Fall 2020 Methods of Instruction

Are all classes online for Fall 2020?

Most classes will be offered online/remote. However, there may be a few that require some in-person instruction.

What is the difference between an “Online” class, a “Remote Instruction” class, and a class that has an actual room location?

ONLINE

• Your class is fully online conducted through Canvas.
• There will not be an in-person/on-campus component to the class.
• You will be able to communicate with your instructor and classmates through Canvas.
• You will likely be working through the material such as watching videos, reading online lectures, participating in discussion boards, and other assessments. This will be done independently while following the instructor’s weekly deadlines.
• While the instructor may schedule live online lectures/activities to help you through the material, there is not an official time for the class to meet.
• Contact the instructor for more information. (For a list of instructor emails, click here.)

REMOTE INSTRUCTION

• Your class will be conducted online through Canvas.
• There will not be an in-person/on-campus component to the class.
• You will be able to access some course materials and communicate with your instructor and classmates through Canvas.
• The course may include real-time class sessions using platforms such as Zoom.
• If the instructor schedules real-time class sessions, they will be held during the days and times listed in the schedule of classes.
• If you are unable to attend the real-time sessions, they may be recorded so that you may view them at a later time.
• Contact the instructor for more information. (For a list of instructor emails, click here.)
ROOM LOCATION SPECIFIED

- Plan to be available during the regularly scheduled class times, as *your class may be scheduled to meet on campus*.
- Classes may be modified to accommodate for social distancing and other safety guidelines.
- The District is monitoring the COVID-19 crisis and is working with the Department of Public Health to determine whether and how these classes can occur in an in-person format.
- Contact the instructor or the dean overseeing the area if you have any questions. (For a list of instructor emails, [click here](#). For a list of division deans, [click here](#).)

How do I know whether my class is being offered online, remote or on campus?

**STEP 1:** Go to [www.riohondo.edu](http://www.riohondo.edu). Find the [Class Schedule](#) icon, and then click on the class schedule to find the class you are enrolled in or are thinking of enrolling in.

**STEP 2:** Look at the location column to find out if your class is online, remote, or on-campus.

*For online classes,* you will see the word ONLINE or ONLINE 000 in the location field:

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*For remote classes,* you will see the words REMOTE INSTRUCTION or REMOTE INSTRUCTION 000 in the location field:

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For **on-campus** classes, you will see a **room location specified** in the location field:

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