

The new LMS for easier teaching and better learning

As learner needs change and instructor responsibilities grow, you need a user-friendly, flexible, and smart learning platform to help you engage with students and set them up for success. We partnered with educators worldwide to build Blackboard® Learn Ultra – a new kind of LMS that makes teaching easier, supports students, and gives instructors the flexibility to teach their way.



Inspire your course creation with AI

Developed in collaboration with instructors, the <u>Al Design Assistant</u> comes included in Blackboard Learn Ultra and helps inspire and streamline the creation of course structure, tests, authentic assessments, grading rubrics, and more with Al. With recommendations based on content you provide, you'll have a head start on creating courses and have more time to do what you do best: teach!

"Using the AI Design Assistant, I created nearly a hundred quiz questions and multiple learning modules with pictures and descriptions, finishing the task in a fraction of the time I had budgeted. This efficiency is invaluable."

Simona Narubin Durbin

Associate Director of Assessment and Education Instructor

School of Engineering, University of Illinois Chicago





Grading that's less grating

The new Flexible Grading interface is designed to help you spend less time grading and makes it easy to leave detailed, personalized feedback for your students. You can grade by question or by student, switch between views, leave audio or video feedback with auto-captioning, change the interface to a layout that works best for you, and never lose track of progress. It's grading that exceeds expectations.

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"I really like the feature of having all students visible in a pane. [Flex grading] makes it much faster to navigate through assignments."

John Kearsing

Adjunct Professor, Northern Illinois University



Supporting students when they need it

Whether you're proactively checking in on a student to see how they're performing or being notified of a student who needs help, Blackboard Learn Ultra gives you the information you need when you need it.

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"I noticed a student hadn't been participating as much as usual, so I reached out to ask, "What's going on, is there anything I can do?" She said, "Honestly, I'm not okay. You're the only one who noticed...and you're the only one who reached out." She felt like I cared, and we were able to get her the help she needed. I heard back from her the next semester, and she said, "I'm only still at Grand Valley because you reached out at the right time."



Meagan Knoll

Senior Affiliate Faculty, Grand Valley State University

Built by educators, for educators

With Learn Ultra, you are actively involved in developing the future of the LMS. Since the inception of the Anthology Idea Exchange in July 2022, over 3,500 educators and administrators have utilized that venue to vote on or share ideas for product enhancements. As a direct result, we've launched more than 170 new features in response to their needs and ideas.



"We did 17 Idea Exchanges in one year, and 14 of them are now implemented in Learn Ultra. Anthology listens to us. They listen to the people they develop for."



Assistant Provost of Online Education and Certification, Marshall University



See for yourself how an LMS designed in collaboration with educators can make teaching easier and learning more engaging. **Try Blackboard Learn Ultra for free today.**

