



lightwork

MANAGING MARKING EFFECTIVELY

What is Lightwork?

Lightwork is an application that supports teachers in the management and marking of electronically submitted assignments. Lightwork works in conjunction with Moodle and complements its assignment-related functionality.

Why is Lightwork important?

Electronic assignment submission and marking brings many advantages for students and teachers. Moodle provides good support for some important aspects of dealing with electronic assignments. Yet, Moodle does not support teachers and their marking teams well for the actual marking tasks. Lightwork fills this gap. It reduces the time spend on administrative steps and provides opportunities for increasing the quality of marking.

How is Lightwork used?

Teachers and markers install Lightwork on their own personal computers (Mac, Windows or Linux). Lightwork and Moodle exchange information via a network connection. Students only interact with the Moodle assignment interface.

Teachers set up their assignments in Moodle and students submit their work to Moodle. Teachers and markers mark in Lightwork. Teachers monitor progress and quality of marking in Lightwork and release marking results from Lightwork to Moodle.

What are important Lightwork features?

- Marking rubrics (analytic and holistic)
- Allocation of markers to students (individual, across class)
- Marking feedback via marking sheets
- Direct annotation of student work (in external programs or built-in PDFAnnotator)
- Display of Turnitin similarity information
- Controlled release of marking to students
- Team assignment support (students working in teams)
- Export of marks into spreadsheet files

Who can use Lightwork?

Lightwork is open source and can be used by any institution using Moodle. Lightwork is available from <http://lightworkmarking.org>.

Lightwork - hmelody - dev [http://lightwork-dev.massey.ac.nz]

Moodle Tools Help

Management Marking Release

Assignments Students

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Assignment : 102 Assignment 2 [102 Computer Architecture]
 Instructor : Kirsten Princeton
 Marker : Heath Melody
 Student : Jonathan Hapson
 Turnitin Report :

Marking Status: In Marking

Select an action to perform:

Summary 20 / 50

Content 20 / 25

Information for students:

Marking feedback:

Information for markers:

Frequently used comments:

Mark: / 25

Writing 0 / 15

Referencing 0 / 10

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Last Name	Submission Date	Provisional Mark	Status	Marker Allocated	Released Ma
Abernethy		0	Allocated	Kirsten Princeton	
Acharya	06 Nov 2009 23:10	27	In Review	Kirsten Princeton	
Aulsebrook	10 Nov 2009 18:00	0	Allocated	Kirsten Princeton	
Beader	04 Nov 2009 20:13	0	Allocated	Kirsten Princeton	
Bell		0	Allocated	Kirsten Princeton	
Bulder	06 Nov 2009 00:56	0	Allocated	Kirsten Princeton	
Clarkeson	04 Nov 2009 19:40	0	Allocated	Kirsten Princeton	
Crasdon	10 Nov 2009 18:00	0	Allocated	Kirsten Princeton	
Dickenson	04 Nov 2009 19:43	0	Allocated	Kirsten Princeton	
Eustace		0	Allocated	Kirsten Princeton	
Eyreson	04 Nov 2009 19:43	0	Allocated	Kirsten Princeton	
Grayson	04 Nov 2009 19:58	46	Released	Heath Melody	46
Hapson	04 Nov 2009 20:13	0	In Marking	Heath Melody	
Harford	04 Nov 2009 19:58	22	In Marking	Heath Melody	
Hensman	06 Nov 2009 00:40	0	Allocated	Heath Melody	
Kanda	05 Nov 2009 20:36	0	Allocated	Heath Melody	
Kelly	06 Nov 2009 00:23	0	Allocated	Heath Melody	
Larkin	05 Nov 2009 20:36	0	Allocated	Heath Melody	
Macpherson	05 Nov 2009 19:23	0	Allocated	Heath Melody	
Meredith	05 Nov 2009 19:56	0	Allocated	Heath Melody	
Molovie		0	Allocated	Heath Melody	
Nuen	05 Nov 2009 19:06	0	Allocated	Shane Watson	
Patel	05 Nov 2009 20:46	0	Allocated	Shane Watson	
Potter	10 Nov 2009 18:00	0	Allocated	Shane Watson	
Rayder	05 Nov 2009 20:48	0	Allocated	Shane Watson	
Richardson	10 Nov 2009 18:00	0	Allocated	Shane Watson	
Savage	05 Nov 2009 20:13	0	Allocated	Shane Watson	
Sutton	10 Nov 2009 18:00	0	Allocated	Shane Watson	
Swanson		0	Allocated	Shane Watson	
Tshimanga	06 Nov 2009 23:43				
Wilton	06 Nov 2009 23:26				

Nov 2009 15:10