

# Creator+ Page Elements & Practices

*A Brightspace Tip*



**Creator+** is a content authoring package that provides opportunities for teachers to create highly desirable, engaging, and delightful experiences in minutes without needing HTML coding knowledge. Creators can build dynamic content and media experiences that appeal to the love of learning, improve comprehension, and achieve high engagement for instructors and learners.

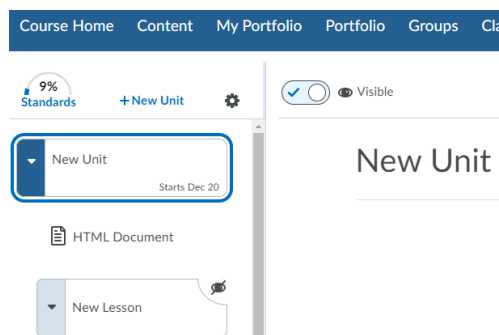
View [Creator+ samples](#) here.

Related Tutorials: [Copy Creator+ HTML Docs](#) | [Classic HTML Templates](#)

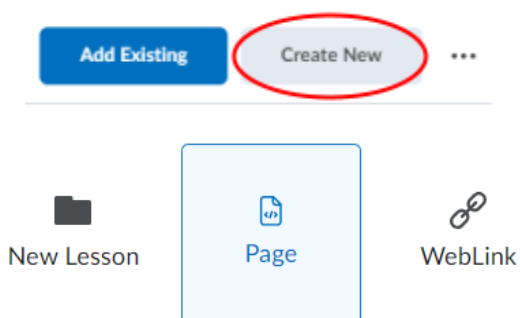
## Setting up a Creator+ Page

1. Navigate to a course and then the Content tool to select the content block (Unit/Lesson/Folder) that will house your Page .

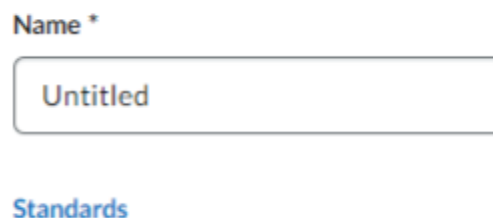
[More Info on Using the Content Tool](#)



2. Select an existing HTML document or select Create New > Page (HTML doc).



3. Give the document a **Name**.

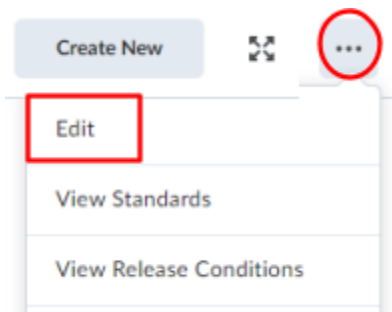


### Option: Add Standards

- Choose standards to associate with Content
- Standards must be added to the course first.

[Adding Standards to a Course or Content](#)

**Note:** Select the three-dot menu and Edit to add standards to existing Content.



Name \*

Untitled

Standards

Due Date

M/D/YYYY

### Option: Availability Dates & Conditions

- Choose when students will gain and lose access to the doc with **Start/End Dates**.

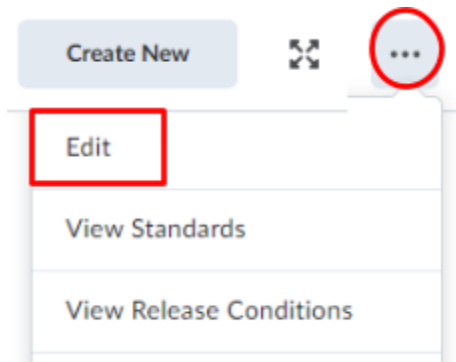
[More on Availability Dates](#)

- **Add Release Conditions**

[Release Condition Types](#)

Manage student access by [Groups](#) or [Sections](#)

**Note:** Select the three-dot menu and Edit to add release conditions to existing Content.



### Availability Dates & Conditions

Start Date

M/D/YYYY

End Date

M/D/YYYY

Release Conditions

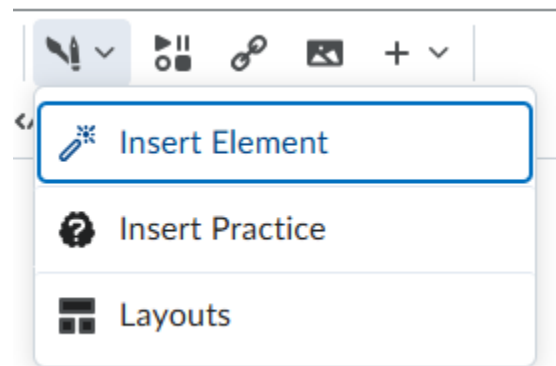
Users are not able to access or view the Activity unless they meet the release conditions.

Add Release Condition ▼

4. Navigate to Page Content and select Other Insert Options.

**Notes:**

- **Layouts** can be used to organize content into columns. This replaces the need to use a table with invisible borders.
- Layouts can be added within a Creator+ Element or a Creator+ Element can be added inside a Layout.
- After a Layout is applied a context menu provides an additional option that allows creators to [switch the existing layout style](#) for another layout style.

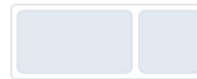


### Layouts

Format Options \* ?



**Two Panels**  
Two equally sized panels.



**Two Thirds / One Third Panels**  
A large panel followed by a smaller panel.



**One Third / Two Thirds Panels**  
A small panel followed by a larger panel.

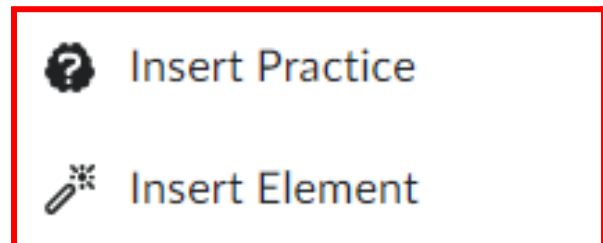


**Three Panels**  
Three equally sized panels.

5. Select [Insert Practice](#) or [Insert Element](#).

**Notes:**

- Practices and Elements can both be used in the same Page (HTML doc).
- Other features (Quicklink, Insert Stuff, video note, text, etc.) can be added along with Elements and/or Practices.



## Creator+ Practice

Create formative and interactive learning activities to let learners test their comprehension and get immediate feedback on their understanding of a topic outside of a formal assessment.

1. Select **Insert Practice** and select a practice type.

[Dropdown Fill in the Blank Sample](#)  
[Sequencing Sample](#)  
[Sorting Sample](#)

Select a Practice type to begin building.

Dropdown Fill in the Blanks

Fill in the Blanks

Multi-Select

Multiple Choice

Sequencing

Sorting

True or False

2. Work through the components to build the Practice using the directions and guidance embedded within each component. As you build, a preview will appear to the right.

- Select the  for added guidance.

Short Description

This text will not display in the learner view of the Practice. It appears in the published Practice placeholder for the Creator view only

How will this practice be scored?

All or Nothing



Dropdown Fill in the Blank Demo

Practice instructions

Fill in each blank with the most appropriate word.

Whenever a moving object experiences FRICTION, some of its kinetic energy is changed into

Select Answer blank1

energy. Your body changes chemical energy into

Select Answer blank2

energy when you walk upstairs. Lighting is a form of

Select Answer blank3

energy.

Check Answers

3. Select **Insert**.

Insert

Preview

Cancel

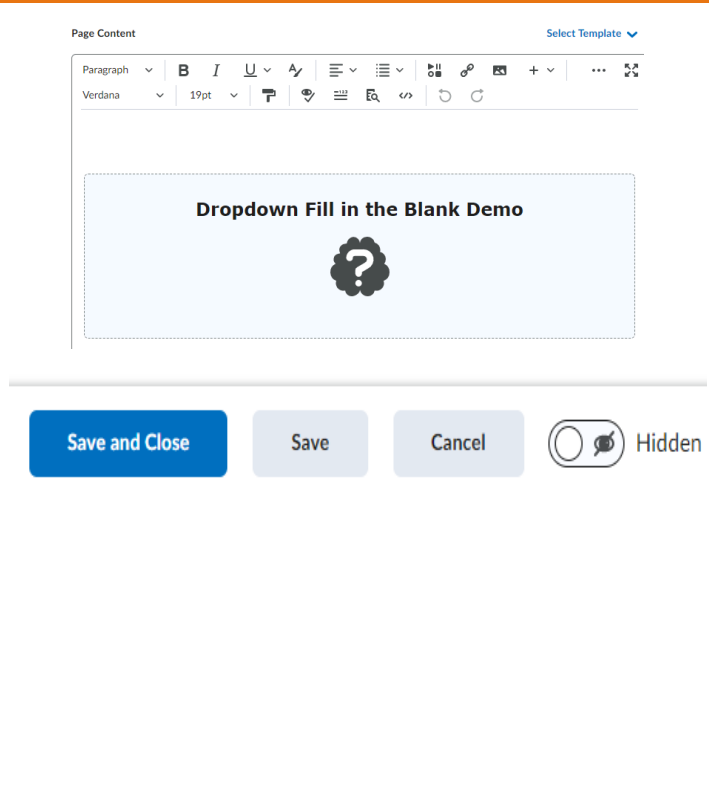
4. Close the dialog box (upper-right).



Your practice has been saved! You may now close this dialog.

5. Select **Save and Close** at the bottom.

[Learn more about Creator+ Practices](#)



## Creator+ Element

Add dynamic components used to share content with a user-friendly authoring experience that does not require HTML coding knowledge or experience.

1. Select **Insert Element** and the element type.

[Accordion Sample](#)

[Tabs Sample](#)

[Click and Reveal Sample](#)

[Flip Cards Sample](#)

[Image Carousel Sample](#)

Learn more about the [Hotspot Element](#)

### Insert Element



Accordion



Tabs



Click and Reveal



Callout



Timeline



Stylized Quote



Flip Cards




Carousel



Hotspot

2. Work through the components to build the Element using the directions and guidance embedded in each component.

- Select the  for added guidance or Preview to review the element.

#### Insert Element

##### Tabs

Format Options \* 

☒ Horizontal ☐ Vertical

Learner Instructions \* 

Select each item to learn more.

Tab Labels and Related Content \*

Tab 1 Title \*

Enter your tab label. This might be a word or a phrase. Keep it brief!

Tab 1 Content \*

Format  **B** *I* U         
Font  Font ...         

Back

Preview

Cancel

3. Select **Insert**.

**Note:** Selecting **Cancel** will remove all previous edits.

Back

Insert

Cancel

4. Select **Save and Close**.

[Learn more about Creator+ Elements](#)

Save and Close

Save

Cancel



Hidden

## Layouts Adjustment

## Accordion Element

*Let's start with five simple ways you can help.*

## Create Accordion Element

## Tabs Element

★ Submit your finished project here [✔ Novel Choice Board](#) ★

Select each item to learn more before making your choice.

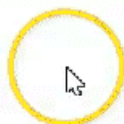
<b>Watercolor Drawing</b>	<p>Paint a scene from either chapter 9 or 10. Your watercolor painting can be a true picture, or it can be something abstract. As you create your painting, consider the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Point of view</li><li>• Tone or mood</li><li>• Theme</li></ul> <p>Once you have finished your painting, develop a found poem or CER paragraph that explains your painting and connections to the chapter you chose.</p>
Character Reference Letter	
Blackout Poetry	
Script It!	
Art Collection	
Playlist/Soundtrack	

## Click and Reveal Element

The four seasons—summer, fall, winter, and spring — follow one another regularly. Each has its own light, temperature, and weather patterns that repeat yearly.

Select to learn more.

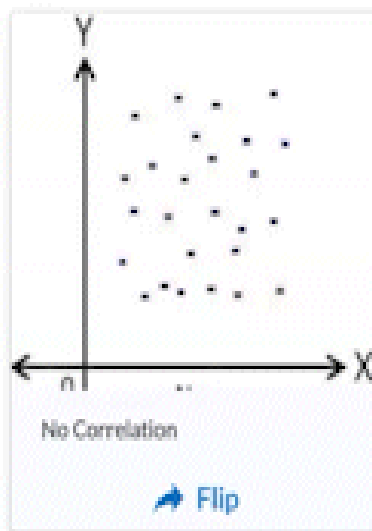
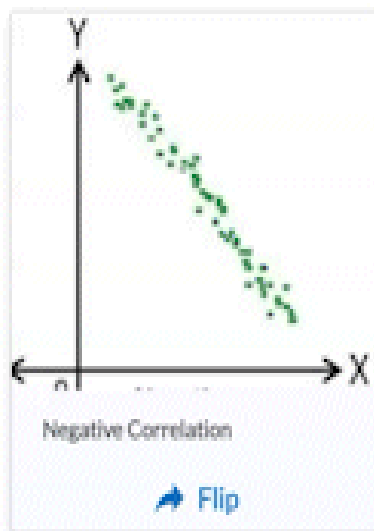
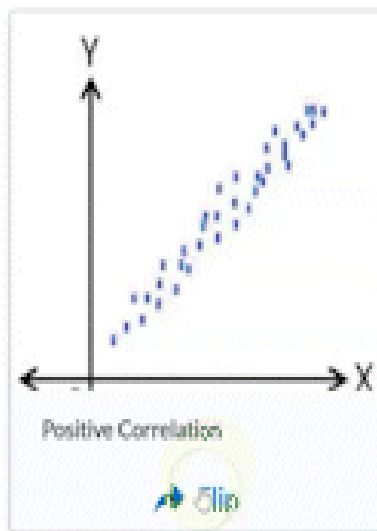
[Learn About the 4 Seasons](#)





## Flip Cards Element

Select each item to learn more.



## Carousel Element - Teacher

### Insert Element

Carousel Slide 1

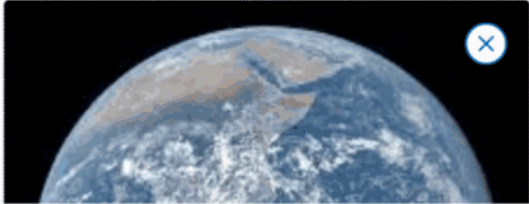
Options

Edit Image

Earth

Remove Title

Remove Text



Earth is the third planet from the Sun and the only place known in the universe where life has originated and found habitability. While Earth may not contain the largest volumes of water in the Solar System, only Earth sustains liquid surface water, extending over 70.8% of the Earth with its ocean, making Earth an ocean world. Earth's polar regions currently retain most of all other

Back

Preview

Cancel

## Carousel Element - Student

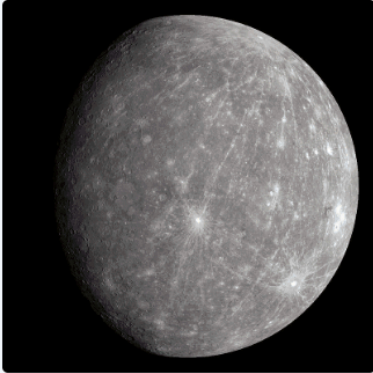
The Solar System

Planets

The Sun

Select 'Next' or 'Previous' to progress through slides.

Mars



Mars is the fourth planet from the Sun and the third largest and massive terrestrial object in the Solar System. Mars has a thin atmosphere and a crust primarily composed of elements similar to Earth's crust, as well as a core made of iron and nickel. Mars has surface features such as impact craters, valleys, dunes.

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1 / 3

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## Dropdown Fill in the Blank Practice

### Maryland Facts

Fill in each blank with the most appropriate word.

Including Baltimore City, Maryland has  counties.  was

Maryland's first county.

Check Answers



## Sequencing Practice

### Sequencing: Advancements During Renaissance

Put the cultural advancements made during the Renaissance in the order that they occurred.

Drag any sequence item to drop it in the correct sequence position. You can also tap a sequence item, then tap the sequence position you want to move it to.



1

1450



Da Vinci completes the  
Mona Lisa

2

1492



Columbus sails to the  
Americas

3

1506



Gutenberg invents the  
Printing Press

Check Answers



# Sorting Practice

## Renewable or Nonrenewable?

Are the following renewable or nonrenewable resources?

Drag a sortable item from the menu to drop it in the category it belongs to. Items can be dragged from one category to another or back to the Sortable Items menu.



### Categories

#### Renewable

SORTABLE ITEMS: 0 / 2

drop here

#### Nonrenewable

SORTABLE ITEMS: 0 / 2

drop here

### Sortable Items



Oil



Animal



Gold



Wood

drop here

Check Answers

## Accessibility

Using HTML templates can help you achieve accessibility standards by providing a layout that supports adaptive technology like screen readers. Some common accessibility standards that HTML templates help you to achieve are:

- Use headings to communicate the relationships between sections
- Never use color alone to convey meaning. If you want to show how concepts and objects relate to each other use a combination of size, color, and text labels
- Use relative font sizes and make sure the text and page layout adjusts when font sizes are changed. Users should not have to scroll horizontally
- Include text alternatives or detailed captions for multimedia content like audio or video files

If you would like more information on web content accessibility guidelines?

Visit the [Web Accessibility Initiative](#).

