

Item one must be done on a PC.

PLEASE BE PATIENT. THIS IS VERY SLOW TO GET IT GOING, BUT IS WORTH IT.

Webinars are a modern way of learning they are used in education and work. A Webinar can have hundreds of students. Students can ask questions using a microphone in their computer, or they can use the messaging part of the program (BlackBoard Collaborator)

To go to the ADA(Adult Learning Australia) Webpage of prerecorded Webinars go to

<https://ala.asn.au/broadband-for-seniors/recorded-illuminate-session/>

Do not try to log into ALA member log in.

Scroll down and find the Webinar that you are interested in and click on Recorded session.

Log in using Your name and email address.

You will most likely have to agree with what ever Java wants to do with your computer.

Blackboard Collaborate should open and you then log in **using your name and email address.**

This is now the annoying bit. Java will want to download and install a small file on your PC, and you will have to approve or accept it.

Hopefully if you get this file the Webinar will slowly open.

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When the Webinar is opens:

You will see on the Left lower panel, the text messages that people have typed in during the Webinar.

In the panel above the messages you can see the participants list. These have real names during the real Webinar. Beside these names the participants can put smiley faces and ticks etc as the show is progressing.

The actual Blackboard is the big panel on the right.

Just click around these screens and you should discover lots.

In the middle bottom of the recorded Webinar there is a scrolly bar and you can move it side ways left and right to get where you want to in the Webinar.

If you are interested in being in one of these Webinars live please talk to me.

ITEM 2 IS A TEST OF YOUR ABILITY, YOU WILL GET A CERTIFICATE WHEN YOU FINISH IT.

To do a test using portable devices or a PC, Social Networking or Editing, Photos, Office 2007, Office 2010, or Recreation, with BBFS (BroadBand for seniors), go to <http://staging.necseniors.net.au/tutor/index.html>

Create a new account or log in.

When you are in, select the group that you wish to be tested in, example Mobile devices. Try iPad and click on launch course.

I am sure you can do the rest.