

## Self and Peer Assessment

The Self and Peer Assessment Building Block is a tool designed to facilitate the objective, analytical, and learning comprehension skills of students. Reviewing the work of fellow students through criteria-based reference evaluation allows constructive feedback. The constructive feedback that students give to and receive from their peers can enhance their comprehension of the subject material and provide valuable insights into their own efforts.

### Creating a New Self and Peer Assessment

1. Access a content area and point to **Assessments** on the action bar to access the drop-down list.
2. Select **Self and Peer Assessment**.
3. On the **Create Self and Peer Assessment** page, type a **Name**.
4. Type instructions for the assessment in the **Instructions** content editor.
5. Optionally, use the content editor **Insert File** function to add files.
6. Set the **Submission Start Date** and **Submission End Date** by using the date and time fields.
7. Set the **Start Date** and **End Date** for the peer evaluations by using the date and time fields.
8. **Allow Anonymous Evaluations** by selecting **Yes**. Click **No** to disallow.
9. **Allow Self Evaluations** by selecting **Yes**. Click **No** to disallow.
10. Allow submitters to view their own evaluation results by selecting **Yes** for **Show Evaluation Results to Submitter**. Click **No** to disallow.
11. In the **Number of Submissions to Evaluate** field, define how many of their peer's tests each student is expected to evaluate.

NOTE: The number entered in the **Number of Submissions to Evaluate** field does not include the creator of the assessment. Type zero (0) in this field if self-evaluations are the only kind you want.

12. Make the assessment available by selecting **Yes**. Select **No** to make it unavailable.
13. Track the number of views by selecting **Yes**. Select **No** to disable tracking.
14. Select **Display After** and/or **Display Until** to control when the content is available.
15. Set the date and time restrictions for the attached content by using the date and time fields for **Display After** or **Display Until**.
16. Click **Submit**.

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