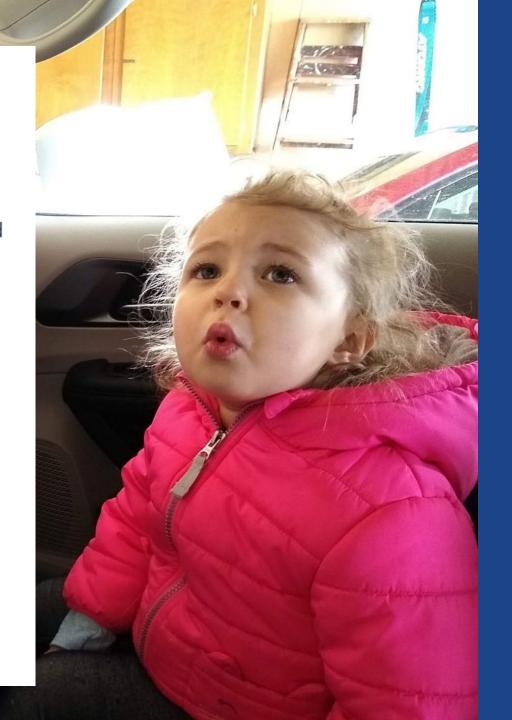
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# All of us want to use all of our technology better.

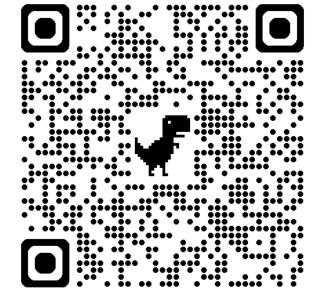


#### What We'll Do Today

- Broadly define "mobile-mindful" learning as a way to make learning flexible to students' various learning and life needs.
- Reflect on themselves as mobile learners and the ways they use phones to leverage mobile learning and ways they could intentionally increase their mobile-mindful learning.
- Take first steps in adding mobile-mindful learning options to their courses.
- The Real Goal: Be curious about bite-sized mobile-mindful learning.

## Activity: Assess Your Phone Behavior

Handout: tinyurl.com/MobileMindfulAHIMA



## **Defining Mobile Learners**

"..all people who use mobile technology on a daily basis for problem solving, information gathering, and social purposes regardless of their age—are mobile learners."

(Tobin & Behling, 2018, p. 79)



## "Mobile-Mindful"

- Aware of how learning happens all of the time, while we are in motion
- Intentional, "mindful" phone use
- Learning across devices (fluid learning, Fang, 2014)
- Taking advantage of the devices, time, and other resources students have

### Criticism: Phones are the enemy of attention.

Criticism Re-Framed: What if the source of our loathing was not necessarily being on our phone, but being on our phone *mindlessly*?

## Criticism: Phones reduce rather than expand learning.

Criticism Re-Framed: What if mobile learning opportunities provided the cognitive links that build toward complexity and critical thinking? Criticism: Phones are not compatible with our learning activities.

Criticism Re-Framed: What if our activities are more compatible than we think? Recommendations to Start Today or Soon

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#### How to Become a Mobile-Mindful Teacher

Instead of giving in to frustration over cellphones in the fall, maybe it's time to put them to good use in class.

By James M. Lang | MAY 15, 2023



"OK, I thought, I'll take the bait: How could I make a more mindful choice while waiting for my order? I swiped my screen over to my less-used apps, and tapped on the one that I use to learn ancient Greek. Within a minute I had forgotten about the pizza and was drilling myself on the aorist tense and on new vocabulary. Time devoted to my least-favorite activities — being on my phone and waiting around — became time devoted to my favorite thing: learning."

## RECOMMENDATION 2: Take a mobile test drive of your course.

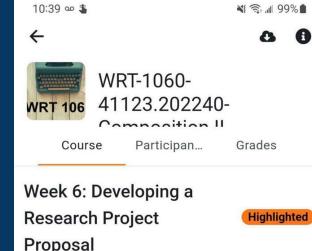


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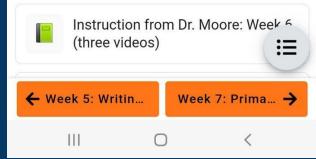
Oakland University, College of Arts and Sciences, Department of Writing and Rhetoric

#### Welcome, Writers!

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**October 4-10.** After practicing academic research and writing with a "mini inquiry" you will now plan a larger research project in which everyone chooses their topics, finds their sources, conducts their own original research, and creates an application for that research. During Week 6 you will complete a guided proposal that helps you make a feasible plan for success, which will benefit from one other's peer review before ultimately getting my approval to start the project. As part of this proposal and planning process, you will also book an appointment to meet with me during Conferences Week (October 23-28).



## RECOMMENDATION 3: Make current course content mobile-mindful.

RECOMMENDATION EXAMPLE: Provide reading and video time estimates, when appropriate.

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RECOMMENDATION EXAMPLE: **Curate content** into mobilemindful chunks.

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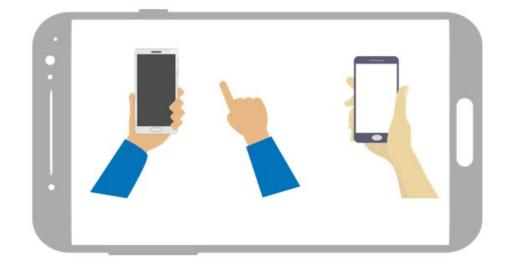
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RECOMMENDATION 4: Explicitly explain how learners can use their phones to carry out learning activities.

## RECOMMENDATION EXAMPLE: List

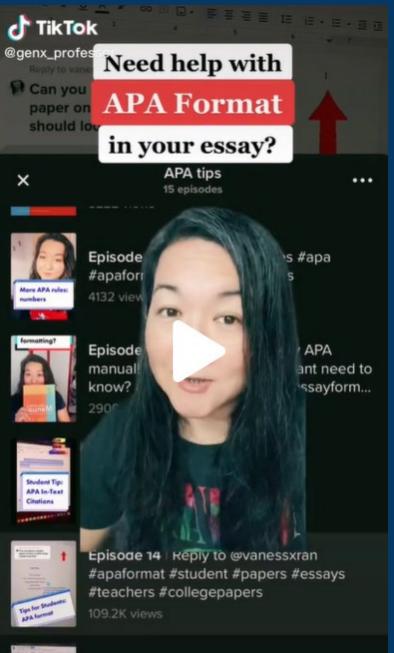
recommended apps in the syllabus.

#### Adding Mobile Apps, Engaging in Mobile Learning

No mobile apps are required for this course, but I recommend planning some that may help you attend to small tasks and frequent practice throughout the course, which can increase the likelihood of remembering and applying what you learn in your course. Writing ideas occur whether you are in front of a computer or not, so it is convenient to be able to use the phone in front of you. All of these apps are free and show minimal to no ads.

- Moodle: While Moodle works well on a mobile browser as well (Chrome, for example), the mobile app allows you to get notifications when I send messages, when you have received feedback on activities, and other timely notifications. You can also participate in some activities and check grades, although longer, more complex activities should be saved for a computer.
- YouTube: <u>Save our class YouTube playlist</u>, which will list any instructional videos I have for the course. I may also add helpful videos created by others.
  - Note: the audio file for all of my videos are curated in a Google Drive folder
- **Google Drive and Docs**: Since many of our files are Google Docs and are saved in Google Drive, I recommend having these apps to quickly check docs and take notes. Otherwise, use your favorite note-taking app.
- A task manager. Google Tasks works well with your Google-powered email and other accounts, but any task app will work to manage work for this course and other courses. Others include Todoist (all operating systems) or Reminders (Apple only).
- Otter, for Voice Notes: If you want to capture ideas via speaking, this app can transcribe your voice notes so that you can use them for writing later. Then, you can access these notes on your computer through your Otter.ai account. If you conduct interviews as a research form, this will be a very useful tool as well. Otherwise, use your favorite voice recording app.

**RECOMMENDATION 5**: **Browse pre-existing** content that works well for mobile learning. (videos, podcasts, short articles, social media accounts)





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## RECOMMENDATION 6: **Try one thing.** Example: Pre-Surveys to

begin the week in Google Forms.

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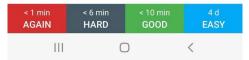
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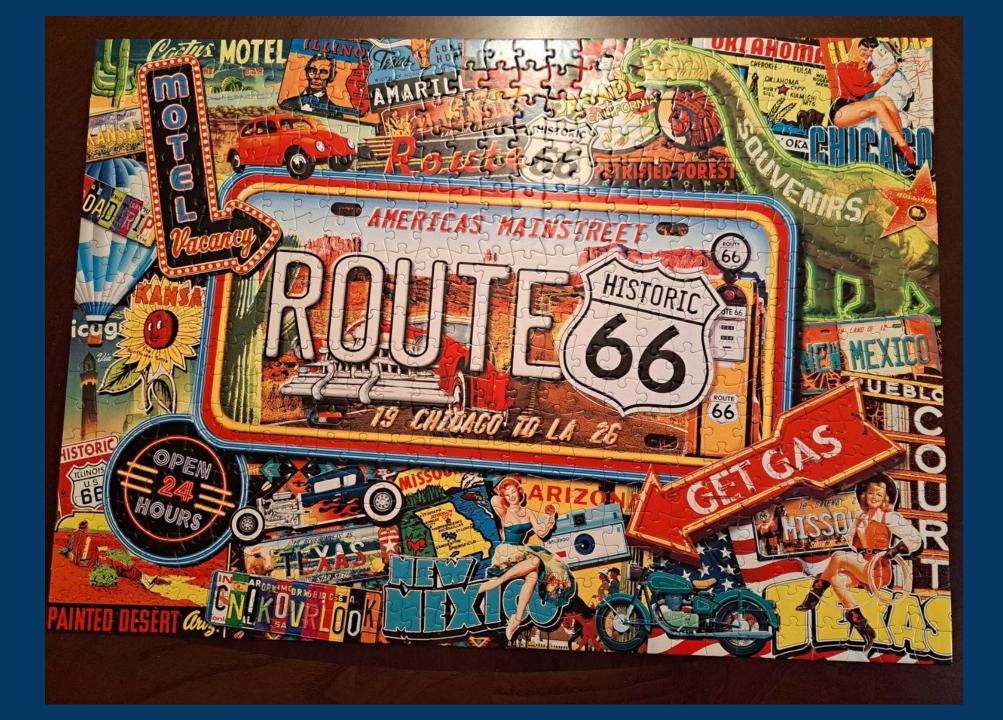
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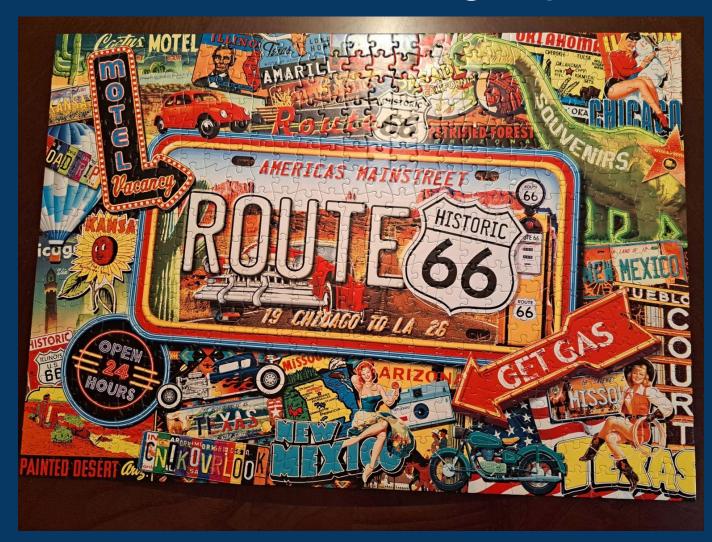
students creating digital flashcards on Anki Take a mindful approach: Notice mobile options and opportunities.

# Remember what it is like to learn piece by piece.





# It is difficult to remember what it is like to not know the larger picture.



# What are the smaller piles that can be greatly increased by mobile learning?

Review and reapplication of old concepts

(very small) Practice problems

Common strategies

Key

vocabulary

### **Activity: Exit Ticket**

- What makes you curious or intrigued by mobile-mindful learning?
- How would you like to be more mobilemindful?
- What application could mobile-mindful learning have in your courses?
- Which of the recommendations are worth trying?
- Write in tinyurl.com/MobileMindfulAHIMA or use the QR code to get to the Google Form.





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