



# An Overview of Distance Learning Resources

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**Blackboard**  
Educate. Innovate. Everywhere.

- Athens State University incorporates the **Blackboard Academic Suite™** as its official platform for on-line course delivery. Blackboard is a course management system designed to enhance the learning experience and promote collaborative engagement throughout the student's educational career at the university.
- All internet-based and blended courses require students to use Blackboard on a regular basis throughout each semester. Instructors may at their discretion enlist other institutionally-supported software to further enhance their courses for the student's benefit.

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## Respondus LockDown Browser™

- **Respondus LockDown Browser** is a custom browser downloaded from the Athens State website which securely locks down the Blackboard testing environment to ensure the integrity of each exam. Students are unable to print, copy, go to another URL, or access other applications or resources on their computer during the assessment period.

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# TEGRITY

- **Tegrity** allows students to playback any class session or lecture recorded by their instructor, in part or whole, with easy-to-use browser-based viewing on a PC or Mac. Audio & video can also be streamed over the internet or downloaded to an external video player (iPod, MP3) for off-line studying.

