CTL · Updates

The new three-week May Term in 2018 is a good opportunity to offer an online course that you may have offered in Interterm in previous years.

Online courses get higher enrollment the earlier an instructor is assigned to them, so start including May & Summer terms in your future planning! You'll receive an email when it's time to submit proposals to teach.

Stipend Opportunity:
[Proposal to Present at a Learn Together Lunch](#)

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D2L · Updates

Dropbox default is back to "Visible." The change in August was out of our control, but D2L developers have responded to requests from users to make change that default setting. Now, when you create dropbox, it will be visible to students, and you have the option to give it "hidden" status in the Restrictions tab.

Grade exemptions can be Bulk Edited per user. This results in the word "Exempt" showing for the students as you choose them. For step-by-step instructions, see the solution [Bulk Editing Learner Grades](#). Good solution for:

- Crosslisted courses with different assignments
- Group work in face-to-face courses

Time-Saving Tip!
You can quickly make adjustments to grades, names, categories, weights, and point values after you've built or imported your gradebook. (This may not be new, but it was recently discovered.) For step-by-step instructions, see the solution [Bulk Editing Grade Items](#).

Google Drive & OneDrive are now available as "Existing Activities" content, and sharing settings will automatically be set to "view only" so students will have to save their own copy to edit.

Upcoming Events

November 8: "Mythbusters: The Truth about Online Learning" at 11:30 & 12:30, Krober Rm with DC lunch

November 20-24: Thanksgiving Break! No face-to-face classes. (OLB Sections-this **is** one of your 8 weeks)

December 17: End of Fall Term

December 19: Grades Due

Interterm: January 8 - 19

January 22: First day of Spring Term

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