

TURNITIN AND DIFFERENTIATED GRADES

This document is for all staff using turnitin for online marking and feedback. Please be aware that you should not use canvas' 'differentiated grades' with a turnitin assignment if you are marking in turnitin.

Differentiated grades is when you have more than one deadline for an assignment. Canvas assignments are built in such as way as to offer more than one deadline.

Some staff have been using this in conjunction with turnitin assignments to allow extensions for students. This can cause issues with the Turnitin integration.

The screenshot shows the 'Assign' dialog box in Canvas, which allows for creating differentiated assignments. It features two distinct assignment entries, each with its own settings:

- Entry 1:**
 - Assign to:** A dropdown menu showing 'Everyone else' with a close icon (X).
 - Due:** A date and time selector set to '10 May 23:59', with the full date 'Thu, 10 May 2018 23:59' displayed below.
 - Available from:** An empty date and time selector.
 - Until:** An empty date and time selector.
- Entry 2:**
 - Assign to:** A dropdown menu showing 'Roy Sinclair' with a close icon (X).
 - Due:** A date and time selector set to '12 May 23:59', with the full date 'Sat, 12 May 2018 23:59' displayed below.
 - Available from:** An empty date and time selector.
 - Until:** An empty date and time selector.

At the bottom of the dialog, there is a '+ Add' button to create a new entry.

RECOMMENDED PRACTICE

Create multiple assignments for the extensions


1. First, create an Assignment Group using this guide
<https://community.canvaslms.com/docs/DOC-10149-415241291>
2. Add the Turnitin Assignments and extension assignments to this Assignment Group
3. Create the main turnitin assignments as normal.
4. Create the extensions and release them just to the students with extensions

Assign


Assign to

Roy Sinclair ×

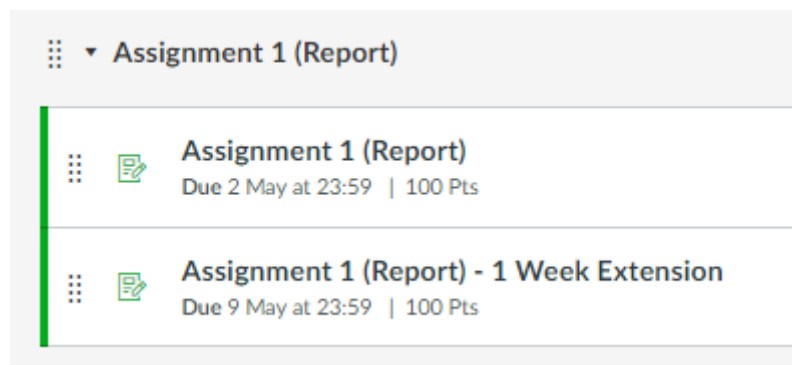
Due

9 May 23:59 


Wed, 9 May 2018 23:59


5. Drag and drop the assignments into the assignment group in the assignments area of canvas by using the 'grab handle'  attached to the assignment.

The final arrangement will look something like this:



☰ ▾ Assignment 1 (Report)

☰  **Assignment 1 (Report)**
Due 2 May at 23:59 | 100 Pts

☰  **Assignment 1 (Report) - 1 Week Extension**
Due 9 May at 23:59 | 100 Pts

The grades area will then show a total column for that assignment including the assignment and the extensions.