

A Brief Discussion About Zoom

Covid-19 impacted our lives in ways we never thought were possible just over two years ago. Today we are still reeling from high case counts, shutdown restrictions and deaths but we now have vaccines. What Covid did do was to force all of us to do things differently. Change is always uncomfortable but it is also inevitable.

Zoom was an emerging technology that just happened to be coming on the scene and it's timing could not have been more perfect. Imagine, just like in "Star Trek" we now also have the ability to see people and talk to them live at almost zero cost anywhere in the *world* - "Beam me up, Scottie!".

Like all new technologies, Zoom can be intimidating and confusing. Heck, it took me several years to adapt to using a smart phone and now I have to learn Zoom!

As Sunrise Senior College is working to get back to more in-person classes, it is also apparent that Zoom, and technologies like it, are here to stay. They can help make your life better.

So as your SSC Board Chair, I invite you to take the plunge if you have not already done so. It will enable us to offer you material on subjects that we never could before. On this page are several links to short YouTube videos. Each one covers a different aspect of working with Zoom. Need to download it? Have a PC, tablet, iPad, iPhone, MacBook Pro or android tablet or phone? Why not take the time to explore and learn.

We have included a series of helpful links on using Zoom for anyone who is not sure. These cover topics for Apple products, Android and OS. I think you will find it is worth your time to watch any of the videos that might apply to you.

Please enjoy and we hope to see you in class soon,

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Tips for beginners on Zoom :

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=9isp3qPeQ0E>

Tips using Mac Ipad and MacBook and loading zoom

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Nzv7ox8u2pY>

Tips for using zoom on iPad

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=KL3fAvmKCMo>

Additional tips on zoom for iPad or iPhone

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=KIdodM2dvxA>

How to use zoom on an android phone or tablet

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=jCX0plut8gM>

Still need more guidance then click [Maine Senior College Zoom Tips](#)