











Classify Your Course

Course features often vary by the type of course you're enrolled in, whether in-person, hybrid, or online. Understanding the features of your course can help you better plan for success in your course environment. Take a look at the table below for some of the similarities and differences between in-person, hybrid, and online courses and their course components.

	 In-person	 Blended & Hybrid <small>(In-person & Online)</small>	 Remote or Online
 Time spent in class	Usually multiple sessions in classroom per week.	Generally one in-person class session per week or every few weeks. Check with instructor for in-person class schedule.	No time in physical classroom. Most work completed online
 Class session	Lecture, in-class discussion, & activities.	Often in-class activities, example problems, group work.	Class sessions may be synchronous or asynchronous. OR there may be no class sessions, with online modules with a range of course materials to review.
 Lecture content	Presentation style in classroom.	Often readings, videos, or other content assigned for study prior to in-person class session.	Varied remote and online lecture formats. These could be synchronous lectures, asynchronous videos, or other content assigned on Canvas.
 Readings	Completed prior to class session.	Usually completed prior to class session.	Completed at specific point in module or prior to synchronous class session.
 Assignments	Completed online or in class.	Most completed online.	Most completed online. In some remote classes, work may be completed during synchronous class sessions.
 Interaction with Instructor	Office hours, Canvas, email, announcements, or assignment feedback.	Office hours, Canvas, email, announcements, or assignment feedback.	Office hours, Canvas, email, announcements, or assignment feedback.
 Office Hours	Held weekly on a scheduled day and time. May be held in-person, via web conference, or by phone.	Held weekly on a scheduled day and time. May be held in-person, via web conference, or by phone.	Held weekly or by appointment via web conference or by phone.

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