

Which assignment tool best meets your pedagogic requirements? (Student Submissions)

**Colour Key:**

Meets your requirements.

Partially meets your requirements or there are some limitations in how it meets your requirements.

Doesn't meet your requirements.

What you want to achieve with student submissions?	Moodle Assignment	Turnitin	Video Assignment
Students are required to submit a PDF or word document.	PDF and word documents are accepted.	PDF and word documents are accepted.	Video assignment only accepts audio and video files such as Quicktime, H.264, Flash flv, wmv and mp4.
Students are required to submit a video or audio file.	Most file types can be uploaded to Moodle. However, it is recommended that video assignments are used for video and audio file submission.	Video and audio files are not accepted by Turnitin.	Most types of video and audio files can be uploaded.
Students are required to submit a variety of file types.	Moodle can accept most file types including zip files.	Turnitin will accept any file type when the setting for 'Allow submission for any file type' is set to 'Yes'. The file size may not exceed 40MB (or 2MB for text only files). Only the following file types will generate an Originality Report: DOC, DOCX, WordPerfect, HTML, Adobe Postscript, TXT RTF, PDF (must contain text), HWP. The following file types can be displayed and rendered in GradeMark but will not generate an Originality Report: PPT, PPTX, PPS, JPEG, GIF, PNG, TIFF, BMP, PICT.	Only audio and video file types can be uploaded.
Students can type and submit text directly into an editor field in Moodle for their submission.	If enabled, students are able to type rich text directly into an editor field for their submission.	It is not possible for students to type text directly into a Turnitin assignment.	It is not possible for students to type text directly into a Video assignment.
Students need to submit their assignment from a mobile device.	Students can submit from a mobile device such as a tablet or iPhone by taking a copy of an assignment saved on Dropbox or Google Drive.	Students can submit from a mobile device such as a tablet or iPhone by taking a copy of an assignment saved on Dropbox or Google Drive.	Video assignment only accepts file uploads or links to files stored in Kaltura media server. There is no access to Google Drive or Dropbox.
Students need to submit the assignment on behalf of their group.	Moodle allows different group options, including one student submitting on behalf of the group.	Students can work in groups but each student must submit their work separately.	Students can work in groups but each student must submit their work separately.
Students have to review and grade peers' assignments.	Peer assessment is a separate assignment tool that is available in Moodle.	Peer assessment is not currently available in Turnitin.	Peer assessment is not currently available for video and audio assignments.
Students may need to submit differing numbers of files to support their assignment.	In Moodle, the number of files can be set and students can submit as many files up to the maximum number of files set.	In Turnitin, if the number of files is set to more than 1, Turnitin will expect all students to submit that number of files. If a smaller number of files is submitted, Turnitin will divide the student's grade by the number of parts it was expecting.	Only one file can be submitted with Video assignments. Although the system appears to accept more than one file, only one will be submitted for grading.
Students are required to submit large files (exceeding 40MB)	Moodle assignment can accept files up to 200MB.	Turnitin can only accept files up to 40MB (or 2MB for text only files) and there is no way to increase this limit.	Audio and video files up to 2GB can be submitted to the Video Assignment.

<b>Students can resubmit who have failed at their first attempt.</b>	This is possible using the 'Attempts reopened' setting. There are 3 possible settings: 'Never', 'Manually' or 'Automatically until pass'.	Resubmissions may be allowed until the due date, depending on the 'Report Generation Speed' setting. Only the latest submission will be available to the Lecturer and Student. If a student has failed at first submission you will need to set up an alternative Turnitin submission space to manage resubmissions.	There is no resubmission options with the Video Assignment. You will need to set up a new Video Assignment resubmission area for any students who have failed their assignment.
<b>Files can be uploaded as part of the assignment description.</b>	It is possible to upload files which will form part of the instructions for students.	It is not possible to upload files to form part of the instructions for students.	It is not possible to upload files to form part of the instructions for students.