

# Leveraging technology to drive valuable and engaging hybrid student experiences

This is a guide that shows the steps and best practices your institution should take with Microsoft Education technology to realize personalized, flexible, collaborative, and data-driven learning environments, adapted from [this report](#) written by the Economist Intelligence Unit

Your starting point depends on what products and practices you've already adopted. To learn how to implement and act on these steps, visit the Microsoft Education [deployment guide](#).

**1**

## Enable **personalized learning from anywhere**

- Deploy and adopt Microsoft Teams to provide better personalized learning
- Provide resources and training that help faculty learn to effectively use Microsoft Teams for teaching and learning

## Empower faculty to **provide flexible, interactive, and self-guided instruction**

- Integrate first and third-party apps, like Flipgrid, MakeCode, and Turnitin, into Microsoft Teams for more interactive and flexible class design
- Deploy and adopt Microsoft 365 apps like PowerPoint and Word to enable self-driven learning from anywhere

**2**

## Promote **interactive and collaborative learning communities that encourage sharing feedback**

- Set policies that enable students to create their own teams, channels, and chats for class and extracurricular activities
- Integrate polling apps like Microsoft Forms into Microsoft Teams so teachers can collect feedback from students, and vice versa

**3**

## Unearth **predictive analytics to better understand and enhance student performance**

- Collect and analyze Microsoft Teams' Education Insights to gain a better understanding of where students may need more support
- Deploy other Microsoft products like Power Platform, Dynamics 365, and Azure to uncover and act on insights that promote student success

**4**

Download the Microsoft Education [deployment guide](#) to learn more about how you can deploy Microsoft technology and continue to help your institution undergo their digital transformation journey