

Get to Know Your Fellow October Completers

Overview

Working well with your fellow learners is an important part of an online course. So, at the beginning of this course, we'd like you to take time to "break the ice" and get to know each other. You may already know some of your fellow learners or have just met them. Establishing personal interaction with other learners will make your online learning experience much more enjoyable and engaging. So, **we encourage you to participate in this activity, though it's optional.**

Meet and Greet

Tell everyone your story! We encourage you to share a brief introduction about yourself to your fellow learners. Read some of your fellow learners' postings. Pick at least 2 postings that are most interesting to you and add your friendly comments.

You can go to the [Meet Your Fellow October Completers Discussion Prompt](#) and add your introduction story there.

Suggested Topics

- **Hopes and goals?** Why did you decide to enroll into the IT Support Professional Certificate? What are your expectations of this course? Are you excited to learn about IT? What do you hope to put into place in your life the day this program is over?
- **Tips and strategies.** How do you plan to complete the certificate by October? When/how often are you going to set aside time to learn each week? Is there a place in your home or neighborhood where you won't get distracted?

- **Buddy up.** Share with us any other information that might help others in the cohort find you when searching the forums. What common interests might you share with your classmates? Find an “accountability buddy” or “buddies” so you can help keep each other on track!

Updating Your Profile

Optionally, please consider [updating your profile](#), which can also be accessed by clicking the Profile link in the menu that appears when you click on your name at the top-right corner of this screen. When people find you in the forums, they can click on your name to view your complete profile and get to know you more.

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