

ABSORB LEARNING MANAGEMENT SYSTEM

Frequently Asked Questions

General User Questions

When will Absorb launch?

At this time, we are aiming for a June 2024 launch. The most likely date range is June 11 - 25. These dates could of course change based on progress and testing but this is the current goal.

How will I login to Absorb?

We are waiting for IT integrations to define the exact path, but it will be a link through eServices.

Will there be a time when we lose access to online training or testing?

At this time, we are not anticipating any loss of access to learning materials during the transition. If that changes we will provide as much notice as possible, but we do recommend that you complete any critical learning requirements prior to launch just in case.

Will I lose the ability to login to AXIS?

Your ability to login to AXIS will eventually be phased out, and it is strongly recommended that you complete any in-progress OR critical work on AXIS prior to the launch. If you have major learning requirements that need to be completed in order to participate in missions or special activities this year it is strongly recommended that you complete them on AXIS soon.

Will I lose my records from AXIS?

No, prior completions from AXIS will be loaded into Absorb so your transcript should reflect your completed work. This will not affect your eServices record or credit received in Ops/Quals or Accomplishments. We recommend that you save your transcript from AXIS in order to have a backup of work completed and to ensure that your Absorb transcript is as accurate as possible.

How will I find my courses?

Global Course Search

As a learner, there are a number of ways for you to access courses in Absorb. While it's possible to find the course you are looking for via the catalog, within a curriculum, and in your featured courses, when in doubt you can use the global search tool to directly locate any course to which you have access.

Course Catalog

Most courses in CAP are what is referred to as Self-Enrollment. Self-enrollment means that learners are able to find the course and enroll themselves into it. The course catalog is where you will find courses available for self-enrollment. The catalog can be located on the main system menu located in the upper right corner, as well as on a main course tile on most portal pages.

Featured Courses

Featured courses will appear on your main course portal as a prominent list of available courses. These particular courses are displayed this way because they are relevant to your current **senior level or cadet achievement**, because they are a course of emphasis from the Command team and senior leadership, or because they are very common courses taken by a large number of members.

Senior Member Questions

Will I still need to sign up for a VOLU cohort to complete online classes?

No, you are not required to register for an online cohort in order to engage with moderated online learning modules. As a student enrolled in the level you are automatically assigned to the instructor pool and your submitted work will be graded by one of the available instructors. If you still wish to, you can register for a cohort via the tool, but it is not necessary to do so with Absorb.

Can I access Virtual In Residence course (VIR) modules through Absorb?

Yes, one of the new features in Absorb is that national Virtual In Residence modules will be housed in the system. VIR modules are housed in the same curriculum as the rest of their level and are grouped with the online moderated modules.

When you enter a VIR module you will see all available upcoming sessions, and if one of them meets your needs you will be able to sign up for that session. Signing up for the session will give you access to the meeting and a calendar invite sent to your email of record.