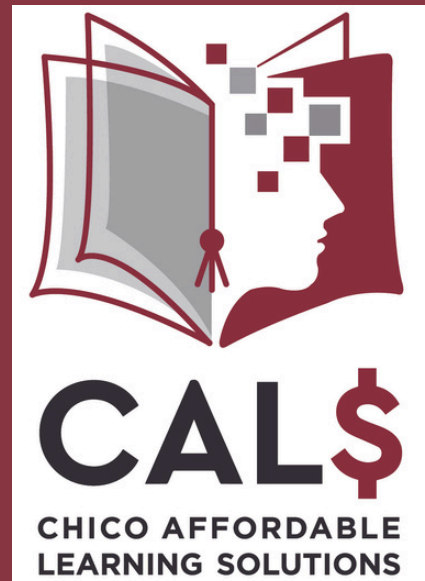


THE IMMEDIATE ACCESS PROGRAM



WHAT IS IMMEDIATE ACCESS?

Immediate Access (IA) provides all enrolled students digitally-delivered course materials from a major publisher on or before the first day of the semester. Students make the choice whether to purchase the digital content or opt out and purchase their course materials elsewhere. Prices for IA resources are typically discounted 20-60% off of the original cost.

WHEN DOES IMMEDIATE ACCESS WORK BEST?

Immediate Access may be a good option for your course if:

- There are no quality zero-cost options for your course at this time.
- These materials are necessary for success in the course (e.g. e-learning platforms with graded assignments).
- You have a large enrollment course. Price discounts vary by volume and publisher.
- You are committed to clearly communicating the opt-out process and dates with students.

HOW DO STUDENTS OBTAIN & PAY FOR MATERIALS?

Students are provided materials through Canvas when they enroll in the course. The cost is automatically added to student fees. Materials will be paid for with financial aid if a student has sufficient funds in their award. Students without (sufficient) financial aid will need to pay for their materials by the end of the 2nd week of the semester. If students opt-out before the census date, charges will be removed from the student account.

HOW DO I SIGN UP FOR IMMEDIATE ACCESS?

Faculty can choose to participate in Immediate Access for some or all of their courses. For more information see the CAL\$ website. For questions or to participate, please communicate with the Wildcat Store.



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