Activity Types

Activities are things that you want the students to **do** in your online classroom. Unlike **Resources**, which are how instructors giving information to students, **Activities** are typically students giving information/feedback/etc. to the instructor.

The activities below are available to all instructors. Some activity blocks, like EdPuzzle or Perusall, are dependent on the resources used in your course.

Assignment

Allows students to turn in digital assignments, like documents, images, or media.

https://www.youtube.com/embed/S4VqOEAsijk

Big Blue Button

An online video conferencing option to support synchronous classroom activities. You can watch the training on how to use BBB at MLC here.

Chat

Allows for synchronous text-based chatting within the online classroom.

https://www.youtube.com/embed/HspUn0XBCs8

Choice

Posts a single multiple-choice question for students to answer.

https://www.youtube.com/embed/5PRGP6r4fz4

Database

The instructor creates a database framework that students can add entries to.

https://www.youtube.com/embed/HQXLBftomWQ

EdPuzzle

Allows linking of EdPuzzle activities from the EdPuzzle website.

https://www.youtube.com/embed/6zmReZ3ny_I

External Tool

Used with some external websites and curricular tools. This is also how you can use Google Assignments in Moodle.

Feedback

A way to collect student feedback on a lesson or other learning experience.

https://www.youtube.com/embed/6NIfjmktfl4

Forum

Supports asynchronous discussions among students and instructor. Forums can include text, audio, video, and other media.

https://www.youtube.com/embed/mKLht1XCSnk

Glossary

Students can collaborate on a list of definitions or other resources.

https://www.youtube.com/embed/ojTLv11p71U

H5P

Used to create interactive activities and resources, including flashcards and interactive videos.

https://www.youtube.com/embed/ctRh1vtVXFA

Lesson

A combination of content and assessments that can be differentiated and graded.

https://www.youtube.com/embed/pYJfz6vh_A0

Pearson MyLab & Mastering Link

Used with some textbooks from Pearson Publishing.

https://www.youtube.com/embed/6Lm9aSRPzDA

Perusall

A social annotation tool that can be used with a variety of documents and open educational resources. A cost may be involved depending on the resource being used.

https://www.youtube.com/embed/FeBJaZ-gDrQ

Quiz

Create a quiz or test with a variety of question types. Objective questions can be automatically graded by Moodle.

https://www.youtube.com/embed/Gi9qX-5GbwY

SCORM Package

Used with SCORM learning objects.

Survey

Choose from a pre-defined list of surveys related to student reaction to learning.

https://www.youtube.com/embed/LpDy4zX49ys

Wiki

Build a class wiki.

https://www.youtube.com/embed/tIXVMht5TfM

Workshop

Facilitate peer review of documents.

https://www.youtube.com/embed/7cYG1d87jSo

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