

Overview

Turnitin Feedback Studio is a web-based solution that puts the student's paper/ assignment at the center of the feedback process. Turnitin Feedback Studio provides ways to

- Reduce plagiarism
- Engage students
- Deliver rich feedback
- Simplify collection, distribution and access to student assignments
- Engage students in the writing process
- Save instructors time

Features & Best Practices

- Instructors must create a 'Turnitin Assignment' within a Moodle course to allow students to submit their files through Turnitin.
- When creating a Turnitin assignment in Moodle, a grade item will automatically be created in the gradebook. Be sure to go into the gradebook to ensure it is weighted properly and in the correct category (if applicable).
- Within a syllabus or Moodle course, provide students a link to GROK article 17334 (see 'Resources') which provides instructions on how to submit files through Turnitin. Other GROK articles may also be useful to your students.
- Assignments are not limited to only papers or written assignments. Turnitin accepts any file type, however *Similarity Reports* can be generated for the following file types:

Microsoft Word, PowerPoint, WordPerfect, PostScript, PDF, HTML, RTF, OpenOffice (ODT), Hangul (HWP), Google Docs (submitted via the Google Drive submission option), plain text files
- *Similarity Reports* enable students and instructors to compare student's work to other sources. The database includes 50+ billion web pages, 500+ million student papers, and over 140,000 journals, periodicals, and books. Color-coded and percentage-tagged highlights provide immediate insight into matched content.
- It can take up to 24 hours for Turnitin to generate a Similarity Report. If one is not generated after 24 hours, contact the Turnitin Help Desk at 866-816-5046 (ext. 241).
- Instructors have the ability to specify whether or not they would like students' assignments to be submitted into the Turnitin database/ repository.
- Turnitin helps instructors to save time and improve feedback through online grading where standard and customized *QuickMarks* appear directly on the student's paper. Grades are automatically synced to the gradebook within the Moodle course.

- Use rubrics or grading forms to save time and provide consistency in the grading process. Rubrics are available for download: http://turnitin.com/en_us/community/teaching-tools/rubrics
- Give rich, personalized feedback with your own drag-and-drop comments, associate paper comments with rubric criteria, and use voice comments to save time.
- [PeerMark](#) assignments allow students to read, review, and score or evaluate one or many papers submitted by their classmates.
- Grade anywhere using your iPad. Sync assignments to your iPad so you can grade them on- or off-line.

Referenced from <http://turnitin.com>

Accessibility

Turnitin's Commitment to Accessibility: http://turnitin.com/en_us/about-us/accessibility

For assistance regarding accessibility, contact LSU Disability Services <http://disability.lsu.edu>.

Resources

- **Turnitin Support and Training**
http://turnitin.com/en_us/support
- **Turnitin Overview (GROK article # 17203)**
<https://grok.lsu.edu/Article.aspx?articleid=17203>
- **Creating a Turnitin Assignment (GROK article # 17204)**
<https://moodle2.grok.lsu.edu/article.aspx?articleid=17204>
- **How to Submit a Turnitin Assignment (for students) (GROK article # 17334)**
<https://moodle2.grok.lsu.edu/article.aspx?articleid=17334>
- **How to Access Turnitin GradeMark View (for students) (GROK article # 17698)**
<https://moodle2.grok.lsu.edu/article.aspx?articleid=17698>
- **PeerMark**
https://guides.turnitin.com/03_Integrations/Turnitin_Partner_Integrations/Moodle/03_Moodle_Direct_V2/03_Instructors/PeerMark

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