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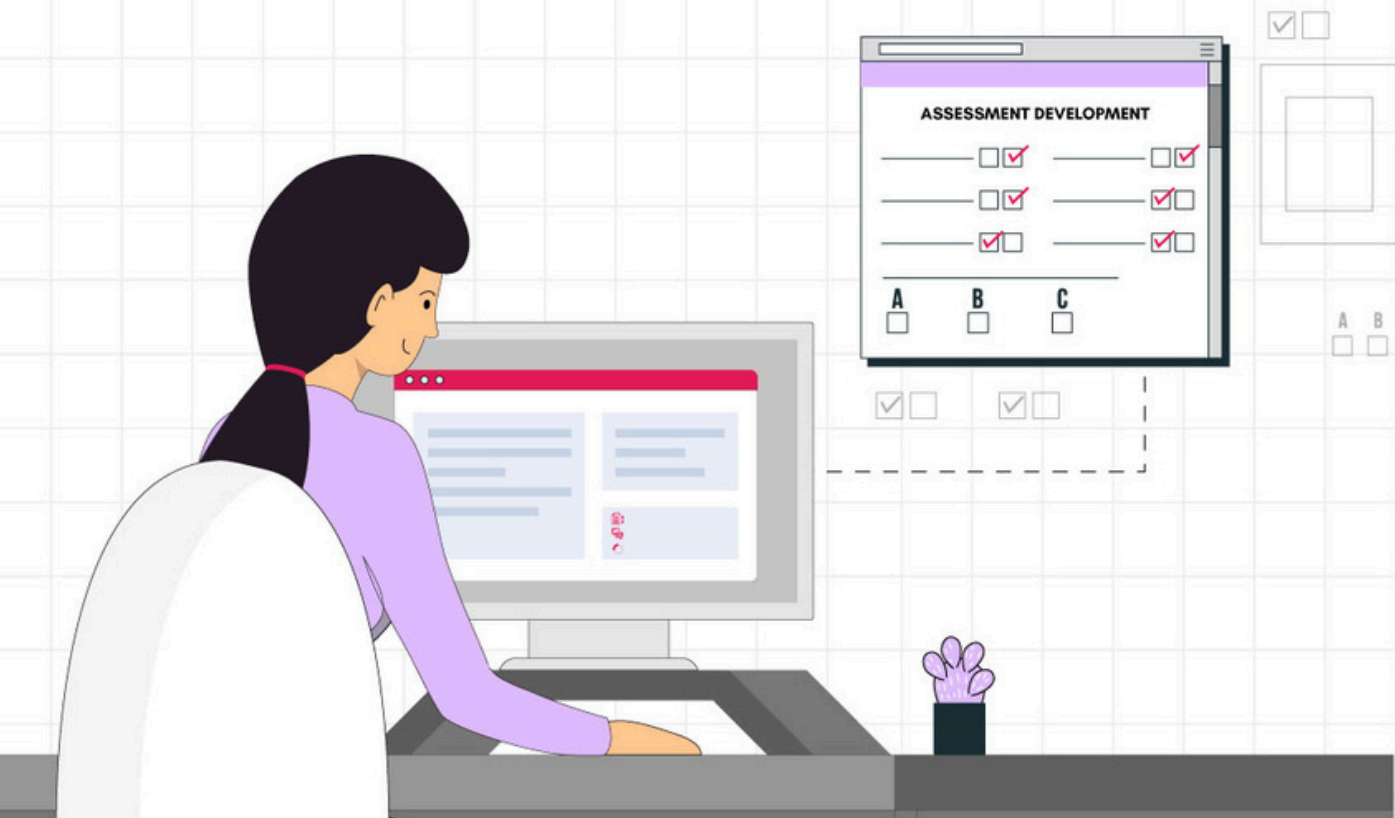
# ASSESSMENT DEVELOPMENT

## MEASURING WHAT MATTERS

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LUMSx is the center for online learning and professional development at LUMS. We extend LUMS' excellence in teaching and research beyond its borders by leveraging technology and innovative pedagogy. Our courses aim to bridge critical knowledge & skill gaps for Pakistani learners and to meet their diverse learning needs, we offer **Massive Open Online Courses (MOOCs)**, **Hybrid Courses**, **Synchronous (Live) Courses**, and **Free Open Online Courses (OpenCourseWare)**. We intend to harness technology for enhancing access, improving educational quality, and amplifying education's impact.



**Course Format:** Online-Cohort

**Language:** English, Urdu

**Start Date:** 28<sup>th</sup> July, 2025

**Registration Deadline:** 9<sup>th</sup> June, 2025

**Duration:** 2.5 Weeks

**Price:** PKR. 6000 \*

*\*If you enroll in the **Effective Teaching Practices Specialization**, this course will cost you **PKR.4800**. Learn more on the next page*

# EFFECTIVE TEACHING STRATEGIES SPECIALIZATION

The **Assessment Development Course** is also part of the LUMSx Effective Teaching Strategies Specialization:

Effective Teaching Strategies is a specialization designed to equip K-8 educators in Pakistan with the essential tools to create dynamic, engaging, and supportive learning environments. This specialization covers core skills needed to master the art of teaching. The specialization comprises of three nano courses:

1. **Classroom Management:** Learn techniques for establishing structure, fostering positive behavior, and creating a classroom atmosphere conducive to focused learning and collaboration.
2. **Differentiated Instruction:** Discover strategies to address diverse student needs, adapt lessons for various learning styles, and ensure that every student has access to meaningful and relevant educational experiences.
3. **Assessment Development:** Master the skills for designing assessments that not only measure learning but also support student growth, providing actionable feedback to guide future instruction.

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# ABOUT THIS COURSE



Are you a K-8 teacher eager to understand how assessments can transform your classroom? Do you want to learn how to design fair, inclusive, and effective assessments that truly capture student learning? Whether you're new to teaching or looking to strengthen your assessment practices, this course on Assessment Development is designed to empower you.

Join us on a journey through the essential skills and techniques for building impactful assessments tailored to Pakistani classrooms. Together, we'll dive into the purpose and types of assessments, exploring how each serves as a key measure for understanding student progress and guiding instruction. You'll learn to create high-quality assessments that are valid, reliable, and contextually relevant, ensuring they resonate with diverse student needs.

We'll delve into practical strategies for implementing formative assessments in the classroom, as well as techniques for providing timely feedback to support real-time learning. With modules on analyzing assessment data, you'll also gain insights into using data to refine your instructional decisions and drive student success. And as we explore creating assessments that are fair, inclusive, and student-owned, you'll discover the power of building a classroom culture that values self-assessment and constructive feedback.

Through case studies, templates, and guidelines, we'll equip you with the tools to make assessment a meaningful part of your teaching practice. So, if you're ready to unlock the potential of assessments to enhance learning in your classroom, this course is your next step. Let's get started!

# ABOUT THIS COURSE



## WHO SHOULD TAKE THE COURSE?

This course is designed primarily for pre-service K-8 teachers and in-service K-8 teachers who are looking to build a strong foundation in effective assessment practices. Whether you're just beginning your teaching journey or have some classroom experience, this course will equip you with essential skills to design, implement, and analyze assessments that support student learning and progress.

School principals, administrators, teacher trainers, and curriculum leads may also find value in this course, as it provides insights into creating fair, inclusive, and impactful assessments that can enhance instructional quality across classrooms.

## COURSE FEATURES

- Teaching team Support
- Live Class with the Instructor
- Peer Interactions
- WhatsApp Community of Learners
- Assessment Strategy
- Sample Rubrics and Templates

# MEET YOUR INSTRUCTOR



Course Instructor

**Azma Humayun**

*Educational Consultant,  
Development Sector*

Azma Humayun has been part of the education sector since 2011, beginning her journey as a Fellow in Teach For Pakistan's inaugural cohort. During her fellowship, she taught middle school mathematics and science in an under-resourced community in Karachi. In 2015, Azma joined The Citizens Foundation as a coach, where she developed principals' problem-solving skills to drive better educational outcomes. In 2017, she transitioned to an instructional design role in the Academics department, leading the team as Senior Manager before becoming Head of Department in 2022.

Throughout her career, Azma has developed programs focused on language learning, numeracy, digital literacy, remediation, student well-being, and foundational learning. She has collaborated as a subject matter expert with organizations such as the National Curriculum Council (NCC) and Teach For Pakistan and has presented at international conferences hosted by RTI International and Teach For All. Today, Azma consults on teacher development and instructional design, designing and conducting workshops for teachers in both public and private school settings. Her current area of interest is exploring student leadership and designing programs that foster its development.

# COURSE OUTLINE

## **Module 1: The Purpose of Assessments & their Types**

This module introduces the role of assessments in measuring and supporting student learning, highlighting how they guide instruction and track progress. You'll also explore different assessment types—formative, summative, diagnostic, and performance-based—and their unique purposes in the learning process.

## **Module 2: Developing High Quality Assessments for Pakistani Classrooms**

This module guides you in creating high-quality assessments for Pakistani classrooms that are valid, reliable, and contextually appropriate. You'll explore techniques for assessing foundational skills like remembering and applying, as well as higher-order skills like analyzing, evaluating, and creating, ensuring a well-rounded approach to measuring student learning.

## **Module 3: Implementing Assessments in the Classroom**

In this module, you'll learn to implement formative assessments that effectively track student progress at the class, group, and individual levels. You'll also explore how to use assessment data to provide timely, constructive feedback, helping to guide instruction and support student learning in real-time.

## **Module 4: Analyzing and Using Assessment Data**

In this module, you'll learn to design rubrics and scoring guides for objective evaluation of complex tasks, ensuring consistency in assessment. You'll also explore how to analyze assessment data to identify trends, using these insights to make informed instructional decisions that enhance student learning outcomes.

## **Module 5: Assessments that are Fair, Inclusive and Student-Owned**

This module focuses on creating fair and inclusive assessments that accommodate diverse student needs and minimize potential biases. You'll also learn strategies to foster student ownership and build a positive culture of feedback, empowering students to engage actively in their learning through self-assessment and reflection.



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