Best Practices in Course Materials

NDSU Bookstore
Search Opportunities

• Collect adoption system
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- Faculty Center Network (www.facultycenter.net(fc_home.php)
We still do Print!

- New/Used
- Rentals/PCRs
- Coursepacks
  - NDSU Print & Copy Services
  - LAD Custom Publishing
Inclusive Access

How Inclusive Access Works

Each Inclusive Access program is chosen and designed by your instructor, most include these eight milestones.

1. A professor adopts a title and a digital learning tool like My MathLab / Connect.
2. Digital course materials are integrated directly into Blackboard.
3. Students who are enrolled in an Inclusive Access course are automatically billed prior to the start of classes.
4. Students are notified they have until the opt-out deadline to opt-out of their course materials.
5. On the first day of class students click the course materials links in Blackboard to access their resources.
6. Students who drop a course before the opt-out deadline are automatically refunded.
7. The NDSU Bookstore deactivates accounts for students who chose to opt-out.
8. Students who opted-out are refunded for their course materials and are responsible for obtaining course materials independently.

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Inclusive Access

• **What is IA?**
  - eBook and courseware options available
  - Quick implementation
  - Avoid paper shortages and transit issues
  - Student opt-out rate remains low

• **Spring 2022**
  - Nearly 1 in 5 sections were Inclusive Access
    - 270 items for over 650 sections!
  - 2/3 of students used at least one IA item
  - 40% increase in items
  - Average text price decreased 10% across all course materials (IA + non-IA) to $54.84
Inclusive Access

• Fall 2022
  ➢ Item count has nearly doubled
  ➢ Final stats to come!

• Blackboard Link
Low-cost/Free

- IA print supplements
- NDSU Libraries
- OER
  - OpenStax
  - Link Information
  - No-cost/low-cost designation
  - Student Government ORB
Art/Supply + Tech

- Art/Supply items
  - Kits
  - Specialized notebooks
- Technology items
  - Calculators
  - Echo360/Top Hat
Fall 2022

- Fall is 82% complete
- Watch for personalized link email if not yet submitted
  - Include Art & Supply and Technology items as well
  - No text? There’s a button for that!
  - Course/Section cancelled? There’s a button for that too!
- **Information = student savings and one-stop shopping!**
  - Student Charging/Financial Aid
  - Price Comparison tool
  - Blackboard Link
How can we help you?

• Let’s meet!
  ➢ In-store
  ➢ Your office
  ➢ Teams/Zoom
  ➢ Email
    • Course Materials/Supplies - alicia.laferriere@ndsu.edu
    • General Supplies/Technology - brad.sonmor@ndsu.edu

• Other contacts
  ➢ Publisher reps
  ➢ Desk/Exam Copies

• Experiential student projects
Questions?