

What programs are fully online?

College of Arts and Sciences

- MA - Gerontology
- MA - International Relations
- MS - Environmental Management
- MS - Science Management & Leadership
- BA - Religion and Global Society
- BS - Nursing (RN to BSN)
- Certificate - Gerontology (Graduate)
- Certificate - Science Management and Leadership (Graduate)
- Certificate - Professional Writing (Undergraduate)

School of Business & Technology

- Master of Business Administration (MBA)
- MA - Business & Organizational Security Management
- MA - Human Resources Development
- MA - Human Resources Management
- MA - Information Technology Management
- MA - Management & Leadership
- MA - Procurement & Acquisitions Management
- MS - Finance
- MS - Space Systems Operations Management
- BA - Management *
- BA - General Studies
- BA - Data Analytics *
- Certificate - Data Analytics (Undergraduate)
- Certificate - Government Contracting (Graduate)
- Certificate - Cybersecurity "Threat Detection" (Graduate)
- Certificate - Project Management (Graduate)
- Certificate - Global Business (Graduate)
- Certificate - Web Site Development (Undergraduate)
- Certificate - Web Site Design (Undergraduate)
- One Year MBA

School of Communications

- MA - Media Communications
- MA - Communications Management
- MA - Public Relations
- MA - Advertising & Marketing Communications
- BA - Media Communications *

School of Education

- MA - Communication Arts
- MA - Education & Innovation
- MA - Multimodal Literacy for Global Impact
- MA - Teaching English as a Second Language
- Master of Educational Technology (MET)
- Education Specialist (Ed.S.)
 - Educational Leadership
 - Educational Technology
 - School Systems, Superintendent, and Leadership
- Certificate - Applied Behavior Analysis (Graduate)
- Certificate - Education for Global Sustainability (Graduate)
- Certificate - Leadership in Tiered Systems of Support: RTI and PBIS (Graduate)
- Certificate - Mobile Technology in Education (Graduate)
- Certificate - Online Teaching and Learning (Graduate)
- Certificate - Pedagogical Coordination in the Reggio Emilia Approach
- Certificate - Psychoeducational Needs of Immigrant and Refugee Youth (Graduate)
- Certificate - Teaching English as a Foreign Language (Graduate)
- Certificate - Teaching Globalization & History

*Undergraduate programs are considered degree completion programs, requiring an associate's degree or 64 hours of transferrable credit for admission.

Important Contact Information

Inquiries about admissions

(855) 241-7373

JoinUsOnline@webster.edu

Inquiries about academic advising and registration

School of Education programs

School of Education

(800) 753-6765 or (314) 246-8007

soe@webster.edu

All other programs

Academic Advising

(800) 982-3847 or (314)

968-6972 advising@webster.edu

Questions about payment for online courses

University Business Office

(800) 981-9803 or (314) 968-7410

Questions about student loans, grants, or scholarships

Financial Aid

(800) 983-4623 or (314) 968-6992

All other questions

Please call Online Student Services and Support

(866) 622-0888 or (314) 246-8746

studyonline@webster.edu

Tuition & Fees 2015-2016

Graduate

School of Education	\$605 USD per credit hour
All Other Schools/Colleges	\$755 USD per credit hour
Active Duty Military	\$470 USD per credit hour

Undergraduate

All Schools/Colleges	\$665 USD per credit hour
Active Duty Military	\$250 USD per credit hour

Additional Fees

Application Fee	\$50 USD Graduate \$35 USD Undergraduate <i>*both nonrefundable</i>
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Candidacy / Graduation Fee \$75 USD

Lab / Textbooks / Course materials vary per class.

Tuition and fees are subject to change each academic year.

Webster UNIVERSITY



Online Degree Programs

www.webster.edu/online

Frequently

Asked

Questions

What is online learning?

Online learning uses technology to deliver course content and enable communication between instructor and students. Webster University's asynchronous format allows you to log in at any time to complete assignments and participate in class discussions. For more information about online learning at Webster, visit olc.webster.edu/preview.

Is online learning effective?

Research over the past several decades has shown that there is no significant difference in the academic success of students in distance learning programs vs. face to face programs.

Can I combine face to face classes with online courses?

Yes. You can combine face to face and online classes to complete your degree.

Are the online programs accredited?

Webster University is accredited by the Higher Learning Commission of the North Central Association of Colleges and Schools.

Is online learning effective?

Webster University's online courses are taught by the same distinguished faculty who teach our face to face classes.

What are the admission requirements and how do I apply for the online program?

The admissions requirements are the same as traditional classroom programs. Apply online at: webster.edu/admissions.

How are online courses delivered to the students?

Webster University's WorldClassRoom delivers online course content in a secure virtual classroom environment. The WorldClassRoom utilizes a variety of tools to facilitate interaction between students, instructors, and course content for successful learning.

How much computer expertise do I need?

You should be comfortable using the computer to save, retrieve, and download files, use MS Office Suite programs, and search the Internet. Online courses will not teach you how to operate a computer or use software applications.

Do I need to buy a new computer, upgrade any of my software, or change to high-speed Internet access?

Please see the technical requirements in the Quick Start guide at olc.webster.edu/faq.

Do the online courses require textbooks and how do I obtain them?

All of the online courses utilize textbooks. Additional information is located at: webster.edu/online/students/textbooks.html

How do I obtain syllabi for online courses?

Assignment and test dates as well as grading information vary by each class depending on the objectives and goals set by the instructor. Students are able to access the specific syllabus once they are able to log into the class, on the Friday prior to the start of the term.

How are the exams and tests administered?

There are several ways to administer exams in online classes, however, students are not required to have exams proctored or go to a testing center.

The online program offers the flexible schedule that I need but I'm concerned that it may lack the "human" contact in a face to face course.

The online courses at Webster University incorporate many opportunities for interaction in the online learning environment. Courses utilize such tools as internal course email, chat, and online discussions to facilitate interaction between the instructor and students. Student services and support are also available for online students. Questions? studyonline@webster.edu or call (866) 622-0888.

What is the length of each course?

Generally, online courses are nine weeks in length and eight weeks for undergraduate and School of Education courses.

When can I begin my online course? Do online courses have real time deadlines?

Online courses have the same start and end term dates as face to face classes. Online courses are not independent study or self-paced study courses. All classes have specific weekly deadlines for assignments that must be met in order to successfully complete the course.

How many students are allowed in an online course?

Online courses average 16-18 students per section to maximize student participation.

Do I have to log in at a certain time?

No, Webster University employs an asynchronous format which allows students to login at their convenience. However, students are encouraged to login daily to obtain assignments and participate in course discussions.

How do I register for an online course?

You can register for online courses by using one of the following methods:

- Your local Webster University campus
- Academic Advising (Main Campus)
- Self registration through Connections (excluding first term students)

What should I do after registering for an online course?

Go to olc.webster.edu/preview and click on the checklist tab. This checklist provides direction regarding how to prepare for online courses and resources and training opportunities available.

When can I log into my online course?

Online courses are available after noon central time (CST) on the Friday prior to the official start of the term.

Tips for Successful Online Learning

- Make use of trainings and resources provided prior to the start of your first online course at Webster.
- After you login, read the entire course syllabus and familiarize yourself with the instructor's expectations for the course.
- Set goals and deadlines for the course and regularly evaluate your progress towards goals and deadlines
- Communicate with the instructor at regular intervals throughout the course.
- Log into the course everyday to participate in class discussions, access assignments, and other pertinent information.
- Practice 'netiquette'- give the same amount of respect to classmates and the instructor that you would in a face to face course.