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Accessibility for Course Design

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Starting this month, we are adding an Accessibility for Course Design section to our monthly newsletter. Check this box every month for a tip, trick, or resource to help you ensure your course materials are accessible and in alignment with the new ADA guidelines by April 24, 2026. You can learn more about Tennessee Tech's accessibility for course design plan and view current accessibility resources on the CITL website. We are also excited to announce that we will be deploying our new digital accessibility tool, YuJa Panorama, within D2L iLearn this fall as we prepare to improve the accessibility of our spring courses to meet the April 24, 2026 deadline.

Learn more!

5 ways CITL can HELP you

1. Accessible Course Design

Book a Consultation

Our design services specialize in course and program development for all modalities, with a focus on accessibility and on improving the online elements of your classroom.

2. Instructional Diagnostic

CITL offers two types of instructional diagnostics at the mid-point of the semester. Both diagnostics offer simple and straightforward evaluation processes that use student feedback to help faculty improve their courses before the end of the semester.

3. Class Observations

A member of the CITL Team comes into your class meeting to observe your teaching in practice, then provide feedback and direction.

4. Tennessee Tech Course Templates

iLearn Course Templates are pre-made templates for your course that encourage accessibility, enhance interaction, improve course design and layout, as well as utilize new features in iLearn.

5. Ed Tech Support

Our Educational Technologists are available to help you prepare your courses through completing course combines, adding TA/GAs, adding co-instructors, and helping you troubleshoot.

Are You Ready For Fall?

- Submit a Course Combine Request form.
- Check your Syllabus: Requirements & template on Provost website.
- Book a consultation with a CITL Instructional Designer to check for final adjustments needed in your courses.
- Explore the Fall 2025 Tech Tuesday workshops.

Tech Tuesdays
August Workshops
11:00 AM on Teams

- **August 12:** Getting Your Course Ready with Accessibility and AI
- **August 19:** Course Consultations
- **August 26:** An Introduction to Yuja Panorama

Register Now | **Watch Previous Workshops**