



## What to Expect: Bring Your Curiosity, Attention and Potential

Now that you have been introduced to Campus, let us take a quick high-level view of what you can expect during this course. We will keep a standard routine during each week of the course. We recommend that all weekly coursework should be completed before the Class Call so that you can participate and fully understand the context of the discussions and make valuable contributions.




**Core Lecture Videos**  
Each week, we work through our core lecture videos, focusing on a specific theme. Do not hesitate to watch them more than once to feel comfortable with all the concepts presented.




**Readings**  
Several topics include prescribed readings. You have been given certain chapters or pages to read where papers are long. Readings are enriching as they provide a broader viewpoint. In some instances, the reading helps you perform exercises presented in the course.

You do not need to perform a close analysis of all the readings provided, but you must understand the crucial concepts and critical points (i.e., risks, challenges, opportunities, innovations, recommendations, and so on) set out in the reading material as they relate to the week's core content.


Having said that, some of the readings from supervisory and standard-setting bodies are complex and should you wish to more fully understand how to apply their content in your everyday situation, you will need to read them analytically.




**Experts**  
We often include expert interviews or faculty lounge discussion videos. The purpose is to add to your experience by bringing in experts to discuss alternative perspectives around the material. After viewing the videos, you can write up any questions or thoughts as a comment on the related post.



**Engagement**  
Please jump in with a reply to offer your views on comments raised by other students. This is where peer-to-peer learning happens!



**Class Calls**  
In many of our courses, we include class calls as part of our synchronous approach to learning. Please consider these calls mandatory, as your learning is often challenged and deepened. This is another opportunity for you to engage with your fellow students, express opinions, ask questions, and, if nothing else, have fun while learning.



**Keeping Up**  
You can track your progress by looking at your 'My Progress Bar' at the top of the Classroom. To get your tasks done, you will need to carve out regular time to dedicate to the course. We recommend setting aside at least one hour a day for course activities (videos, readings, commenting, tasks, and so on).


Since this is an interactive peer learning exercise, it is important that we all keep to the same pace. It is important to remember that we have designed this course to require a minimum of four to six hours of work a week. To gain full advantage of the resources and delve deep into the information, you will need to engage with the material for an extra two to three hours per week.

You can do this in:

Small chunks  
each working day  
(this works best  
for most people)

OR

In larger weekly  
chunks (for  
example, at the  
weekend).



**Final Deadline**  
We encourage you to work through the course together with your peers. You will be able to score points for three weeks after the post or activity has been published. If the task is not completed by then, you will forfeit those points, although your comments may still be read and appreciated by your peers.

Each course has a set closing date, and all points or submissions must be made before this date. Once the course is closed, certification will be awarded based on your points status on that date.



**Certification**  
The pass mark for Digital Frontiers courses is 60%. The different testing methodologies are aimed at building and assessing three distinct sets of intelligence:

- 1. Knowledge
- 2. Analytical
- 3. Practical

Refer to the grading policy for this course, as the point allocation is set out in detail. The points indicator, next to some posts in the *Classroom*, shows you how many points you can earn for that activity. Most points are automatic and loaded instantly; others require your Learning Facilitator to decide whether you have completed the task and are updated with a week's delay.

## Digital Frontiers Institute's Digital Certificates

You will receive a digital certificate. Digital Frontiers Institute has made the integration easy – from your **How to Access and Verify Your Certificate of Completion** post on Campus. This means it is easy to access all Certificates, and you can easily share them on social media. Please be sure to update your names as you would like to see them printed on your certificates by editing your Profile.