

Thoughts on OpenClass

What is OpenClass?

OpenClass is a website which provides services that help create reviews and assignments that can be techionista-generated for students. In our case we can have separate classes in OpenClass that can be made for each of the microsoft modules we teach (ex. AZ900, PL300 etc.). Assignments can be released and students progress can be tracked through the OpenClass dashboard.

Some Thoughts

- Great style and very clean and easy to use interface
- Crowdsourcing questions are useful (not many available though?)
- Time to make one assignment is quite high, but produces higher quality education for our students
- Love the concept of a feedback after each question

Some questions

- To practice data manipulation and querying (SQL) questions, is it possible to upload a dataset, from which the code will be run?
 - If so, how can this be done? How large can such a dataset be?
 - Important for the DP-203 module
- Feedback for each question must be uploaded, is there no way that it can simply be written in OpenClass itself?
 - Instead of uploading a pdf file for an explanation.
- How scalable is it?
 - How many students can be included in each class? (Just to ensure this is not a limiting factor in the future as number of students grow)