

Managing Student Access to your Canvas Course

Canvas courses are configured so that students may participate in your course two weeks prior to the start of a term until two weeks after the end of a term if your course is published. Students cannot view or participate in an unpublished course. After end date of a course, students may still view your course in read-only mode. In this mode, students can view and download materials and submitted assignments and review quizzes.

To modify student access to your course, refer to the guide below:

Course Details Options	View	Participate	
Term Only	Always	Within Term Dates	After default term end date, course is moved to Past Enrollments section of student's course list.
Term Begin/End Date Specified No Restriction Box Selected	Always	Within Term Dates	Changing begin/end dates from default term dates without adding restrictions has no effect on course participation. This option may change the location of the course in the student's course list (future/past enrollments).
Term Begin/End Date Specified "Users can only participate in the course between these dates" Restriction Box Selected	Always	Within Specified Date Range*	Changing begin/end dates from default term dates with a restriction allows you to delay participation in a course, to end participation in a course early, or to extend course participation beyond the term for all students. This option may change the location of the course in the student's course list (future/past enrollments). *Important Note: If the participation box is checked, it is recommended that <u>both</u> begin and end dates are specified. If you set only a begin date with this restriction, the blank end date will allow students to always participate in your course.
Term "Restrict students from viewing course after end date" Restriction Box Selected	Term	Term	After default term end date, the course is removed from the student's course list.
Term Begin/End Date Specified Select "Users can only participate in the course between these dates" Restriction Select "Restrict students from viewing course after end date" Restriction	Within Specified Date Range	Within Specified Date Range	Changing begin/end dates from default term dates with a restriction allows you to delay participation in a course, end participation in a course early, or extend participation in a course for all students. After specified date range, the course is removed from the student's course list.

Collaborations

Conferences

Settings

Term: 2017 Spring

By default, students can participate two weeks prior and two weeks after the term.

Starts:

Use Start/End dates to change the date range during which students can participate.

Ends:

Remember to check this box for dates to override default term dates.

Users can only participate in the course between these dates
This will override any term availability settings.

Language: Not set (user-configurable, defaults to English (US))

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This will override any user/system language preferences. This is only recommended for foreign language courses

File Storage: 1024 megabytes

Grading Scheme: Enable course grading scheme

License: Private (Copyrighted)

Visibility: Course

Customize

To prevent students from viewing your course after the end date, check this box.

Include this course in the public course index

Restrict students from viewing course after end date

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