SUBJECTS

A course is a course, of course, except when it is a subject. At MIT course numbers and abbreviations refer to courses of study leading to specific academic degrees and, by extension, to the departments or programs offering those degrees. For example, Course 6 refers to the Department of Electrical Engineering and Computer Science. Subjects are what many people typically think of as courses, i.e., a series of classes offered during a given academic period.

These descriptions are current but are subject to change. For schedules, consult the Online Subject Listing and Schedule (*http://student.mit.edu/catalog*). Below is a list of the departments and programs that offer subjects at MIT.

- Aeronautics and Astronautics (Course 16) (*http://catalog.mit.edu/subjects/16*)
- Aerospace Studies (AS) (*http://catalog.mit.edu/subjects/as*)
- Anthropology (Course 21A) (*http://catalog.mit.edu/subjects/21a*)
- Architecture (Course 4) (*http://catalog.mit.edu/subjects/4*)
- Biological Engineering (Course 20) (*http://catalog.mit.edu/subjects/20*)
- Biology (Course 7) (*http://catalog.mit.edu/subjects/7*)
- Brain and Cognitive Sciences (Course 9) (*http://catalog.mit.edu/subjects/9*)
- Chemical Engineering (Course 10) (*http://catalog.mit.edu/subjects/10*)
- Chemistry (Course 5) (*http://catalog.mit.edu/subjects/5*)
- Civil and Environmental Engineering (Course 1) (*http://catalog.mit.edu/subjects/1*)
- Comparative Media Studies / Writing (CMS) (*http://catalog.mit.edu/subjects/cms*)
- Comparative Media Studies / Writing (Course 21W) (*http://catalog.mit.edu/subjects/21w*)
- Computational and Systems Biology (CSB) (*http://catalog.mit.edu/subjects/csb*)
- Computational Science and Engineering (CSE) (*http://catalog.mit.edu/subjects/cse*)
- Concourse (CC) (*http://catalog.mit.edu/subjects/cc*)
- Data, Systems, and Society (IDS) (*http://catalog.mit.edu/subjects/ids*)
- Earth, Atmospheric, and Planetary Sciences (Course 12) (*http://catalog.mit.edu/subjects/12*)
- Economics (Course 14) (*http://catalog.mit.edu/subjects/14*)
- Edgerton Center (EC) (*http://catalog.mit.edu/subjects/ec*)
- Electrical Engineering and Computer Science (Course 6) (*http://catalog.mit.edu/subjects/6*)
- Engineering Management (EM) (*http://catalog.mit.edu/subjects/em*)
- Experimental Study Group (ES) (*http://catalog.mit.edu/subjects/es*)
- Global Languages (Course 21G) (*http://catalog.mit.edu/subjects/21g*)
- Health Sciences and Technology (HST) (*http://catalog.mit.edu/subjects/hst*)
- History (Course 21H) (*http://catalog.mit.edu/subjects/21h*)
- Humanities (Course 21) (*http://catalog.mit.edu/subjects/21*)
- Linguistics and Philosophy (Course 24) (*http://catalog.mit.edu/subjects/24*)
- Literature (Course 21L) (*http://catalog.mit.edu/subjects/21l*)
- Management (Course 15) (*http://catalog.mit.edu/subjects/15*)
- Materials Science and Engineering (Course 3) (*http://catalog.mit.edu/subjects/3*)
- Mathematics (Course 18) (*http://catalog.mit.edu/subjects/18*)
- Mechanical Engineering (Course 2) (*http://catalog.mit.edu/subjects/2*)
- Media Arts and Sciences (MAS) (*http://catalog.mit.edu/subjects/mas*)
- Military Science (MS) (*http://catalog.mit.edu/subjects/ms*)
- Music and Theater Arts (Course 21M) (*http://catalog.mit.edu/subjects/21m*)
- Naval Science (NS) (*http://catalog.mit.edu/subjects/ns*)
- Nuclear Science and Engineering (Course 22) (*http://catalog.mit.edu/subjects/22*)
- Physics (Course 8) (*http://catalog.mit.edu/subjects/8*)
- Political Science (Course 17) (*http://catalog.mit.edu/subjects/17*)
- Science, Technology, and Society (STS) (*http://catalog.mit.edu/subjects/sts*)
- Special Programs (*http://catalog.mit.edu/subjects/sp*)
- Supply Chain Management (SCM) (*http://catalog.mit.edu/subjects/scm*)
- Urban Studies and Planning (Course 11) (*http://catalog.mit.edu/subjects/11*)
- Women's and Gender Studies (WGS) (*http://catalog.mit.edu/subjects/wgs*)