



Online Exam Strategies



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Hosting Exams Online

Below are some best practices, recommendations, tips and tricks to help you move your exams to an online platform via your LMS or a publishers platform.

Some Best Practices



Same as Class Time

All students take the exam at the same time. Class time with +/- 4-6 minutes before and after



Pooled Questions

Organize random pooled questions in LMS or Publishers platforms.



Algorithmic Questions

Create questions in LMS using formulas to change numbers. Publisher Platforms can select these questions.



Alternative Exam Formats

Consider an oral exam via Zoom or upload by video, poster submission for an exam, projects in lieu of exams.



Exam Time Limit

Make the exam as close to class time. For example, 50-minute class aim for a 40-45 minute exam.



Practice Exam

May give a practice exam or quiz as a trial run



Variety

Don't be bound by T/F or MC. Consider short answer or essays or comprehensive problems as questions



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Relax. Be flexible and understanding. Be your **FABULOUS** Self.