

The Woodlands Stake

Seminary 2020/2021

Seminary – Follows the Come Follow Me Gospel Study

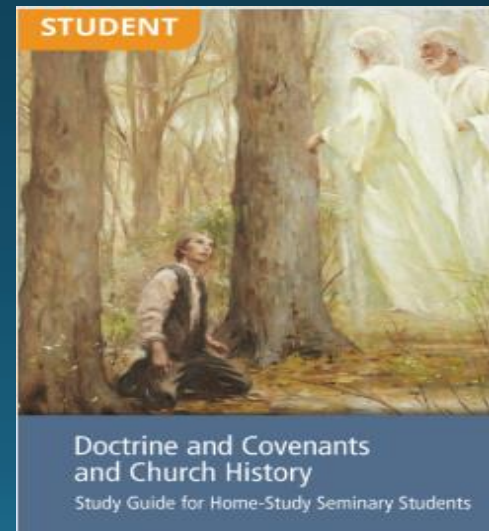
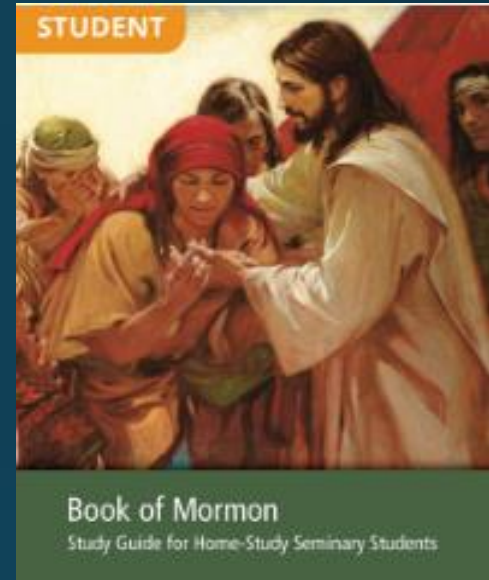
“There are three powerful things seminary can do:

First, it puts young people together who share the same values.

Second, it puts youth together with a teacher who has a testimony, and they can feel the fire of it when it is borne.

Third, seminary gets young people into the scriptures”

President Henry B. Eyring



The Woodlands Stake – Seminary Structure Calendar Year 2020/21

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
At Home On-Line Lesson	In Class	In Class	In Class	At Home On-Line Lesson

CES (Church Education System) has provided additional options moving forward related to Seminary Classes taught around the world including several hybrid Home Centered Church Supported schedules. As a Stake Presidency we have prayerfully selected the two at home on-line and three in class seminary schedule. We feel strongly that there are some important benefits in allowing our students to have an at home personal experience using the new Canvas On-Line Lesson Program as well as to meet together often with their peers and Seminary Teachers to feel the additional support as they study the scriptures through the Seminary Program.

*The Woodlands Stake does provide an On-line Only Class Option for those interested in that option

Seminary will require flexibility for the 2020/21 School year

Seminary Options for 2020 / 2021

In-Class + Online

Monday & Friday - Online;
Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday – In Class

Or

Online Only

COVID-19 Remote Learning Options:

Online/COVID Class type – These approved options were created in response to the shutdown of classes due to COVID-19 and are **found in the steps below**.

Video Conferencing – The use of a tool such as Zoom, Teams, WebEx, BigBlue Button, etc. to hold class remotely.

Week 1: August 17th

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Virtual Classes Only: Introductions and Class Welcome	Virtual Classes Only: Canvas Training and Review	Virtual Classes Only: On-Line Lesson	Virtual Classes Only: On-Line Lesson	Virtual Classes Only: On-Line Lesson

- Class and Teacher Introductions, Training on utilizing the Church's Canvas On-line Program, Lesson Reviews
- Technology based Zoom Lessons will have an early morning start time – Teachers will communicate to their Students
- Attendance will be recorded
- Virtual Classes Limited to 40 minutes

Weeks 2 & 3

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
On-Line Lesson	On-Line Lesson Or Virtual Class (Class Specific)	On-Line Lesson Or Virtual Class (Class Specific)	On-Line Lesson Or Virtual Class (Class Specific)	On-Line Lesson

- Technology based Zoom Lessons will have an early morning start time – Teachers will communicate to Students
- Teachers will provide specific direction and assignments for their class
- Attendance will be recorded
- Virtual Zoom Classes will be limited to 40 minutes and be held at least once a week during Weeks 2 & 3

~ Week of Sept 8th

(or when in-class school resumes according to the School Districts)

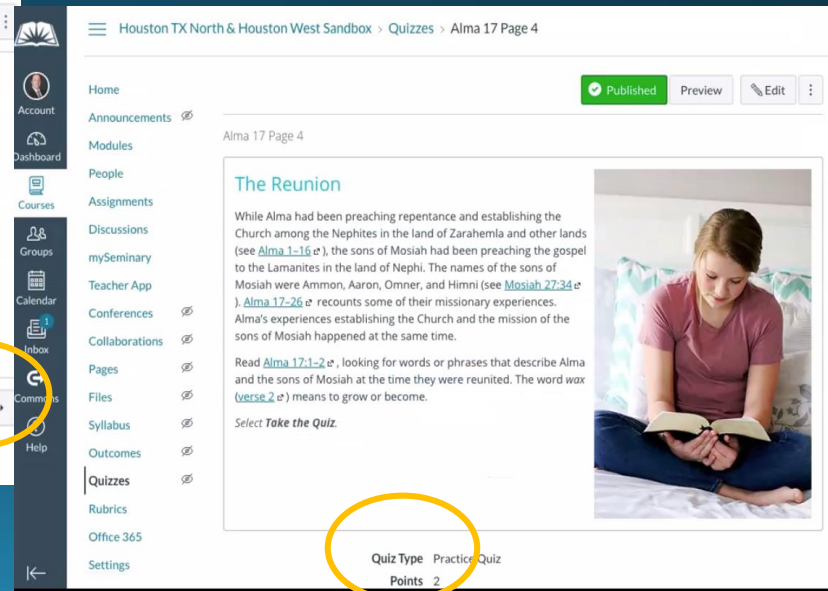
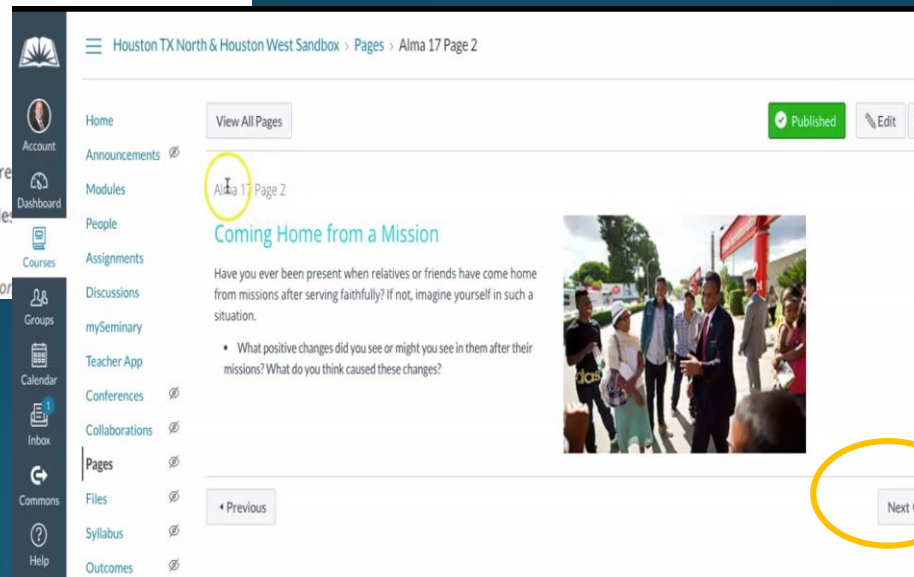
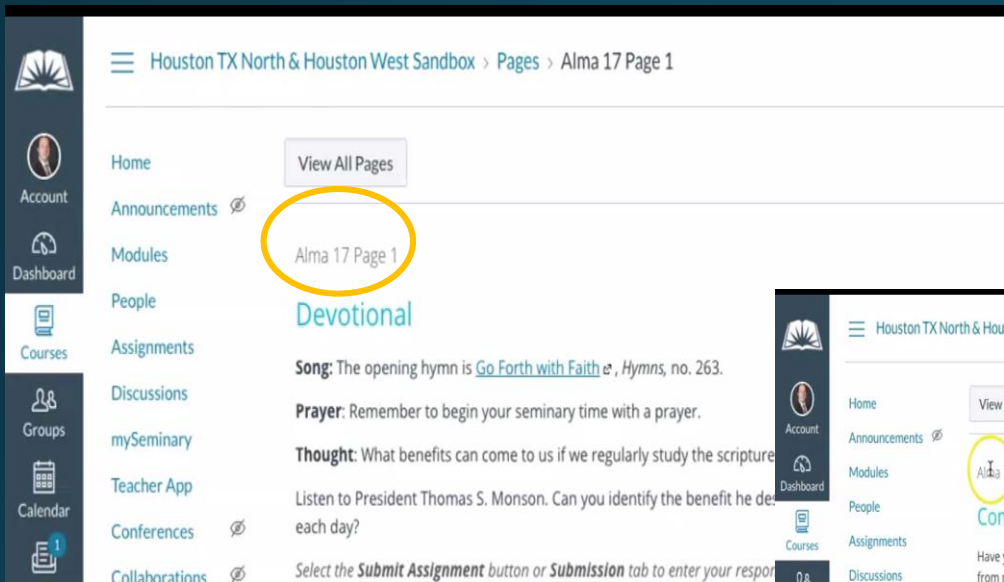
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On-Line Lesson	In Person	In Person	In Person	On-Line Lesson

- For the month of September one day per week will be an in person class
- Branch Crossing Classes will meet in Gym, Chapel and RS Room
- Proper safety guidelines will be followed as outlined by Area leadership for the in-class lessons

*If school district guidelines are updated, and in class restrictions are extended, we will continue with online/virtual classes.

Seminary Enhancements For Both In-Person and On-Line Classes

Students can access their Online Lessons at:
silearn.churchofjesuschrist.org



Each Student has 24 Hours to complete their Daily On-Line Lesson

Seminary Summary

- Each Student has been assigned to a Class with an Assigned Teacher
- Course credit is earned when students complete a semester of seminary by attending at least 75% of the class sessions and completing a semester assessment with a minimum passing grade of 75%.
- Completed Reading Assignments are required for Seminary Graduation
- Make up work opportunities will be provided as needed by Teachers
- The Church's Canvas On-Line Study Program will be used for all On-line Lessons for all Students
- Zoom Classes, when held, will be no longer than 40 mins
- For all in Person Classes we will follow all safety and health protocols provided by our Area Presidency as we have been doing in our Sacrament Meetings
- In Person Classes will be held in RS Room, Gym and or Chapel

Pressing forward....#HearHim

- If you have any questions related to what we discussed this evening class assignments or other Seminary related questions, please reach out to your Seminary Teacher or contact Brother Boren Brady bradyboren7@gmail.com or Brother Joshua Read jayread81@yahoo.com
- We will also be placing these slides on our Stake Website at twstake.org
- Questions related to Seminary Graduation Requirements and other FAQ's can be found on the Church's Seminary Website:
www.churchofjesuschrist.org/si/seminary

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