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Once I publish a timed quiz, how can I give my students extra time?

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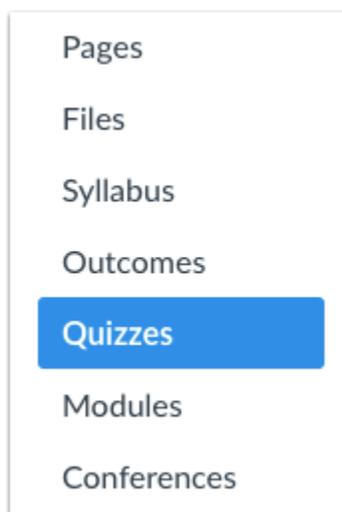
If you have set a time limit on your quiz, you can grant access for extra time. If the student hasn't taken the quiz, the extra time will be added to the student's initial attempt and additional attempts. Learn more about [managing extra attempts](#).

If a student is currently taking the quiz while you are viewing the Moderate Quiz page, you can extend the quiz time as part of their current attempt. You can choose how many minutes to extend the quiz, and whether you want to add those minutes to the current time or the current (scheduled) end time.

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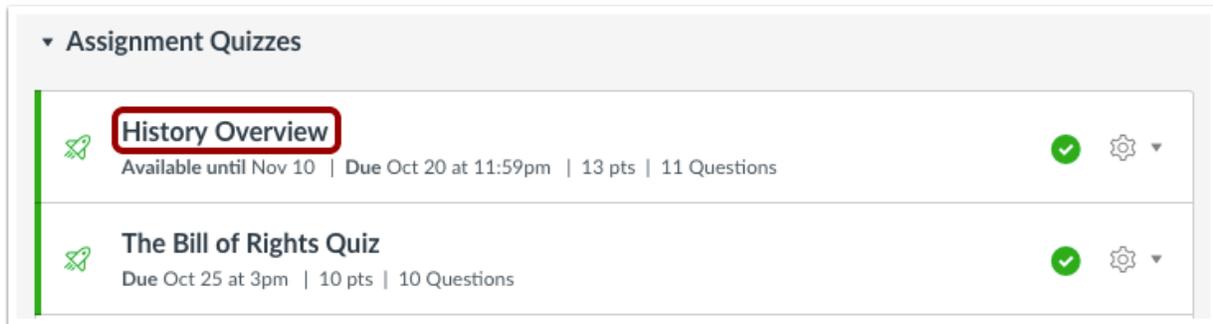
- A quiz must be published before you can moderate it. If you would like to manage the quiz moderation options before allowing students to access it, set the quiz Available from date to a future date and publish the quiz. Your students will not receive a notification for an unavailable quiz. Once you've made timing moderations, you can unpublish the quiz to save your moderations. You can then continue to edit the quiz prior to publishing it for your students to access.
- The maximum time you can extend a current attempt is 1440 minutes (24 hours).

Open Quizzes



In Course Navigation, click the **Quizzes** link.

Open Quiz

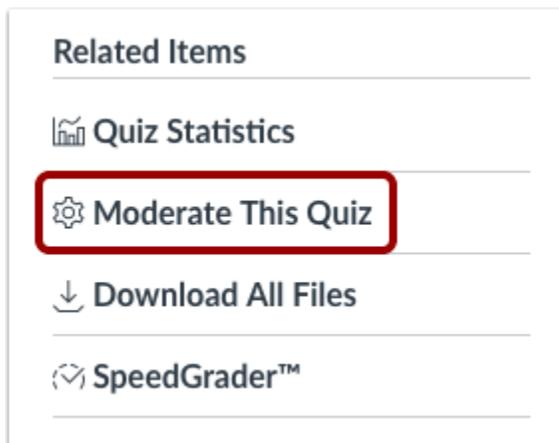


A screenshot of a course navigation menu titled "Assignment Quizzes". It lists two quizzes. The first quiz, "History Overview", is highlighted with a red box. It is available until Nov 10, due Oct 20 at 11:59pm, worth 13 pts, and has 11 questions. The second quiz, "The Bill of Rights Quiz", is due Oct 25 at 3pm, worth 10 pts, and has 10 questions. Both quizzes have a green checkmark and a settings gear icon.

Quiz Name	Availability	Due Date	Points	Questions	Status	Settings
History Overview	Available until Nov 10	Due Oct 20 at 11:59pm	13 pts	11 Questions	✓	⚙️
The Bill of Rights Quiz	Due Oct 25 at 3pm		10 pts	10 Questions	✓	⚙️

Click the name of the quiz.

Moderate this Quiz



A screenshot of a menu titled "Related Items" for a quiz. The menu items are: "Quiz Statistics", "Moderate This Quiz" (highlighted with a red box), "Download All Files", and "SpeedGrader™".

- Quiz Statistics
- Moderate This Quiz
- Download All Files
- SpeedGrader™

Click the **Moderate This Quiz** link.

Moderate Quiz

Moderate Quiz

Search People 2 Filter

<input type="checkbox"/> Student	Attempt	Time	Attempts Left	Score	
<input type="checkbox"/> Boone, Emily	1	finished in 7 minutes	9	8	1
<input type="checkbox"/> Doe, Jessica	1	finished in 1 minute	9	7.0	
<input type="checkbox"/> Johnson, Max	1	finished in 4 minutes	9	3.66666666666667	
<input type="checkbox"/> Jones, Bruce	--		10		

To moderate a quiz for one student, locate the student and click the **Edit** icon [1]. You can also filter students in your course by using the **Search People** field [2].

Moderate Quiz For Multiple Students

Moderate Quiz

Search People 2 Filter

<input type="checkbox"/> Student	Attempt	Time	Attempts Left	Score	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Boone, Emily	3	finished in 2 minutes	7	8	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Doe, Jessica	1	finished in 1 minute	9	7.0	
<input type="checkbox"/> Johnson, Max	2	finished in 2 minutes	8	3.66666666666667	
<input type="checkbox"/> Jones, Bruce	--		10		
<input type="checkbox"/> Rogers, Joe	--		10		
<input type="checkbox"/> Sanderson, Nora	--		10		
<input type="checkbox"/> Smith, Jane	--		10		

3 Change Extensions for 2 Selected Students

If you want to select multiple students, click the checkbox [1] next to each of their names. If you want to select all students, click the top checkbox [2]. Click **Change Extensions for [#] Selected Students** button [3].

Add Extra Time on Attempt

Student Extensions ×

Extensions for Boone, Emily

Extra Attempts: attempts
everyone already gets 2

Extra time on every attempt: minutes
everyone already gets 2 minutes

Let the student see the results one more time

Manually unlock the quiz for the next attempt

Type the number of extra minutes in the **Extra Time on Every Attempt** field. Extra time can only be added in full-minute increments.

If you are adding time for multiple students, the student extension box will apply the extra time for all selected students.

If the student hasn't taken the quiz, the extra time will be added to the student's initial attempt and additional attempts. Learn more about [managing extra attempts](#).

Add Extra Time on Current Attempt

Moderate Quiz						
Search People						Filter
<input type="checkbox"/> Student	Attempt	Time	Attempts Left	Score		
<input type="checkbox"/> Boone, Emily	2	00:12 	8	8		
<input type="checkbox"/> Doe, Jessica	1	finished in 1 minute	9	7.0		
<input type="checkbox"/> Johnson, Max	2	Time Up! 	8	3.66666666666667		
<input type="checkbox"/> Jones, Bruce	--		10			

If a student is currently taking the quiz while you are viewing the Moderate Quiz page, you can extend the quiz time as part of their current attempt.

For current attempts, the remaining time will display next to a **clock icon**.

To extend the time on the quiz, click the clock icon.

Note: You can only extend the time for one current quiz attempt at a time.

Extend Quiz Time

Extend Quiz Time ×

You can give this student extra time on their current quiz attempt. How much time would you like to give them?

Started: Jul 10 at 11:54am
Ending: Jul 10 at 11:56am

End the quiz minutes from

Maximum of 1440 minutes (24 hours)

Canvas will show you what time the quiz began, and what time it is scheduled to end.

Extend Quiz Time ×

You can give this student extra time on their current quiz attempt. How much time would you like to give them?

Started: Jul 10 at 11:54am
Ending: Jul 10 at 11:56am

End the quiz minutes from now

Maximum of 1440 minutes (24 hours)

Cancel **Extend Time**

In the minutes field [1], enter the number of extra minutes you want to give the student as part of their current attempt. The maximum time you can extend a current attempt is 1440 minutes (24 hours).

In the time drop-down menu [2], choose whether you want to add those minutes to the current time or the current (scheduled) end time.

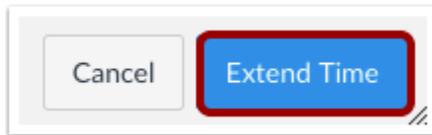
If you want to end the quiz in relation to the current time, select the **now** option in the drop-down menu.

- As an example, a student started a 20-minute quiz at 11:30 am; the quiz is set to end at 11:50 am. You moderated this quiz at 11:40, meaning that 10 minutes have gone by. However, you want to have the quiz end at 11:45. Since the current time is 11:40, you need to end the quiz in 5 minutes. Enter the number 5 in the minutes field, and select the **now** option in the drop-down menu.

If you want to end the quiz in relation to the current end time of the quiz, select the **current end time** option in the drop-down menu.

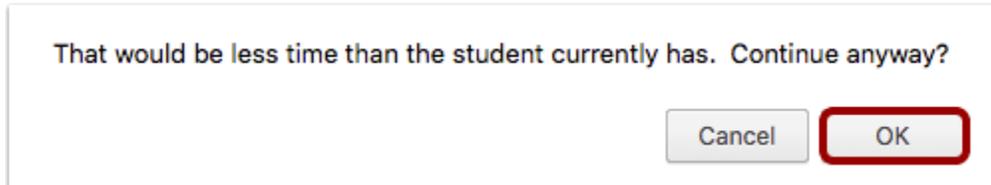
- As an example, a student started a 20-minute quiz at 11:30 am; the quiz is set to end at 11:50 am. You moderated this quiz at 11:30, meaning it was nearly the same time that the student started the quiz, and you want to extend the quiz to end at noon. If the current end time is 11:50 am and you want to extend it by 10 minutes, enter the number 10 in the minutes field, and select the **current end time** option in the drop-down menu.

Extend Time



Click the **Extend Time** button.

Less Time Warning



Changing the time in relation to the **Now** option might mean that the student will have less time than was originally on the clock. In our example, the student still had 10 minutes remaining when the instructor moderated the quiz. Changing the time to 5 minutes means the student has 5 fewer minutes to take the quiz.

If you want to change this option, click the Cancel button. Otherwise, click the **OK** button.

Verify Extension

Moderate Quiz					
Search People					Filter
<input type="checkbox"/> Student	Attempt	Time	Attempts Left	Score	
<input type="checkbox"/> Boone, Emily	--		3		
<input type="checkbox"/> Doe, Jessica	--		3		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Johnson, Max			3		
gets 15 extra minutes on each attempt					

View student time extensions on the Moderate Quiz page.

Note: Once you finish moderating a quiz, you can unpublish the quiz and all moderations will be saved. You can then continue to edit the quiz prior to publishing it for your students to access.