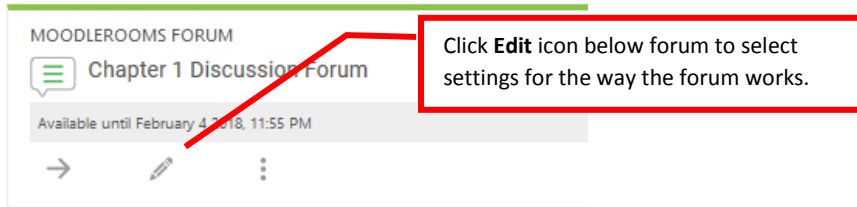



Common Forum Settings

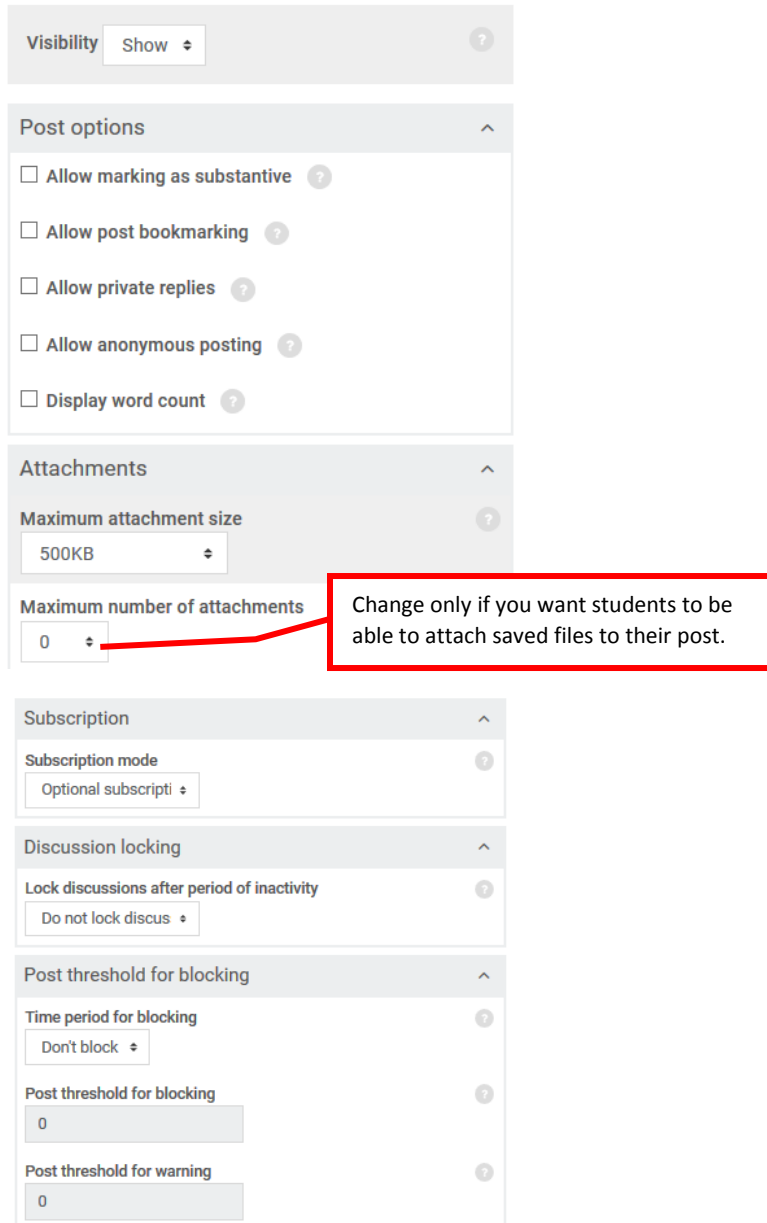



MOODLEROOMS FORUM
Chapter 1 Discussion Forum
Available until February 4, 2018, 11:55 PM


Click **Edit** icon below forum to select settings for the way the forum works.






On the following pages are the most common settings chosen.


(Click the  mark beside any one you want more information about.)





Visibility 

Post options 


- Allow marking as substantive 
- Allow post bookmarking 
- Allow private replies 
- Allow anonymous posting 
- Display word count 


Attachments 


Maximum attachment size 


Maximum number of attachments 


Change only if you want students to be able to attach saved files to their post.


Subscription 


Subscription mode 


Discussion locking 

Lock discussions after period of inactivity 

Post threshold for blocking 

Time period for blocking 

Post threshold for blocking 

Post threshold for warning 

Grade

Grade Type
Manual

Grade

You cannot change the type, as grades already exist for this item.

Type Point

Maximum grade 100

Grading method
Simple direct grade

Grade category
Discussion Forums

Grade to pass
0

Important! If you do not intend to provide a grade for the forum and want the forum available to students for the entire semester, you will probably make no other settings changes.

If you create a rubric in Moodle to grade by, change this to the type of rubric you plan to use. (checklist, marking guide, or rubric)

[Click here](#) for information about advanced grading methods using the different types of rubrics.

Choose the name of the grading category you assigned in your gradebook setup.

Ratings

Roles with permission to rate
Manager, Teacher, Non-editing teacher

Aggregate type
No ratings

Restrict ratings to items with dates in this range:

From
20 February 2018 12 00

To
20 February 2018 12 00

Common module settings

ID number

Group mode
No groups

Grouping
None

Add group/grouping access restriction

Restrict access

Access restrictions

Student match the following

Background information about setting “due dates” in forums:

Moodlerooms Forums do not have a “due date” choice as there is with quizzes and assignments. Nothing will appear in the Deadlines area. Nothing will appear in the course calendar unless you add it manually with the “[Add event](#)” feature.

What you can do to prevent students from posting to a forum after the date you want it to be due:

- If you **are not using a Moodle type of rubric** to grade the forum, you can apply a “Restrict access” setting to allow students access to the forum only until a specified date/time. [Click here](#) for help adding a date type of restriction.
- If you **are using a Moodle type of rubric** to grade the forum, you should **not** set a restrict access date since students will not be able to access the rubric or your activity comments after the access date has passed. [Click here](#) to see how to prevent students from posting/replying after your “due date.”

Completion tracking

Show activity as

Require view

Student must view this activity to complete it

Require grade

Student must receive a grade to complete this activity

Require posts

Student must post discussions or replies:

Require discussions

Student must create discussions:

Require replies

Student must post replies:

Expect completed on

Enable

Tags

Tags

No selection

Activity completion settings example:

These settings will cause an activity completion check mark to appear beside the forum link once a student has posted an original response and replied to at least 2 fellow students’ posts.

Make adjustments depending on what you require of students.