# **BLENDED CONTENT**

### **ONLINE TESTING**

Combines both online and in-person course content and activities with online testing. In-person contact is only used for demonstrations and activities where physical distancing can be followed.

### EXAMPLES OF OPTIONAL ONLINE CONTENT

Instructors can elect to deliver some course content online based on the resource needs of the class.

- Course readings, materials
- Research Articles
- Lectures and other videos (prerecorded or synchronous with Zoom Meeting)
- Podcasts

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### TYPES OF ACTIVITIES TO SUPPORT IN-PERSON LEARNING

- in-class lectures
- Problem-based learning activities
- Concept maps
- Case analysis
- Simulations
- Cooperative learning activities (brainstorming, roundtable)
- Active Learning Activities (think-pairshare, minute paper, note review)

#### **EXAMPLES OF ONLINE TESTING**

- Informal Assessment tools
  - Polling Tools (Zoom polling; Google forms)
  - Blackboard Tools
  - Respondus
- Formal Assessment Tools
  - Blackboard Test Generator
  - Gradescope

#### Formal Assessment that are not exams

- Recorded Presentations
- Performances & demonstrations
- Written essays & reports
- Data Anaylsis
- Problem Sets & equations

### PEDAGOGICAL CONSIDERATIONS

- Requires intentional preparation and organization of course content.
- Consider instructional continuity: Online and in-person content and activities should align with course goals.
- The instructor should be comfortable using online tools for assessment.
- Students should be comfortable using the specific online tools for assessment.
- Students should have consistent access to online content.
- Consider the amount of time students will need to complete online activities and to learn online content.
- Evaluate whether online assessment tools prioritize Universal Design standards.
- Ensure students have access and knowledge to perform online assessment activities.