



NCTC

REGULAR & SUBSTANTIVE INTERACTION (RSI)

Is your course RSI-compliant? Does it meet federal guidelines for Distance Education?

Your NCTC eLearning team is here to help! Use this guide to ensure your online courses meet RSI standards while engaging and supporting your students effectively. The goal is to move toward Distance Education, ensuring that online courses are interactive and not just self-paced.



-CORRESPONDENCE EDUCATION-

No assessment deadlines 

Auto-graded quizzes 

Video lectures 



Graded assignments without feedback 

Weekly announcements with due dates 



Graded assignments with feedback 

Weekly announcements explaining content 

Video lectures + discussions 



-DISTANCE EDUCATION-

Office hours 

Instructor-initiated Discussions 

RSI COMPLIANT

QUESTIONS?

Make an appointment with an Instructional or Curriculum Designer by submitting a ticket here: tinyurl.com/ecampushelp



Auto-graded quizzes and video lectures are valuable, but should be paired with instructor-led activities like feedback, discussions, and announcements for full RSI compliance.