eFundi Tutorial: Test & Quizzes How do I publish an assessment (i.e. test or quiz)



After you have created an assessment, you must publish it before students can view and submit it.

Note: A published test only becomes visible to students once the set *availability date* is met. Therefore, you can publish your tests in advance, but they will only become visible to your students on the date you set for it to become available/ released to your students.

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Step 1: Go to Tests & Quizzes

Select the Tests & Quizzes tool from the Tool Menu of your course site.



Step 2.1: Publish with current settings

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If you are sure that the default or current settings are appropriate, you can publish from either the **action menu** or the **edit assessment screen**.

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Step 2.2: Edit the settings and then publish

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If you would first like to edit the settings before publishing your test, navigate from the Tests & Quizzes tool home screen, under Working Copies, choose the **Settings** option in the drop-down menu for the quiz you would like to publish.

Be sure that you are in the **Working Copies** tab, otherwise, you won't see your unpublished items.

Alternatively, you can access assessment settings from the edit assessment screen

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If you are currently editing the quiz in question, click the **Settings** link at the top of the assessment editing screen.

Adjust the settings as desired

See the article How do I view and modify the settings of an assessment?

Note: Settings are typically adjusted fully on the Working Copy before publishing.

Save settings and publish



Once you have completed all of your settings selections, click the **Save Settings** and **Publish** button at the bottom of the screen.

Note: You may also choose to **Save** settings without publishing, or **Cancel** to cancel the assessment settings.

Step 3: Review and confirm publishing of assessment



Your setting choices will be summarized for you on the confirmation screen. Review all of the information to make sure it is correct. (If you need to make changes, you can go back by clicking **Edit Settings**.)

You have the option to notify students when you publish the assessment. The default setting is **without notification**. Notifying students sends and email to their external email address to let them know the assessment has been published. It sends the message at the time of publication, NOT on the start date of the assessment.

If your assessment has an end date, you may select to **Display due date on Calendar** within the Settings. This will post an event on the Schedule/Calendar for the course on the date the assessment is due. Click **Publish** to make the assessment available to students.

Step 4: View published assessment

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Click on **Published Copies** to view your published assessments. Published assessments will be displayed in the list, along with the status, submission and release information, and the user that last modified the item.

Note: Published tests only become visible to students once the release/ availability date is met. This means until that date and time the test's status will reflect as Inactive and students will not see the test reflecting in their Test & Quizzes tool even if a notice has gone out to them about an upcoming test. They therefore need to take not of the publishing date of the test. Also, for the lecturer: once the test's due date has been met, its status will once more revert back to *Inactive*. At this stage, if a student did not partake in the test it will no longer be visible on their Test & Quizzes tool.

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