

Flex Recovery & Cohort Course Comparison

Criteria	Traditional (Cohort) Model	Flex Course Model
Students	Any student meeting pre-requisites (if any)	All students meeting pre-requisites (if any)
Course Length & Schedule	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 12 and 16 weeks 10 weeks Custom Session by request of district with 12 student minimum 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Flexible length courses – 6 to 20 weeks to complete, depending on start date and student pace. Custom Session by request of district with 12 student minimum
Extensions	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Student grade must be at least 50% Extension length – 14 days 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Students must be 50% complete Extension length – 14 days Students may re-enroll and have work carried over to the next term if credit is not earned by course end date.
Prescriptive Pretesting	Not Present	Each Module begins with a pre-test. Students demonstrating mastery may be exempted from some assignments
NCAA Approved	Yes	No
Assignments	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> A balance of teacher and computer graded assignments 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> A balance of teacher and computer graded assignments
Student to Student Interaction	Frequent and required in teacher monitored Discussion Board forums	Not present
Teacher Communication	Regular and consistent email, text, chat, video and phone	Regular and consistent email, text, chat, video and phone
E-Tutoring	Synchronous tutoring available for all courses at varying times during the day/evening	Synchronous tutoring available for all courses at varying times during the day/evening
Progress Reports	Sent after each completed unit to student, site coordinator and parent	Sent every 2 weeks to student, site coordinator and parent
Exams	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Typically one proctored final exam worth 20% of overall grade Students not completing final exam will receive a 10% in the course 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Up to 2 proctored exams 2 Discussion Based Assessments (oral assessments w/teacher) Up to 2 exam attempts - If the student does not pass in 2 attempts an alternate assessment will be created for the student