



THE CROSSING BIBLE COLLEGE

Here's what you can expect in a typical class at The Crossing Bible College.

Each class is 8 weeks, and all assignments are submitted online. We deliver our courses through Canvas, a learning management system used by thousands of K-12 schools, colleges, and universities.

Each week of the course typically includes:

- A reading assignment from the course textbook, generally 30-50 pages.
- A 10-20 minute teaching video from a TCBC faculty member, and sometimes other short, interesting videos related to the week's study.
- A discussion assignment based on the week's reading. Discussion posts are always due on Thursday at midnight, and have a required minimum word count based on the "level" of the course (200-350 words). Students must also post responses to two classmates' posts by Sunday at midnight. Discussion assignments have an associated grading rubric to help you know exactly what expectations are. Discussion assignments are graded by the course professor.
- An open-book quiz based on the assigned reading. Some courses have quizzes every week, but in most courses it's every other week. The quizzes are timed and are graded automatically through Canvas.
- In Week 8, you will have a 3-5 page essay due instead of a discussion assignment. The essay is intended to help students apply what they've learned in the course to their own lives and personal areas of ministry. Essays are generally based on the assigned reading and do not require any outside research, though students may cite outside sources if they choose to. Like Discussions, Essay assignments have an associated grading rubric outlining expectations, and are graded by the professor.

There are no set times you need to be logged in. Everything is done at your own pace within the assigned week, as long as you meet the due dates. While each individual's pace varies, most students find that they are able to complete the required work in 3-8 hours per week.