How can we support students with online learning?



We need to be mindful that students might feel isolated and disconnected at this challenging time and hence it is important we support students' emotional wellbeing along with the technical support for participation and engagement in online learning.

Online socialisation

It is important for us to consider when we teach remotely, there is a risk that students might feel like their online space is being encroached upon by their teachers and peers, as the line between students' online private lives and their online university lives becomes blurred. This risk can be mitigated by attempting to understand how your students, and you, engage in various online spaces.



Knowledge construction

Access and motivation



For learning based on social-constructivist principles to really flourish, members of your community need to feel confident as independent learners, contributors and collaborators. This is true whether learning takes place in physical or online spaces. Our students need additional scaffolded support to enable them to engage effectively in active, social and collaborative online learning.