Edit Options Overview

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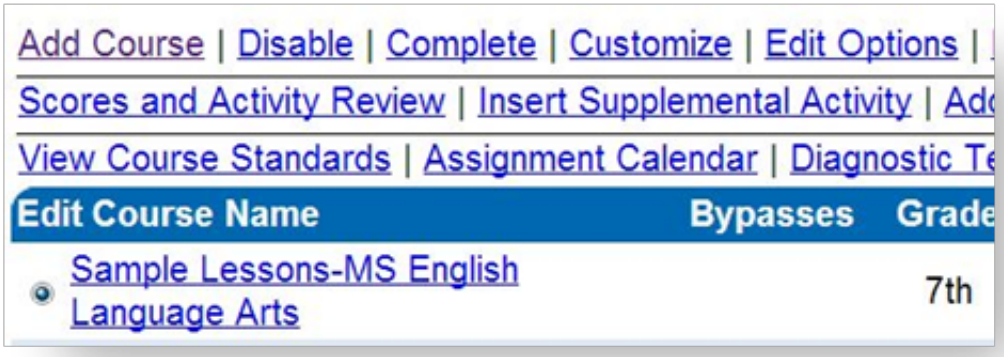
Introduction

The Edit Options page allows teachers to control the way a course functions in areas such as passing thresholds, grade weights, start date, target date, pretesting, etc. for individual students. The Edit Options page features described in this section relate directly to changes that can be made at the individual student level for a specific course assigned to that specific student. Changing the Course Options relates to changing course options for those courses being distributed at the district-wide/school-wide level and can be done only by school or district administrators. In order to have access to and make changes to the Edit Options page, users must have the Edit Options permission in the Student Courses group of permissions.

This document provides information on accessing the Edit Options page and a basic explanation of the features in the Edit Options page. It is written with the assumption that the user understands how to access the Web Administrator and how to view a student's course list. For information on these functions or for more details about specific sections of the Edit Options page, please refer to the corresponding documents.

Accessing the Edit Options Page

1. From the student's course list, select the course by clicking on the **Edit** radio button.
2. Click the **Edit Options** link above.



Overview of the Edit Options Page

The following page offers an image of the Edit Options page depicting the default values for this particular course. Not all courses will offer the same default settings. On the page after the image, a brief description of each section is provided. For details on a particular section of the Edit Options page, please refer to the other documents in the Edit Options section of eCommunity.

Please note that before any changes made to the Edit Options page will become active, the user must click the **Submit** link at the bottom of the page and then the **Submit** link on the confirmation page that appears.

Course Name – Allows user to change the displayed title of the course

Assessment Thresholds – Used to specify the minimum passing score for each type of assessment

Grade Weights – Allows user to change the course grade influence for different activity or assessment type

Time Limits for Assignments – Provides values for the maximum allowed time for the student to complete the different types of assessments

Auto Grading Method – Allows user to specify which of the three different grading methods are used for the course

Starting and Target Dates – Specifies the beginning and projected completion dates for the course

Assessment Options – This set of features are used to alter the way that student takes assessments and the options available to them

Teacher Review – These options allow educators to enable and configure the Teacher Review feature, which requires the student to have assessments unlocked by a teacher before the student is able to access them

Pretesting – Allows user to enable the pretesting feature of the course to provide the student with the option to test-out of a lesson before viewing the content

Quiz Review Method – Allows user to specify which of the three different options for quiz review are available for the student

Prescriptive Testing – Used to enable a diagnostic test taken at the very beginning of a course, the results of which will automatically customize the course for the student
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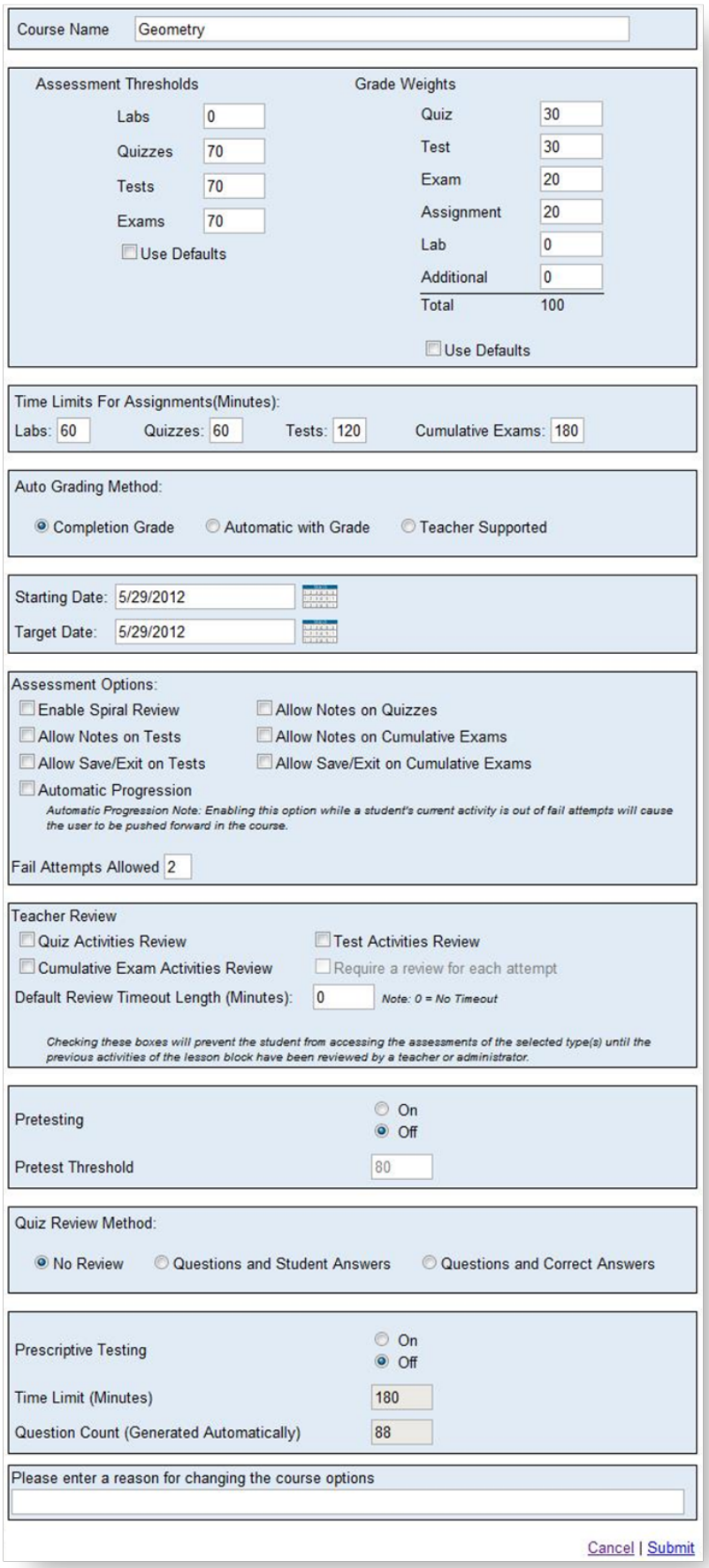
Course Name Geometry
Assessment Thresholds
Labs 0
Quizzes 70
Tests 70
Exams 70
Use Defaults
Grade Weights
Quiz 30
Test 30
Exam 20
Assignment 20
Lab 0
Additional 0
Total 100
Use Defaults
Time Limits For Assignments(Minutes):
Labs: 60 Quizzes: 60 Tests: 120 Cumulative Exams: 180
Auto Grading Method:
Completion Grade Automatic with Grade Teacher Supported
Starting Date: 5/29/2012
Target Date: 5/29/2012
Assessment Options:
Enable Spiral Review
Allow Notes on Quizzes
Allow Notes on Tests
Allow Notes on Cumulative Exams
Allow Save/Exit on Tests
Allow Save/Exit on Cumulative Exams
Automatic Progression
Automatic Progression Note: Enabling this option while a student's current activity is out of fail attempts will cause the user to be pushed forward in the course.
Fail Attempts Allowed 2
Teacher Review
Quiz Activities Review
Test Activities Review
Cumulative Exam Activities Review
Require a review for each attempt
Default Review Timeout Length (Minutes): 0 Note: 0 = No Timeout
Checking these boxes will prevent the student from accessing the assessments of the selected type(s) until the previous activities of the lesson block have been reviewed by a teacher or administrator.
Pretesting On Off
Pretest Threshold 80
Quiz Review Method:
No Review Questions and Student Answers Questions and Correct Answers
Prescriptive Testing On Off
Time Limit (Minutes) 180
Question Count (Generated Automatically) 88
Please enter a reason for changing the course options
Cancel | Submit