## ISTEU 2024-2025 COURSE CATALOG

ISTE U will give you encouragement and resources to transform your classroom and strengthen learning for your students. There are so many wonderful resources and specific activities that you can immediately bring into your classroom. It is very practical and not just theory.

–TIFFANY M. Teacher Rochester, Minnesota



#### **About ISTE U**

ISTE U is a virtual hub of bestin-class professional learning courses to help educators build critical skills for teaching and learning in a digital world. Sharpen your skills, advance your career and accelerate innovation in your school with these flexible online courses.

#### Enroll a Team and Save!

Professional development is more effective when you learn with others. Save 25% on registration when you enroll 10 or more educators in an ISTE U course. For large groups, ask about our private course cohorts with custom dates and access to reporting data!

#### **BEFORE YOU BUY,**

Join ISTE and save 25% on all courses.

#### Not a Member?

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# INSTRUCTOR-LED COURSES

These 15-hour courses are facilitated by an expert in the field who provides guidance, feedback and reminders throughout the course session. Instructor-led courses are offered three times per year in spring, summer and fall. Private cohorts are available for groups of 20+.

15 HOURS

#### INSTRUCTOR-LED COURSES



## Artificial Intelligence Explorations and Their Practical Use in Schools

Al is no longer the stuff of the future; help today's students prepare to interact with Al in both their personal and professional lives.

To prepare students for success, educators need to under-stand how artificial intelligence (AI) technologies can be leveraged to facilitate learning and solve realworld prob-lems. In this course, you'll learn to identify the various types of AI, hear about AI technologies on the horizon, and build some of your own tools to make AI concrete and accessible for you and your students.

Length: 15 hours • Price: \$249.00

iste.org/AlCourse

#### **Exploring Future Ready Librarianship: Practices for the Emerging Leader**

Discover how librarians play an essential role in bringing teaching and learning into the digital age.

The new breed of librarian still helps students with research and finding the perfect resource, but today they're often found showing students how to use technology, helping learn-ers detect whether information is from a trustworthy source, and facilitating schoolwide training on edtech. Though this course, you'll reflect on current librarian and media specialist practice; identify areas for professional inquiry and growth; explore the Future Ready Librarians™ framework; and create and implement a personal action plan to lead from the library.

Length: 15 hours • Price: \$249.00

iste.org/FRLCourse



#### Launch Into Learning Sciences: How Learning Works

Understand how we learn, what we can do to improve learning, and why some instructional strategies work better than others.

Learning is a complex process that involves your brain, your personal history, your entire body, and your environment. Developed as part of ISTE's learning sciences initiative, Course of Mind, this course provides an introduction to the learning sciences for educators and edtech and instruction-al specialists. The primary intent of the course is to help educators use the learning sciences to make learning more effective, efficient, and inclusive, both with and without educational technology.

#### Length: 15 hours • Price: \$249.00





#### **Digital Citizenship in Action**

Learn to create thoughtful, empathetic digital citizens who can wrestle with the important ethical questions at the inter-section of technology and humanity.

Digital citizenship is about more than online safety. In this course, you'll learn how to teach and model digcit so you can help students be responsible and active in online communities. The course starts with the basics and moves outward to guide you in exploring various sets of learning standards, identifying frameworks for digcit education, integrating digcit across con-tent areas, and even sharing how students can connect online to participate in social justice and sustainability projects.

#### Length: 15 hours • Price: \$249.00

iste.org/DigcitCourse

### Introduction to Computational Thinking for Every Educator

## Unpack how CT is an essential skill that can be integrated throughout subject areas and grade levels.

In the digital age, computational thinking (CT) is an essential skill for students and educators alike. This systematic approach to solving problems is at the foundation of not just computer science, but many other subject areas - and careers - as well. Developed with support from Google, this course will help you increase your awareness of CT, experiment with CT-integrated activities for the subject areas you teach, and create a plan to incorporate CT into your curricula.

#### Length: 15 hours • Price: \$249.00

iste.org/CTCourse

## ISTE U District Partnerships

Enroll a cohort of educators in an ISTE U course to scale your impact! Enrolling as a cohort allows a group of teachers to develop a shared language and a shared foundation of knowledge. ISTE partners with districts to design private cohort experiences with custom dates and content, a dedicated instructor, and access to a reporting dashboard.

Learn more at **iste.org/isteu**!

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# SELF-PACED COURSES

Quickly update your teaching toolkit by choosing the topics that meet your needs no matter how busy your schedule! These 2- to 5-hour courses are open year-round for individuals and groups.

2-5 HOURS

# SELF-PACED COURSES

#### **Designing Online Learning Experiences**

Design and facilitate effective, engaging and impactful lessons in virtual or blended classrooms.

This course helps educators incorporate student agency and autonomy into online lessons, as well as design and facilitate effective, engaging and impactful content and lessons for a digital or blended classroom.

#### Length: 2 hours • Price: \$25.00

iste.org/DesignCourse

#### **Assessing Learning in Online Environments**

Incorporate meaningful feedback and assessments into your online teaching practice.

Assessments and feedback are critical components of high-quality online learning. This course helps educators leverage digital tools to provide meaningful feedback and incorporate valuable formative assessments into their online teaching.

#### Length: 2 hours • Price: \$25.00

iste.org/AssessCourse

#### **Designing for Inclusion**

Tailor instruction to meet individual students' needs with the Universal Design for Learning framework.

How can we as educators plan and design learning experiences that are welcoming, accessible, and engaging for the widest range of learners? In this course, educators explore how to use Universal Design for Learning (UDL) to design learning spaces for all learners.

#### Length: 2 hours • Price: \$25.00

iste.org/InclusionCourse

#### **Digital Literacy in the Classroom**

Help students grow the digital literacy skills they need to be successful in work, empowered as citizens and fulfilled in life.

This course guides educators in developing and using digital literacy skills to support learners' development as digital citizens across the curriculum.

#### Length: 5 hours • Price: \$65.00

iste.org/DiglitCourse

#### Game On! Reimagine Learning Through Gameplay

## Leverage game-based learning practices to shift your classroom culture.

This course is built to help educators understand the instruc-tional value of game-based learning (GBL) and empower them to shift their classroom cultures and engage their students with fun, interactive learning opportunities.

#### Length: 5 hours • Price: \$65.00

iste.org/GameCourse



#### Accessibility for All: Designing Materials for Any Learner

Learn how to choose and create instructional materials with accessibility and usability features to personalize lessons and reach every learner.

Many edtech tools have built-in accessibility and usability features. This course will help educators understand how to choose and create materials that allow these features to function to meet all the individual needs of each learner, including those with disabilities.

Length: 2 hours • Price: \$25.00

iste.org/AccessibilityCourse

#### **Creating Community in Online Classrooms**

Build relationships and foster connections with and between students in digital learning environments.

Cultivating relationships and connections between students are essential for learning. This course empowers educators to build a positive classroom community, implement effective communication strategies, and facilitate collaboration in a blended or online learning environment.

#### Length: 2 hours • Price: \$25.00

iste.org/CommunityCourse

#### **Ensuring Equity and Inclusion in Online Learning**

Implement flexible, engaging digital lessons to support all learners.

This course provides strategies educators can use to identify potential barriers, set goals and design lessons that foster student engagement so that all students can demonstrate their knowledge and skills when learning virtually.

Length: 2 hours • Price: \$25.00

iste.org/EquityCourse



#### **Accelerating Student-Driven Learning**

Take the best of online and blended teaching forward to cultivate powerful student learning.

In this course, educators will learn to cultivate increasingly flexible and engaging student learning by selecting a blended model that works for their students, increasing student agency and autonomy, and as a result, improving student engagement and motivation.

Length: 2 hours • Price: \$25.00

iste.org/AcceleratingCourse

## Get Started With Open Educational Resources

Become a pro at leveraging digital curricular resources to make them your own.

This course will teach you how to find high-quality digital resources and understand how to use them effectively. Along the way, you'll also learn how to best make the case for adopting and adapting appropriate OER to your colleagues and administrators.

Length: 5 hours • Price: \$65.00

iste.org/OERCourse

#### Introduction to the ISTE Standards: Educators

### Deepen your practice and collaborate more meaningfully with your peers.

In this course, you will explore the ISTE Educator Standards and their corresponding indicators of success. You will dig into the guidance and support that the standards provide and reflect on your own professional practice to explore opportunities for innovation.

#### Length: 5 hours • Price: \$65.00

iste.org/ISTEECourse

#### Learning Should Be Easy: Fact or Fiction?

Dig into why learning can be challenging and get strategies to help all students persevere.

As educators, we work to provide accessible learning expe-riences to all learners. This course will examine the reasons we may give when learning seems harder for some students than others, and provide specific, learning science research strategies to support the necessary student engagement in productive struggle as part of the natural learning process.

#### Length: 2 hours • Price: \$25.00

iste.org/LearningEasyCourse



#### **Learning Styles: Fact or Fiction?**

Unpack the "learning styles" hypothesis and get instructional strategies that address how students really learn.

As educators, we know that tapping into student interests is an important aspect of motivation. However, student inter-ests are not synonymous with their learning preferences. This course focuses on understanding how learning science strat-egies, based in research, actually improve student outcomes and how that differs from what we know as "learning styles."

#### Length: 2 hours • Price: \$25.00

iste.org/LearningStylesCourse

#### Leading Project-Based Learning With Technology

Design authentic projects that make the most of available and emerging technologies.

The goal of this course is to increase your capacity to implement gold standard project-based learning (PBL) with technology so that you can engage and empower students through meaning-ful, academically rigorous learning experiences.

#### Length: 5 hours • Price: \$65.00

iste.org/PBLCourse

#### Introduction to the ISTE Standards: Students

### Empower student voice by integrating technology in powerful ways.

In this course, you will explore the ISTE Student Standards, designed to empower student voice and ensure that learning is a student-driven process. You will dig into classroom applica-tions and explore opportunities for innovation in lesson design.

Length: 5 hours • Price: \$65.00

iste.org/ISTESCourse

#### **Supporting Student Well-Being**

Support students' and families' social and emotional well-being.

Supporting students' well-being is paramount in this new age of education. This course will provide strategies that educators can use to support student well-being through the use of meaningful connections and impactful technology integrations.

#### Length: 2 hours • Price: \$25.00

iste.org/WellCourse

#### **Right vs. Left Brain: Fact or Fiction?**

Discover the complexity of the human brain-beyond any one hemisphere - and learn practices to help students retain knowledge.

A popular belief is that our interests and abilities in certain topics relate to which hemisphere of the brain we use more. This course will show how brain function is actually holistic, while providing learning sciencebacked strategies that can provide better learning outcomes than the idea of "hemi-spheric dominance."

#### Length: 5 hours • Price: \$65.00

#### iste.org/RightLeftBrainCourse



Interested in deepening your practice with the ISTE Standards? Start your ISTE Certification journey, a vendor-neutral credential designed to help you ignite transformation in your classroom or school.

Learn more, download the syllabus, and register at **iste.org/iste-certification** 





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