EXSM 3929: Digital Accessibility   
M2 Weekly Response

CCID: ccid, last name, first name  
Due: May 6, 2023

# Instructions

Make a **copy** of this document, **edit**, **export** as a **PDF** and **submit** on **eClass**.

Weekly response documents are **to be completed by Saturday evening (11:59pm)**. Each response document follows the same format; there are **four web resources** with **three talking points**.

The purpose is to help prepare you for our discussions on Tuesday evenings. To receive full marks visit each web resource, respond to the prompts, and submit on eClass.

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# Notes

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# Weekly Response

## Models of Disability: Keys to Perspective

Link: <https://www.theweb.ngo/history/ncarticles/models_of_disability.htm>

* Make a list of the models of disability
* Briefly describe each model in your own words

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## The Social Model

Link: <https://ukdhm.org/what-is-ukdhm/the-social-model/>

* What are models of disability?
* Can you explain the difference between the two main models in your own words?
* How does understanding the models of disability impact our efforts as designers?

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## Assistive Technology and Adaptive Strategies

Link: <https://accessibility.pearson.com/resources/accessibility-fundamentals/assistive-technology/index.php>

* Do you have any experience with assistive technologies?
* Do you have any experience with adaptive strategies?
* What can we learn by sharing our experiences?

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## Different Types of Disabilities

Link: [​​​​https://services.anu.edu.au/human-resources/respect-inclusion/different-types-of-disabilities](https://services.anu.edu.au/human-resources/respect-inclusion/different-types-of-disabilities)

* What are the differences in the design needs of someone who is blind and someone who has partial vision?
* Is it possible for a design to achieve perfect accessibility?
* What are your greatest concerns thinking now about your current or past designs?