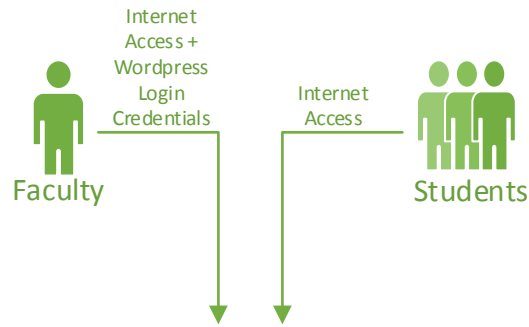
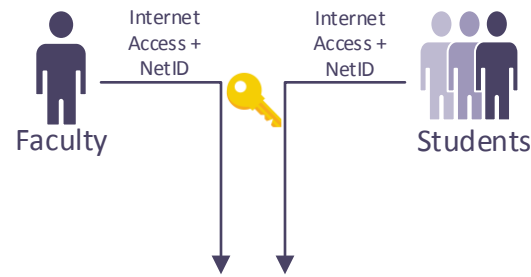


Instructional Computing Environments

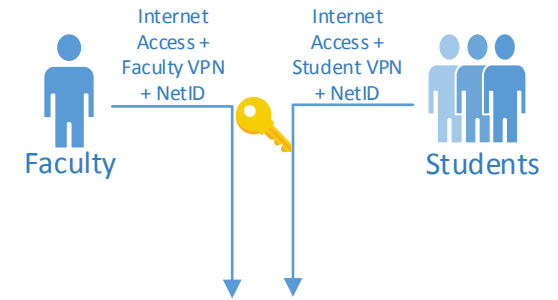
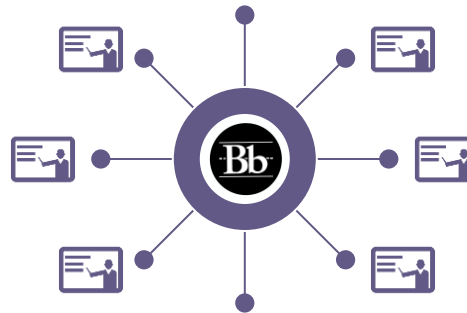
MSU Denver offers various Instructional Computing Environments (ICE) to meet the expanding teaching and learning needs of faculty and students. Each ICE option is available 24/7 from anywhere with Internet access. Faculty may administer and edit these environments as needed to design, develop, and maintain them; students are only able to access them. The access requirements and suggested uses for the environments are described below. Please visit the ICE webpage at msudenver.edu/instructionalcomputing or contact the Information Technology Services (ITS) Helpdesk at msudenver.edu/gethelp or 303-352-7548 for more information.



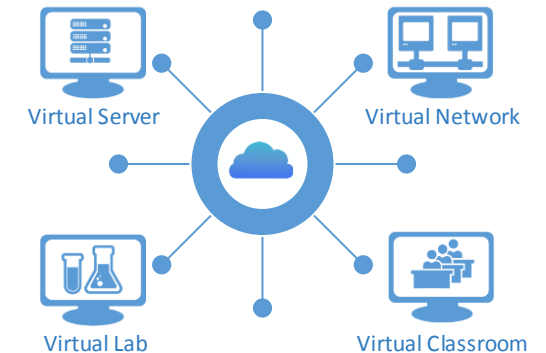
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Courses



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MSU Denver Sites

Would you like to have a website to share information about the various topics related to your research, projects, and courses? If so, having a website on MSU Denver Sites may be a good option for you. Built on the world-class WordPress platform, there are over 30 visual themes available for MSU Denver faculty and staff, so websites can reflect their author's interests and personality. Additional themes and custom plugins can be added by contacting the ITS Educational Technology Center. Find more information about MSU Denver Sites at sites.msudenver.edu.

Blackboard Learn

Would you like to have all of your course materials available to your students in a central location that can be accessed online? Would it save you time to be able to create and deliver your multimedia course content, monitor your students' participation, and assess their performance in an online learning environment? If so, you'll be pleased to know that you already have access to a course shell in Blackboard Learn, MSU Denver's learning management system. A course template will be ready for you to use for each of your classes, you just need to add your content to it. If you would like assistance customizing your Blackboard Learn course shell, contact the ITS Educational Technology Center using the service request form at msudenver.edu/etc/servicerequestform.

Custom Virtual Computing Environments

Do your students need a computer lab for your classes? Would you like to replace a physical computer lab with a virtual solution that's more flexible and convenient? Have you ever considered using a virtual computing environment? If so, ITS can help set up a virtual computing environment for your specific academic needs. Simply fill out the Instructional Computing Environment request form on the ICE webpage at msudenver.edu/instructionalcomputing to request a custom virtual environment and an ITS representative will contact you to discuss the options.

