Wiki

The wiki activity module enables participants to add and edit a collection of web pages. A wiki can be collaborative, with everyone being able to edit it, or individual, where everyone has their own wiki which only they can edit.

A history of previous versions of each page in the wiki is kept, listing the edits made by each participant.

Wikis have many uses, such as:

- For group lecture notes or study guides
- For members of a faculty to plan a scheme of work or meeting agenda together
- For students to collaboratively author an online nook, creating content on a topic set by their tutor.
- For collaboratively storytelling or poetry creation, where each participant writes a line or verse
- As a personal journal for examination notes or revision

> **Step 1:** Turn editing on
> **Step 2:** + Add an activity or resource
> **Step 3:** Select "Wiki"
> **Step 4:** In an existing wiki, the wiki can be found in Administration>Wiki Administration>Edit settings.
> **Step 5:** Add a name and description to you wiki

Wiki Mode

- Choose between 'individual wiki' where each student gets their own, or 'collaborative wiki' where students work together on a single wiki.

Firs page name

- The name you add here will form the first page of your new wiki. It is a required field and once a name has been entered, it can be changed.
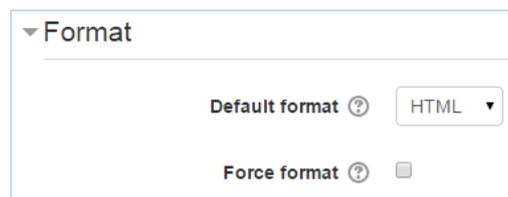
➢ **Step 6:** Select Format

Default Format

➢ Set the default type of editing your wiki will use. Choose from:

- HTML – editing using the normal text editor
- Creole – a popular wiki editing language.
- NWiki – a wiki editing language used in the contributed NWiki module

Force Format

➢ If you check this box then students cannot choose their own method of editing the wiki.

➢ **Step 7:** [Save and return to course]   [Save and display]   [Cancel]

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