What is new in Moodle™?

Below is some general information about the major updates and new features that have been released in recent versions of core Moodle™.

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- **New for admins:**
  - Users will experience a dramatically new look and feel, considering new navigation options and UX improvements.
  - Admins can now set a background image for the improved login page.
  - The new Report Builder helps you quickly create custom reports, and share them with selected users, roles, or cohorts.
  - LTI 1.3 Advantage is now supported. These improvements also include the LTI 1.3 Advantage host capabilities as well.
  - A limited version of the web conferencing tool BigBlueButton is now an integrated feature that supports 60-minute sessions for up to 25 attendees. Additional users and/or recording retention can be purchased directly from BigBlueButton.
- **New for students:**
  - Access courses quickly from the My Courses tab at the top of the site.
  - Stay on target with deadlines with an improved Timeline on the Dashboard.
  - Move smoothly between course sections and view completion status for activities easily from the Course Index.
- **New for teachers:**
  - The new Course Index makes course navigation much smoother, and allows instructors to quickly rearrange course content (editing must be on to rearrange course content).
  - A dedicated edit mode toggle in the Navigation Bar follows instructors as they scroll up and down the page.
  - The new Blocks drawer allows users to collapse course blocks, leaving more screen space for course content.

- A dedicated Settings Bar at the top of each course provides fast access to course settings, reports, grades, and participants.
- Improved question management in the Question Bank with new abilities to set a draft status for questions, review a comprehensive version history of changes to individual questions, and use custom Question Bank fields when working with colleagues.
- Activity completion can now require a passing grade.
- Assignments can now (optionally) have a time limit associated with submission.
- Instructors can now notify learners when they add or update content in the course.

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- Visual changes to completion tracking
  - Completion tracking tick boxes now appear as "mark as done" buttons on the course page.
  - New settings allow teachers to hide or show activity dates and completion conditions on the course page.
- Learners can control the speed at which Audio and Video files will play.
- An Accessibility toolkit (from Brickfield Education Labs) identifies course accessibility issues.
- Teachers can hide content in the content bank by marking it as unlisted.
- A new column in the content bank displays the number of times an item is linked.
  Teachers can view overrides and students can view pass grades directly on the Quiz page.
- Custom profile fields may be selected in User policies > Show user identity so they display in participant lists.

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- Ability to download course content if the instructor gives permission to do so.
- Send your badges to your choice of backpack.
- Easily see remaining time with a new scrolling quiz timer.
- Viewed folder resource images and HTML files directly in the browser without having to download them.

- Ability to download and/or replace H5P files in the content bank.

- Set quizzes to be marked complete based on one or more attempts.

- Import and export custom language strings for language customization.