

Fill in the Blank Questions

In this tutorial we will learn how to create a fill in the blank question.

Step 1. General Setup

For a fill in the blank question we will have question texts and blanks

When taking the question, it would appear as:

The is the largest land animal but the fastest land animal is the

← Question Text ← Question Blank ← Question Text
 ← Question Blank

Create New: -- Question or Section -- 1B. and click go.

There are currently 0 questions in this section.

To add a question to this section, click the image of the question type you want to add.

- Question or Section --
- Section
- Random Section
- Question
- True or False Question (T/F)
- Multiple Choice Question (MC)
- Multi-Select Question (M-S)
- Long Answer Question (LA)
- Short Answer Question (SA)
- Multi-Short Answer Question (MSA)
- Fill in the Blanks Question (FIS)** 1A. First, select the fill in the blank question type in the question library
- Matching Question (MAT)

Title: 1C. You have the option to enter a title but if you don't enter a title your question text will automatically be the title of your question.

* Points:

1D. You are required to specify the number of points.

We recommend you to enter a title if you have questions with similar question texts that way the title will help you to distinguish the question when you look at the question list.

Difficulty: 1E. You can enter a difficulty level, the difficulty level may be used when you randomize questions, when you randomize questions you can ensure that each student receives the same number of questions of that particular difficulty level.

Acceptable file formats for images are jpeg, gif, bmp, and png.

Image:

Description:

1F. The description box will allow the instructor to enter a description for the image. This way those who have a visual impairment will be able to get information about the image using screen reader software.

Associated Objectives:

Associated learning objectives will be covered in another tutorial.

Step 2. Question Text Box

You may have noticed that there is no question box in the general section. There is a question text box in the question text section. The reason is that you separate the question text into different boxes.

Question Text

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2A. You can add a blank and add a text box.

Text:

2B. When you type a question in the text box you type your sentence up to the last word before the blank is to be inserted.

In the blank box beneath the text box you enter the answer to the fill in the blank sentence you typed up above. The order of the boxes always appears as text, blank, text, blank, this is because the blank corresponds to the text box above it. When you add blanks you can specify the size and add answers.

Blank # 1: Size: 1

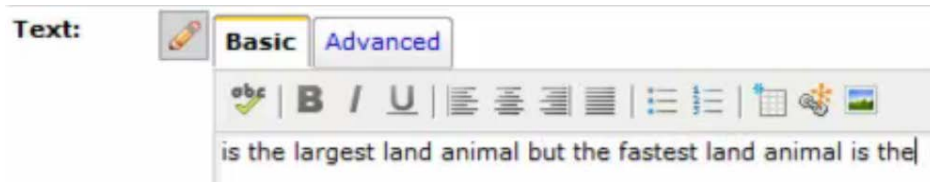
2C. Type the answer in the answer box

Answer	Weight (%)	Evaluation	Remove
<input type="text" value="African elephant"/>	<input type="text" value="0"/>		

2D. and add a weight value.

- Case Insensitive
- Case Sensitive
- Regular Expression

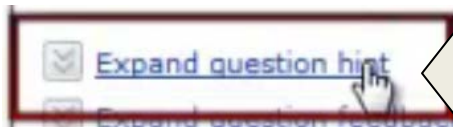
2E. You can specify if the answer is case insensitive or sensitive or regular expression.



2F. The next text box is used to end the sentence or continue the sentence



2G. and add a blank.



2H. You can add a question hint by clicking on the expansion arrow. You can use hints to guide your students during the exam. To make the hints visible you need to set it up in the properties tab of the quiz.



2I. You can also add a question feedback by clicking on its expansion arrow. Feedback will not be visible to students unless you choose to show question answers in the submission view tab.

Step 3. Ways to Save and Preview Work

At the top and bottom of your page you can click the preview, save, save and copy, or save and new button.



3A. The preview button can be used to see the question from the student and instructor's perspective for grading purposes.



3B. If you are planning to create a different type of question after this one, click the save button.



3C. If you would like to create another fill in the blank question with a similar question text click the save and copy button.



3D. If you would like to create a new fill in the blank question with different information click the save and new button.

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