Blackboard® LEARN

Check out what's new for Blackboard Learn
Coming December 2019

The latest releases for the Original experience of Blackboard Learn include new features and enhancements that:

Save time by improving the efficiency and ease of use of completing your daily tasks

Ensure your courses are engaging, accessible to all, and mobile friendly

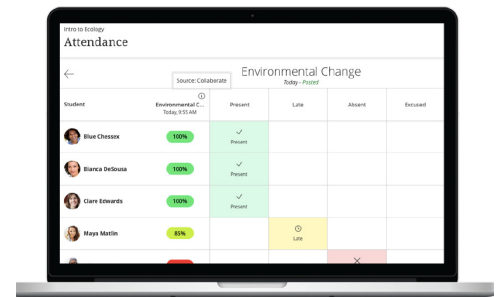**Simplify and enhance the assessment and grading capabilities**

The following new features and enhancements were made available within the past year.

Efficiency & Engagement

- **Calendar items and due date notifications for additional content types** – You and your students will now have a more comprehensive view of all class requirements and activities as the Calendar and To Do modules now include the due dates from additional content types: manual columns, SCORM, and third-party solutions.
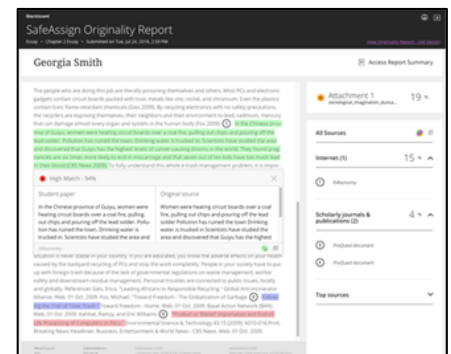
- **Blackboard Collaborate™ attendance integration** – When hosting Collaborate sessions, taking attendance is now automated, eliminating the need for manual tracking. Collaborate session attendance is recorded within the Attendance page of the Learn course, is counted in the average attendance calculation, and can be factored into students' grades.

- **Cloud storage integration** – Save time by uploading documents directly from your preferred cloud storage solution when authoring content or creating assignments. Your students can also upload assignments directly from their chosen solution.

Assessment & Grading

- **New SafeAssign Originality Report** – The SafeAssign Originality Report has been updated and reformatted for improved usability, responsiveness, and accessibility. It employs Blackboard's Ultra design philosophy and includes new information about the overall risk of a submission having been copied.

For more details on these new features and enhancements, contact the Faculty Center at facultycenter@astate.edu.