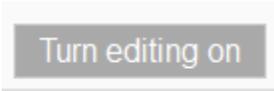


How do I add a URL Resource in Moodle 2.

The URL resource allows teachers to create a link inside the course to direct students to a website or an external file.

Follow the steps below to create a URL.

Turn on editing mode.

A rectangular button with a light gray background and a thin border, containing the text "Turn editing on" in a dark gray font.

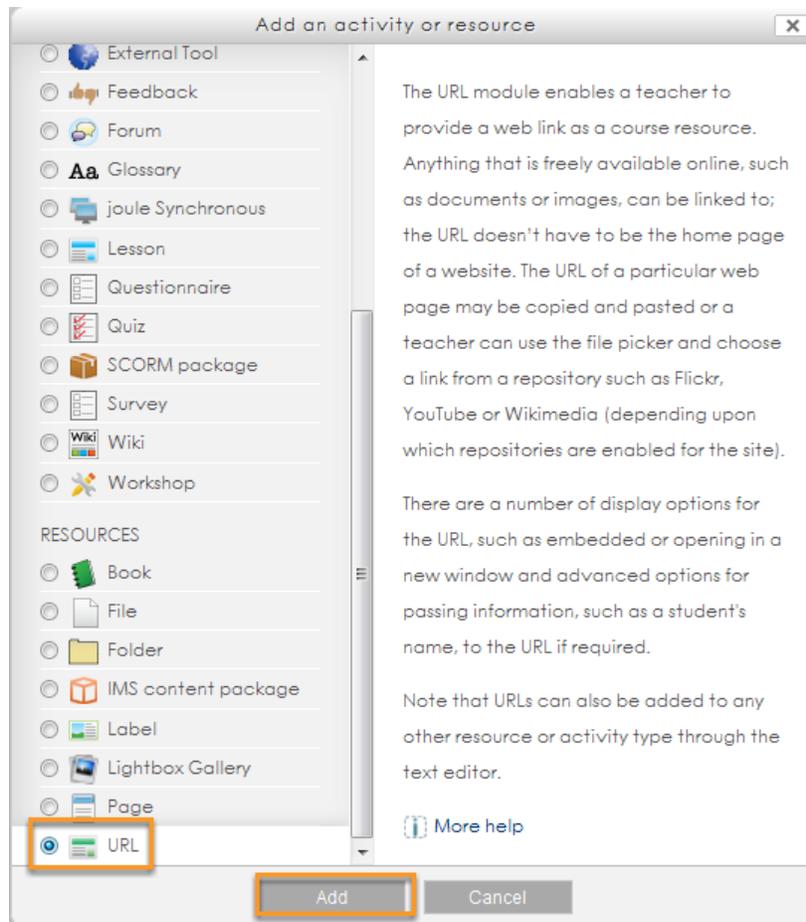
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Select a topic and click "Add an activity or resource" to open the Activity chooser.

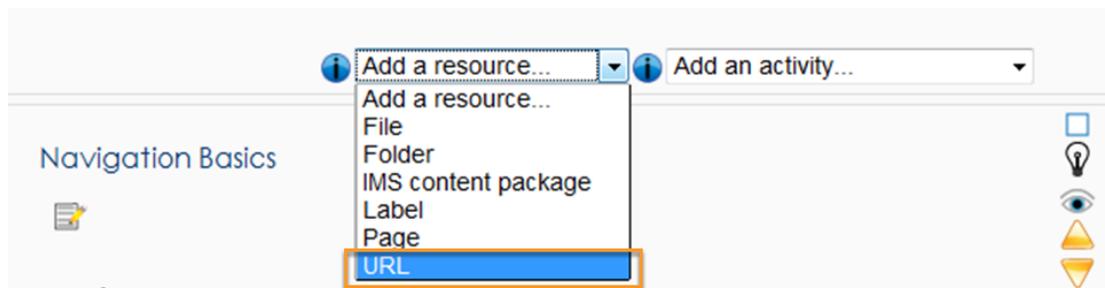
A rectangular button with a light gray background and a thin border, containing a green plus sign icon and the text "Add an activity or resource" in a dark gray font.

[Click here to learn how to add an Activity in Folder View.](#)

Select "URL" and click the "Add" button.



If the Activity chooser is off, click the "Add a resource" drop-down menu and select "URL."



Define URL Options.

Options

1 Display Automatic ▾

2 Popup width (in pixels)* 620

Popup height (in pixels)* 450

3 Display URL name

Display URL description

1. Define Display:

- * Automatic - The best display option for the URL is selected automatically.
- * Embed - The URL is displayed within the page below the navigation bar together with the URL description and any blocks.
- * Open - Only the URL is displayed in the browser window.
- * In pop-up - The URL is displayed in a new browser window without menus or an address bar.

2. If "In pop-up" is selected, determine the dimensions of the new window .

3. Check boxes to display URL name and description

Optionally, choose Parameters to pass with the link.

Parameters

parameter=variable* Choose a variable... ▾

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Course

- id
- Course full name
- Course short name
- Course ID number
- Summary

Sometimes a destination site will want data passed with the link. This feature allows for the creation of a parameter string using custom fields and real user/course data.

Select Outcomes to associate to this content

Outcomes

Select outcomes
No outcomes are currently mapped. To map this item against outcomes, please click above.

[Click here to learn how](#)

Define Common module & Restrict access settings.

Common module settings * Show advanced

1 Group mode
Visible
ID number

Restrict access

Allow access from Enable

2 Allow access until Enable

Release code

Grade condition must be at least % and less than %

Completion condition must be marked complete

Before this can be accessed

1. Select Common module settings. [Click here to learn how.](#)
2. Determine Restrict access conditions. [Click here to learn how.](#)

Select Activity completion settings.

Activity completion

Completion tracking
1

Require view Student must view this activity to complete it

Expect completed on Enable
2

If enabled, Activity completion is tracked, either manually or automatically, based on certain conditions. Multiple conditions may be set if desired and the activity will only be considered complete when ALL conditions are met.

1. Select Completion tracking method.
2. Select date when the Activity is expected to be completed. The date is not shown to students and is only displayed in the Activity completion report. [Click here to learn how to view the Activity completion report.](#)

Click "Save and display"

Save and return to course

Save and display

Cancel

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