- Define and understand the differences between the following types of concurrency: circuit-level concurrency, multitasking, multiprocessing, and distributed computing
- Create **concurrency trees** to increase the efficiency of complex operations by executing sub-operations at the same time
- Recognize certain problems that arise while multiprocessing, such as difficulty of design and deadlock
- Create **pipelines** to increase the efficiency of repeated operations by executing sub-steps at the same time
- Use the MapReduce pattern to design and code parallelized algorithms for distributed computing
- Recognize core terms related to the internet, including: browsers, routers, ISPs, IP addresses, DNS servers, protocols, packets, and cloud
- Understand at a high level the **internet communication process** that happens when you click on a link to a website in your browser.
- Understand at a high level that the internet is **fault tolerant** due to being **distributed**
- Define the following terms: data privacy, data security, authentication, and encryption
- Recognize the traits of the internet that make it more prone to security attacks and recognize common security attacks (DDOS and man-in-the-middle).
- Trace common encryption algorithms, such as the Caesar Cipher and RSA, and recognize whether they are symmetric or asymmetric
- Evaluate the efficiency of **performing** encryption algorithms and **breaking** encryption algorithms.