

Cornell University Office of the University Registrar

A Guide to Fall 2020 Enrollment

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What is an instruction mode?

- Instruction Mode refers to the manner in which typical classroom activities involving instructors and students are provided, such as lectures, discussions and labs.
- Instruction Mode does not refer to out-of-class requirements such as homework, reading, studying, writing assignments, or exams.

Instruction Modes for students planning to be in Ithaca

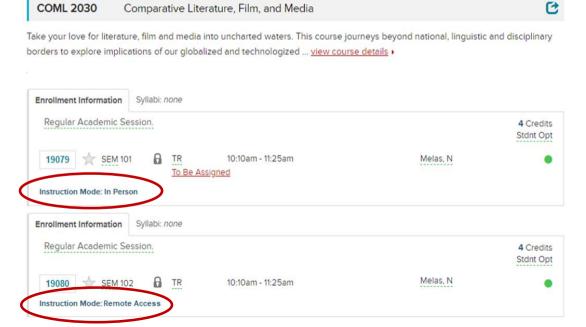
Class Roster Description	Brief Definition and Examples	Enrollment Restriction
In Person	Content that is delivered via in-person, face-to-face instruction. All required class meetings occur on campus, during scheduled meeting times. Only 7-week courses that conclude prior to Thanksgiving fall into this category.	Only students located in Ithaca area can enroll
In Person with transition to Online	Begins with in-person instruction during scheduled meeting times, followed by a <u>transition to online instruction after</u> <u>Thanksgiving</u> until the end of the semester for all students.	Only students located in Ithaca area can enroll
Hybrid – Online & In Person	Content that <u>combines in-person instruction</u> during scheduled meeting times with <u>online learning</u> , using a rotational attendance model (e.g., class is split in half and students alternate between participating in person and online). Instruction transitions to online instruction for all students after Thanksgiving until the end of the semester. <u>Some in person activity is required</u> . O Students will receive rotational attendance information from academic department once details are determined.	Only students located in Ithaca area can enroll
Online	Content that is delivered completely online, with portions delivered synchronously at a prescheduled course meeting time. There is no physical classroom. O Students in the Ithaca area will be expected to take in-person examinations associated with online courses.	No restrictions, unless specified by academic department
Distance Learning Asynchronous	All students and instructors interact online. Involves well-designed, pre-recorded content and curated asynchronous interaction. Content is accessed by students at <u>unspecified times</u> . Students in the Ithaca area will be expected to take in-person examinations associated with distance learning asynchronous courses.	No restrictions, unless specified by academic department
Directed Research	Research work supervised by an advisor or faculty member. Delivery varies.	No restrictions, unless specified by academic department
Independent Studies	Research work supervised by an advisor or faculty member. Delivery varies.	No restrictions, unless specified by academic department

Instruction Modes for students <u>not</u> planning to be in Ithaca

Class Roster Description	Brief Definition and Examples	Enrollment Restriction
Remote Access	Remote access classes will be scheduled for most In Person, In Person with transition to Online, and Hybrid classes as a supplementary enrollment option for students unable to attend in-person classes meetings because they will remain outside of the Ithaca area for the entire Fall 2020 semester or are in the Ithaca area and have decided to opt-out of all in-person, oncampus activities (both curricular and extracurricular). O Remote Access sections of courses are not available for a subset of courses for which: (a) there are online equivalents in which students can enroll instead (e.g., when there are both in-person and online versions of a class meeting); or (b) the department has deemed it not possible for students to satisfactorily meet learning goals if enrolled remotely for the entire duration of the course, for example when physical access to facilities or materials is essential for meeting learning goals.	Only students not located in the Ithaca area can enroll
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Example: In Person and Remote Access

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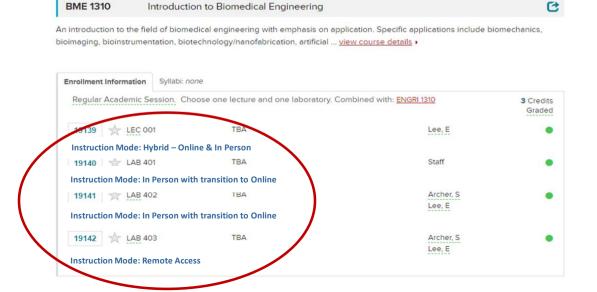
This listing shows that the modality of the course is fully **In Person**, which means it is a 7-week (first session) course. There is also a **Remote Access** section of the course for students enrolling in the Fall 2020 semester from outside the Ithaca area.

Example: Online

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Online	<u>Content that is delivered completely online</u> , with portions delivered synchronously at a <u>prescheduled course meeting time</u> . There is no physical classroom. Students in the Ithaca area will be expected to take in person examinations.	. No restrictions, unless specified by academic department
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Example: Hybrid – Online & In Person lecture with both In Person with transition to Online and Remote Access labs

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Timeline

Friday, August 7

- Course List posted, includes course subject, catalog number, title, and instruction mode
- Note: Data about the number of <u>credit hours</u> associated with courses is not yet complete, and course list does not yet contain information about subset of courses for which <u>Remote Access</u> will not be available

Friday, August 14

Course List updated with meeting times, credit hours, and Remote Access information

Monday, August 24

Class Roster/Schedule of Classes will go live

• Last week of August

Enrollment begins

Questions?

- Advising
 - https://covid.cornell.edu/students/advising/
- College Registrar
 - https://registrar.cornell.edu/service-resources/college-registrardirectory
- Office of University Registrar
 - https://registrar.cornell.edu/