



Instructor Guide for Aplia Integration in Blackboard

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Introduction

Cengage Learning now provides integration with your Blackboard course. This enables instructors to add Cengage Learning Apla content to their courses, synchronize scores, and eliminate multiple logins for students.

Audience

This document supports instructors who teach at institutions that use the Blackboard Learning Management System.

Objectives

This guide introduces instructors to procedures needed to access Cengage Learning's Integration Services within Blackboard courses.

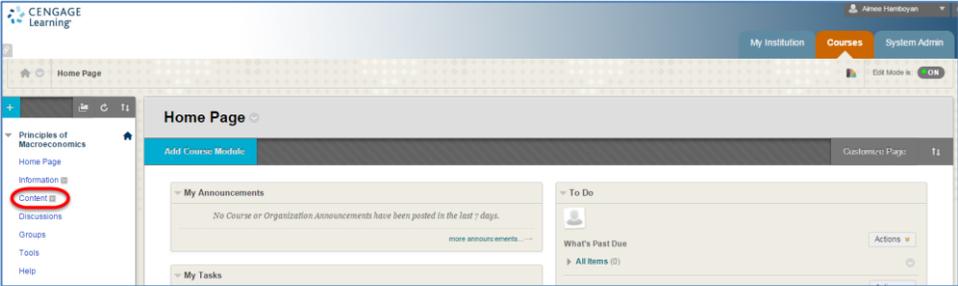
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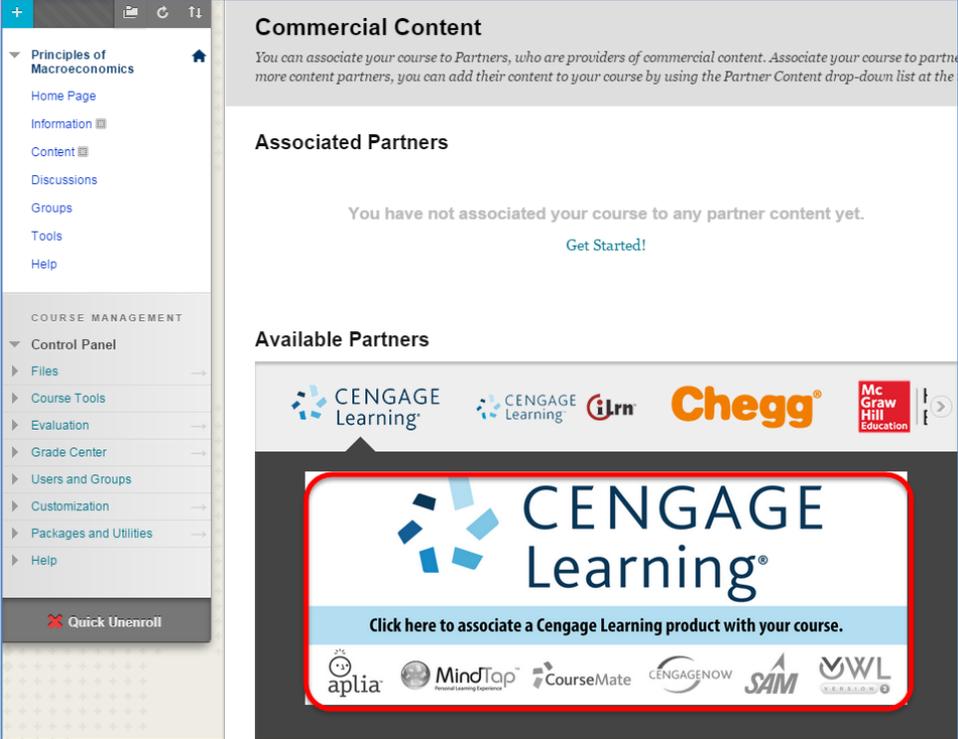
- Enable the Cengage integration in a Blackboard course.
- Add deep links to Cengage content into a Blackboard course.
- Select Activities to synchronize scores with the Blackboard Gradebook.
- Add Cengage Technical Support link to a Blackboard course.

Create a Aplia Course Level Link

Instructors access and manage Cengage Learning content by adding an Aplia course level link into a Blackboard course.

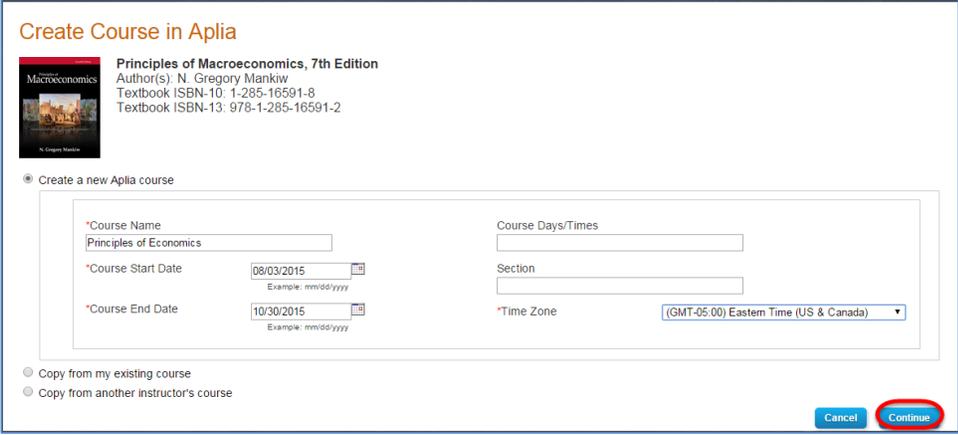
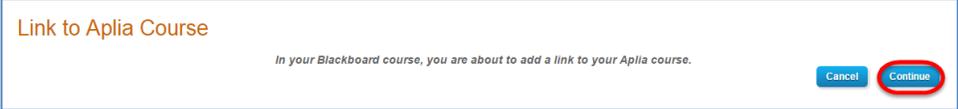
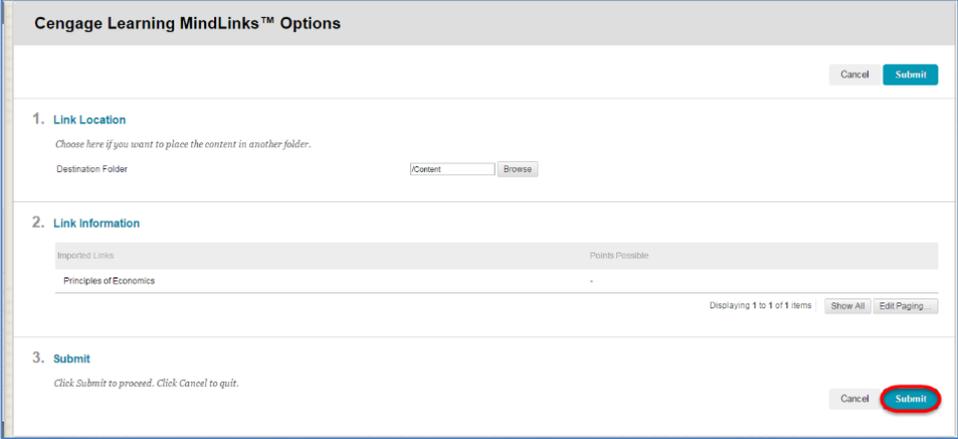
To add a Cengage Learning Aplia course to your Blackboard course, complete the following steps.

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1	<p>Click Content from the left navigation menu to access a content page.</p> <p>NOTE: The default setting for a content area is Content, however your institution has the ability to edit the name of these pages. Some examples include Lessons or Modules. If you are not certain which menu item to access, please contact your campus Help Desk.</p>  <p>The screenshot shows the Blackboard interface for a course. On the left, there is a navigation menu with several items: 'Principles of Macroeconomics', 'Home Page', 'Information', 'Content', 'Discussions', 'Groups', 'Tools', and 'Help'. The 'Content' item is circled in red. The main content area shows the 'Home Page' with sections for 'My Announcements', 'To Do', and 'My Tasks'.</p> <p>Result: The <i>Content</i> page displays.</p>
2	<p>Point to Partner Content and select Commercial Content.</p>  <p>The screenshot shows the Blackboard interface with the 'Content' page selected. The 'Partner Content' dropdown menu is open, showing options: 'Search for Textbook', 'Manual Entry Textbook', 'Commercial Content', 'CourseStart & Textbook', and 'Barnes & Noble Textbook Tool'. The 'Commercial Content' option is circled in red.</p> <p>Result: The <i>Commercial Content</i> page displays.</p> <p>NOTE: The content menu may differ depending on the Blackboard service pack your institution is running. If you do not see the Commercial Content Menu, refer to the Appendix: Partner or Publisher Content Menu for more information.</p>

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3	<p>Click the Cengage Learning banner from the Available Partners content carousel.</p> <p>NOTE: Click through the content carousel if Cengage Learning does not display.</p>  <p>The screenshot shows a Blackboard LMS interface. On the left is a navigation menu for 'Principles of Macroeconomics' with options like Home Page, Information, Content, Discussions, Groups, Tools, and Help. Below this is a 'COURSE MANAGEMENT' section with a 'Control Panel' containing various tools like Files, Course Tools, Evaluation, Grade Center, Users and Groups, Customization, Packages and Utilities, and Help. A 'Quick Unenroll' button is also visible. The main content area is titled 'Commercial Content' and includes an 'Associated Partners' section with a 'Get Started!' link. Below that is the 'Available Partners' carousel, which features logos for Cengage Learning, Cengage Learning, iJrn, Chegg, and Mc Graw Hill Education. A large banner for Cengage Learning is highlighted with a red border, containing the text 'Click here to associate a Cengage Learning product with your course.' Below the banner are logos for APLIA, MindTap, CourseMate, CENGAGENOW, SAM, and MWL.</p> <p>Result: The LMS Integration page displays.</p>

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4	<p>Link your Blackboard account with your Cengage Learning account.</p> <p>Login in using your credentials.</p> <p>NOTE: This is a one-time process required for all of the Cengage integration enabled courses. If you do not have an account, you can create one from this page.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Enter your Cengage Learning Faculty Account Username and Password. ■ Click Login. <div data-bbox="386 548 1344 932" style="border: 1px solid #ccc; padding: 10px;"> <p>Cengage Learning MindLinks™</p> <div style="text-align: center;">  </div> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> <div style="width: 45%;"> <h3 style="text-align: center;">Log In</h3> <p style="text-align: center; font-size: small;">Already have a Cengage Learning Faculty Account? Simply log in to your existing account to register and gain access to all Cengage Learning Instructor features. You do not need to create a new account.</p> </div> <div style="width: 45%;"> <h3 style="text-align: center;">Create a New Account</h3> <p style="text-align: center; font-size: small;">Create a new Cengage Learning Faculty Account to gain full access to all instructor functionality.</p> </div> </div> <div style="border: 2px solid red; padding: 5px; margin: 10px auto; width: 150px;"> <p style="text-align: center; font-size: x-small;">Username</p> <input style="width: 90%; border: none;" type="text"/> <p style="text-align: center; font-size: x-small;">Enter your email address</p> <p style="text-align: center; font-size: x-small;">Password</p> <input style="width: 90%; border: none;" type="password"/> <p style="text-align: center; font-size: x-small;">Forgot your password?</p> <p style="text-align: center; font-weight: bold; color: #0070C0;">Login</p> </div> <div style="text-align: center; margin-top: 10px;"> <p style="font-weight: bold; color: #0070C0;">Create an Account</p> </div> </div> <p>Result: The <i>Cengage Learning Account Registration</i> completion page displays and redirects you to the <i>Select Content Source</i> MindLinks page.</p>																																																																
5	<p>Select the Aplia product to use in your course.</p> <div data-bbox="386 1068 1344 1570" style="border: 1px solid #ccc; padding: 10px;"> <p>Cengage Learning MindLinks™</p> <div style="text-align: center;">  </div> <h3 style="text-align: center; color: #0070C0;">Select Content Source</h3> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; align-items: center;"> Show 25 ▾ All Linked <input style="width: 150px;" type="text"/> </div> <table border="1" style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse; font-size: x-small;"> <thead> <tr> <th>Name</th> <th>Date (UTC)</th> <th>Source</th> <th>License Type</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr><td>Central Carolina DRE 098 Fusion 2 with WE</td><td>07/31/2015</td><td>Institution Access</td><td>Site License - Seats Available</td></tr> <tr><td>Ehrlich Medical Terminology 7 MindTap</td><td>07/29/2015</td><td>Institution Access</td><td>Student Access Code Required</td></tr> <tr><td>Central Carolina DRE 096 Wadsworth College Reading Book 1</td><td>07/29/2015</td><td>Institution Access</td><td>Site License - Seats Available</td></tr> <tr><td>Central Carolina DRE 096 Sentences Paragraphs and Beyond</td><td>07/29/2015</td><td>Institution Access</td><td>Site License - Seats Available</td></tr> <tr><td>Meiners The Legal Environment of Business 12e CNow</td><td>07/29/2015</td><td>Institution Access</td><td>Site License - Seats Available</td></tr> <tr><td>Central Carolina DRE 098 Wadsworth College Reading 3</td><td>07/29/2015</td><td>Institution Access</td><td>Site License - Seats Available</td></tr> <tr><td>Central Carolina DRE 098 Reading for Thinking</td><td>07/29/2015</td><td>Institution Access</td><td>Site License - Seats Available</td></tr> <tr><td>Stair Fundamentals of Information Systems 8e MindTap</td><td>07/29/2015</td><td>Institution Access</td><td>Site License - Seats Available</td></tr> <tr><td>Essential Study Skills</td><td>07/29/2015</td><td>Institution Access</td><td>Student Access Code Required</td></tr> <tr><td>Central Carolina DRE 097 Fusion Write Experience</td><td>07/28/2015</td><td>Institution Access</td><td>Site License - Seats Available</td></tr> <tr><td>Ebbing General Chemistry 10e OWL v2</td><td>07/28/2015</td><td>Institution Access</td><td>Site License - Seats Available</td></tr> <tr><td>Zumdahl Introductory Chemistry 8e OWL 2</td><td>07/28/2015</td><td>Institution Access</td><td>Site License - Seats Available</td></tr> <tr><td>Central Carolina DRE 097 Landscapes</td><td>07/28/2015</td><td>Institution Access</td><td>Site License - Seats Available</td></tr> <tr><td>Corey Issues and Ethics in the Helping Professions with 2014 ACA Codes 9e MindTap</td><td>07/28/2015</td><td>Institution Access</td><td>Site License - Seats Available</td></tr> <tr><td>Erjavec Todays Technician Automatic Transmissions and Transaxles 6e MindTap</td><td>07/28/2015</td><td>Institution Access</td><td>Site License - Seats Available</td></tr> </tbody> </table> </div> <p>NOTE: This list displays content enabled for your institution. If you do not see your adopted course, please contact your Cengage Learning Consultant.</p> <p>Result: The <i>Create Course in Aplia</i> page displays.</p>	Name	Date (UTC)	Source	License Type	Central Carolina DRE 098 Fusion 2 with WE	07/31/2015	Institution Access	Site License - Seats Available	Ehrlich Medical Terminology 7 MindTap	07/29/2015	Institution Access	Student Access Code Required	Central Carolina DRE 096 Wadsworth College Reading Book 1	07/29/2015	Institution Access	Site License - Seats Available	Central Carolina DRE 096 Sentences Paragraphs and Beyond	07/29/2015	Institution Access	Site License - Seats Available	Meiners The Legal Environment of Business 12e CNow	07/29/2015	Institution Access	Site License - Seats Available	Central Carolina DRE 098 Wadsworth College Reading 3	07/29/2015	Institution Access	Site License - Seats Available	Central Carolina DRE 098 Reading for Thinking	07/29/2015	Institution Access	Site License - Seats Available	Stair Fundamentals of Information Systems 8e MindTap	07/29/2015	Institution Access	Site License - Seats Available	Essential Study Skills	07/29/2015	Institution Access	Student Access Code Required	Central Carolina DRE 097 Fusion Write Experience	07/28/2015	Institution Access	Site License - Seats Available	Ebbing General Chemistry 10e OWL v2	07/28/2015	Institution Access	Site License - Seats Available	Zumdahl Introductory Chemistry 8e OWL 2	07/28/2015	Institution Access	Site License - Seats Available	Central Carolina DRE 097 Landscapes	07/28/2015	Institution Access	Site License - Seats Available	Corey Issues and Ethics in the Helping Professions with 2014 ACA Codes 9e MindTap	07/28/2015	Institution Access	Site License - Seats Available	Erjavec Todays Technician Automatic Transmissions and Transaxles 6e MindTap	07/28/2015	Institution Access	Site License - Seats Available
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6	<p>The first time you connect to a product from each Blackboard course, a prompt displays to create a course.</p> <p>There are three options for creating a course:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Create a new Aplia course: Start a new course without any customizations. ■ Copy from my existing course: Use this option to copy from one of your existing courses that contain Assignments or customizations. ■ Copy from another instructor's course: Enter a Course Key from another instructor's course or course designer to get a copy of their course. <p>Select Create a new Aplia course.</p> <div data-bbox="386 625 1344 886" style="border: 1px solid #ccc; padding: 10px;"> <p style="color: #e67e22; font-weight: bold;">Create Course in Aplia</p> <div style="display: flex; align-items: flex-start;"> <div style="width: 60px; text-align: center;">  </div> <div style="margin-left: 10px;"> <p>Principles of Macroeconomics, 7th Edition Author(s): N. Gregory Mankiw Textbook ISBN-10: 1-285-16591-8 Textbook ISBN-13: 978-1-285-16591-2</p> </div> </div> <div style="margin-top: 10px;"> <p><input checked="" type="radio"/> Create a new Aplia course</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Copy from my existing course</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Copy from another instructor's course</p> </div> <div style="text-align: right; margin-top: 10px;"> <p>Cancel Continue</p> </div> </div> <p>Result: The <i>Create Course in Aplia</i> screen displays.</p>
7	<p>Fill in the following fields:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Course Name – The Aplia course name. ■ Course Start Date – The date students can access the course. <p>NOTE: The Course Start Date is the first date students can access the course and defines the course grace period.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Course End Date – The date the course ends. ■ Time Zone – The time zone course is held. <div data-bbox="386 1243 1344 1684" style="border: 1px solid #ccc; padding: 10px;"> <p style="color: #e67e22; font-weight: bold;">Create Course in Aplia</p> <div style="display: flex; align-items: flex-start;"> <div style="width: 60px; text-align: center;">  </div> <div style="margin-left: 10px;"> <p>Principles of Macroeconomics, 7th Edition Author(s): N. Gregory Mankiw Textbook ISBN-10: 1-285-16591-8 Textbook ISBN-13: 978-1-285-16591-2</p> </div> </div> <div style="margin-top: 10px;"> <p><input checked="" type="radio"/> Create a new Aplia course</p> </div> <div style="border: 2px solid red; padding: 10px; margin-top: 10px;"> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> <div style="width: 45%;"> <p>*Course Name Principles of Economics</p> <p>*Course Start Date 08/03/2015 <small>Example: mm/dd/yyyy</small></p> <p>*Course End Date 10/30/2015 <small>Example: mm/dd/yyyy</small></p> </div> <div style="width: 45%;"> <p>Course Days/Times</p> <p>Section</p> <p>*Time Zone (GMT-05:00) Eastern Time (US & Canada)</p> </div> </div> </div> <div style="margin-top: 10px;"> <p><input type="radio"/> Copy from my existing course</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Copy from another instructor's course</p> </div> <div style="text-align: right; margin-top: 10px;"> <p>Cancel Continue</p> </div> </div>

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8	<p>Click Continue.</p>  <p>Result: The <i>Link to Aplia Course</i> screen displays.</p>
9	<p>Click Continue.</p>  <p>Result: The <i>Cengage Learning MindLinks™ Options</i> page displays.</p>
10	<p>Click Submit.</p>  <p>Result: The Aplia course link displays.</p>
11	<p>Click the course link.</p>  <p>Result: The <i>Service Agreement</i> page displays.</p>

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Accept the service agreement.

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12. The term "including," whenever used in any provision of this agreement, means including but without limiting the generality of any description preceding or succeeding that term. Whenever reference is made in this agreement to "days," the reference means calendar days, not business days, except as otherwise specified. The headings of this agreement are for reference only and do not affect the meaning or interpretation of this agreement.

23. **Contact Information.** Except as otherwise stated on MindTap, MindTap is offered by Cengage Learning, Inc., a Delaware corporation, located at 200 First Stamford Place, Stamford, CT 06902. If you notice that any user is violating this agreement, please contact Cengage at the notice address stated in section 20.

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Result: The Aplia Course Home page displays.

The screenshot shows the Aplia Course Home page for 'Principles of Macroeconomics'. The page layout includes a top navigation bar with tabs for Course Home, Course Outline, Discussion, Course Materials, Gradebook, Announcements, Administration, and Go To Student View. The main content area is divided into several sections:

- Current Assignments:** Lists assignments due this week (August 3, 2015) and next week (August 10, 2015). Assignments include 'How to Do Aplia Assignments (Mobile-Enabled)', 'Math and Graphing Assessment with Tutorials (Mobile-Enabled)', 'Ten Principles of Economics - Online Chapter Chapter 1', 'Ten Principles of Economics (Mobile-Enabled) Chapter 1 | Graded', 'Ten Principles of Economics: End of Chapter (Mobile-Enabled) Chapter 1 | Practice', and 'Thinking Like an Economist - Online Chapter Chapter 2'.
- Current Announcements:** States 'No announcements displayed to your students at this time.' with a 'View All' link.
- Course Information:** Provides details such as 'Begin: 08.03.15', 'End: 10.30.15', 'Grace Period: Ends at the end of the day on 08.23.15', 'Textbook: Principles of Macroeconomics by Mankiw', 'Student Registration URL: http://login.cengagebrain.com/course/MZG3-LWLK-XSP7', and 'Course Key: MZG3-LWLK-XSP7'.
- Student Management:** Shows 'No students have enrolled in this course.' with a 'Manage Students' link.
- Grades and Performance:** Includes a 'Gradebook' link and sub-links for 'View Grades', 'Analytics', and 'Manage Grades'.
- Download Reports:** Offers 'Microsoft Excel or CSV files' and lists report types like 'Discussion Board Participation', 'Experiment Participation', and 'Experiment Details'.
- Manage Essays:** Includes a 'Manage Essays' link and the text 'View and assign scores to essays submitted by students.'

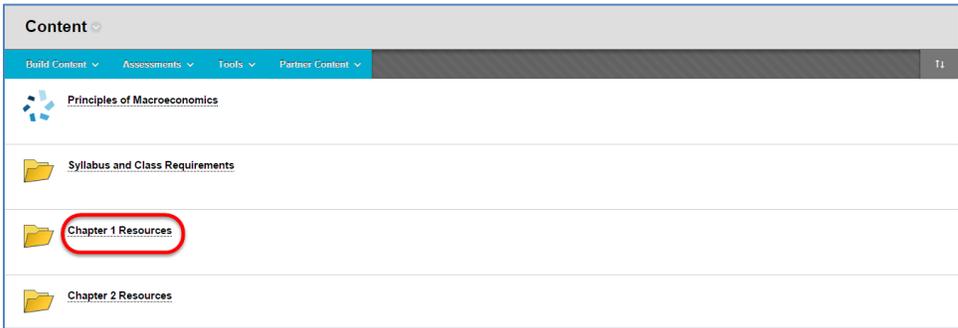
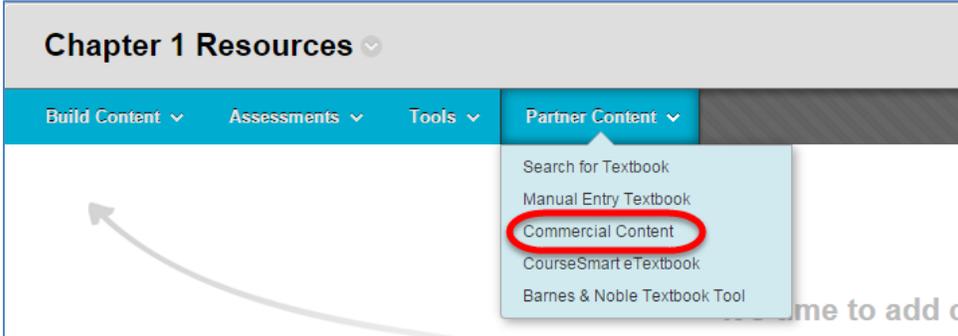
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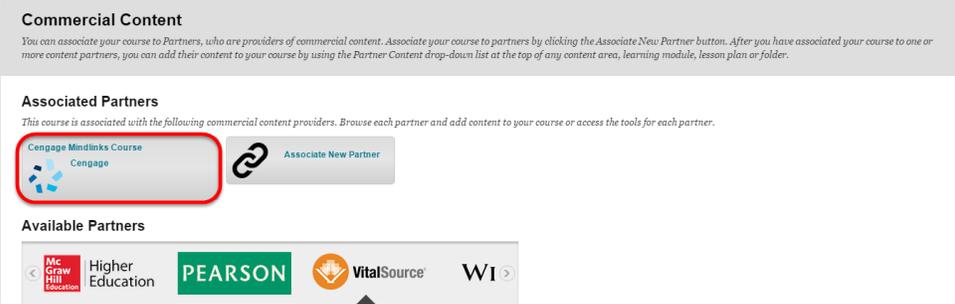
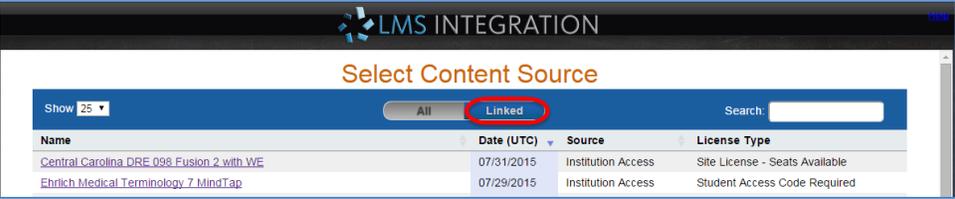
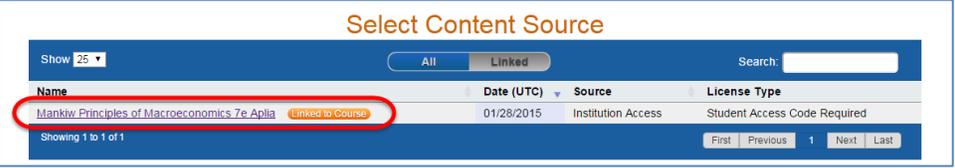
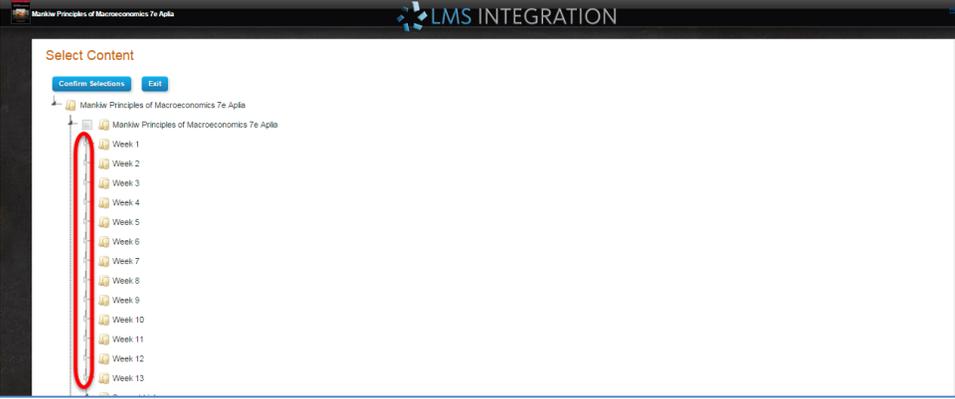
Deep Linking is adding links into a Blackboard course that take students to a specific Apla Activity. Adding deep links directly to a Blackboard course enables students to click a link to navigate to the Activity within Apla, instead of needing to navigate to it within the Apla course. If you want the scores of a graded activity to synchronize to your Blackboard gradebook, you must add a deep link to the activity into your course.

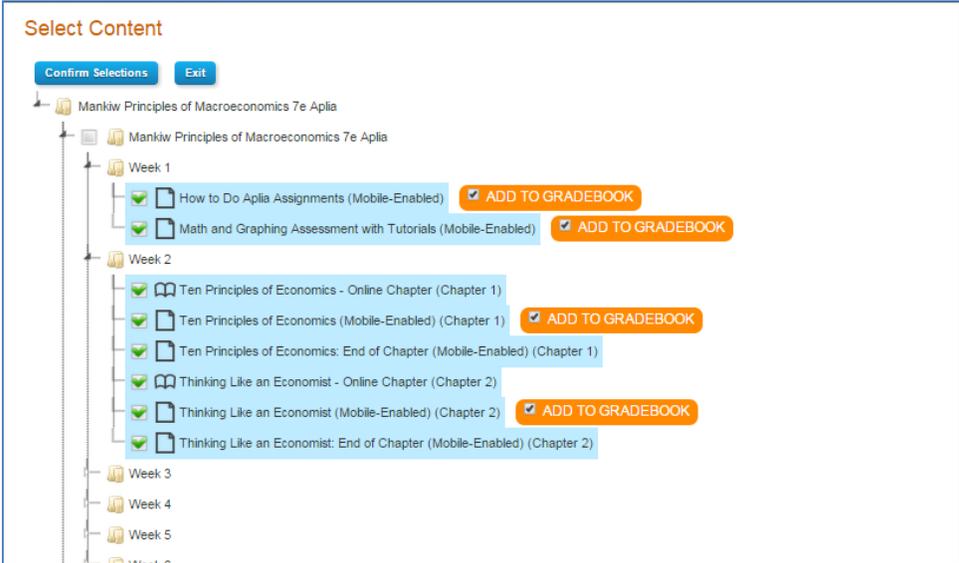
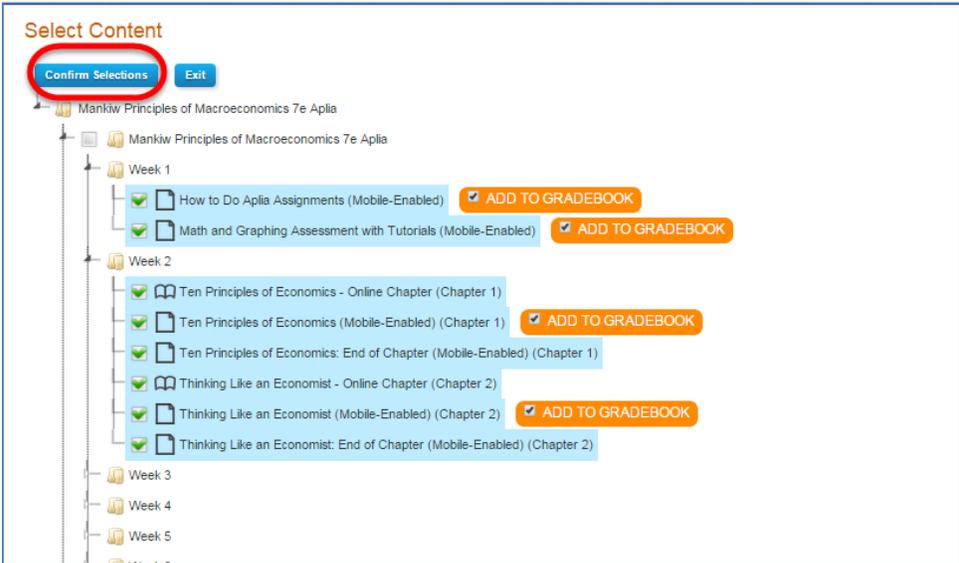
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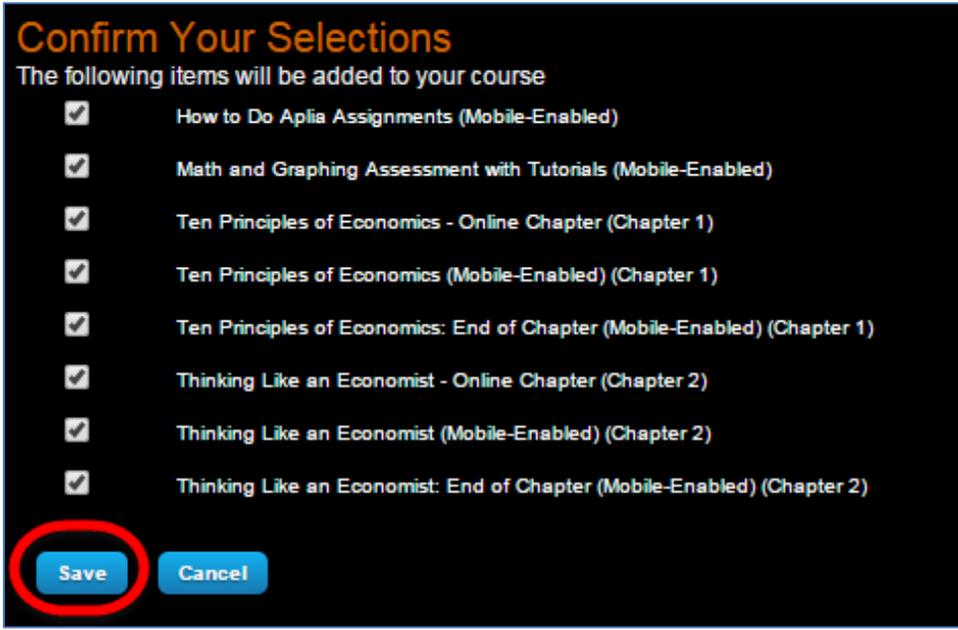
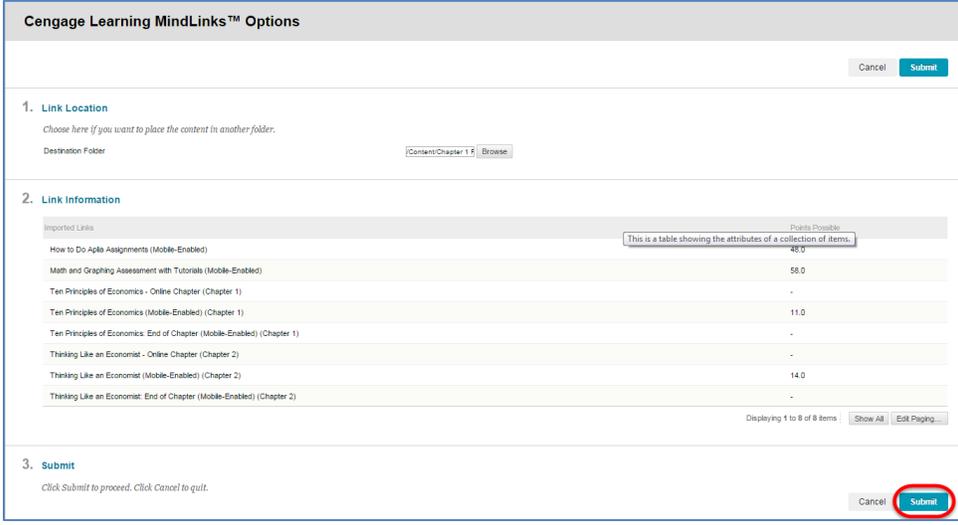
A recommendation is to create folders in your course to organize your content links. Base the folders on a weekly schedule, learning modules, or textbook chapters.

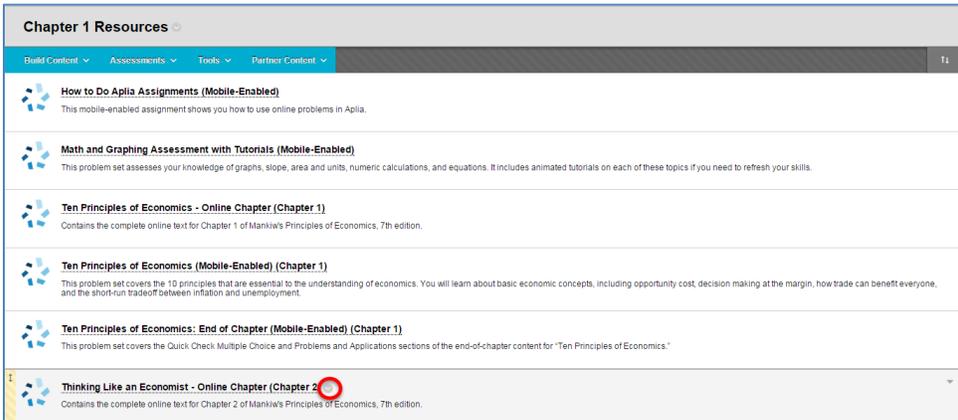
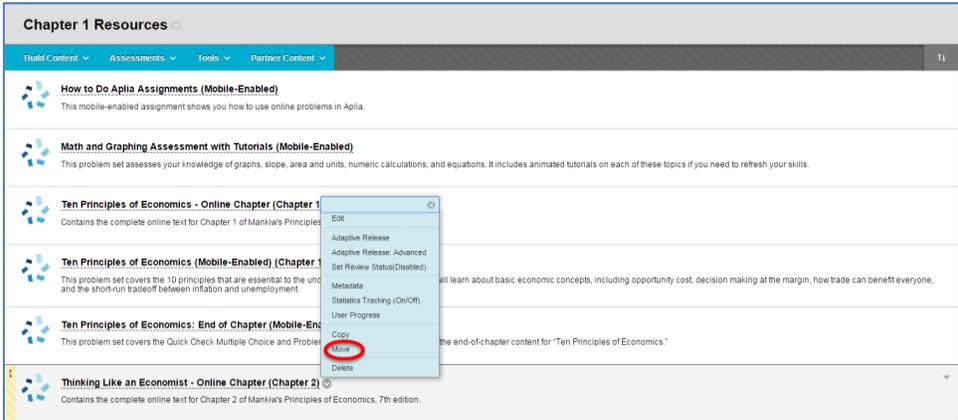
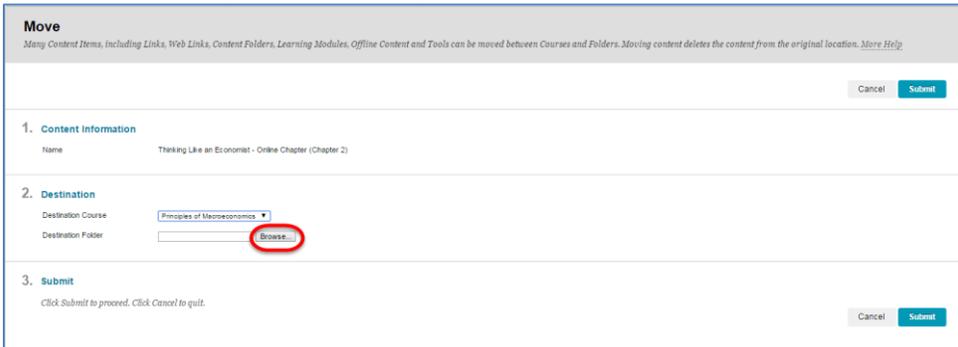
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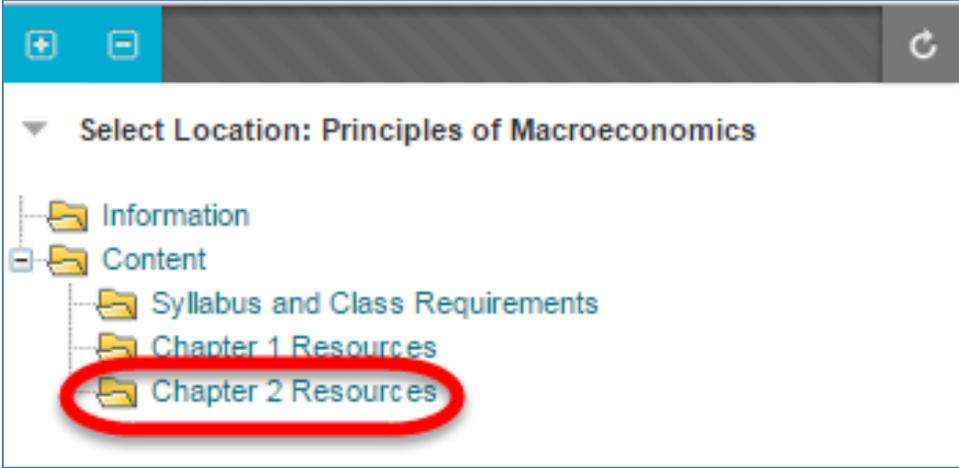
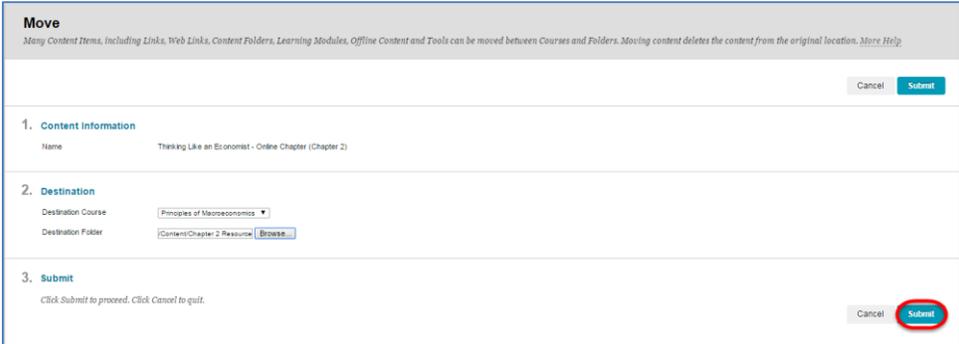
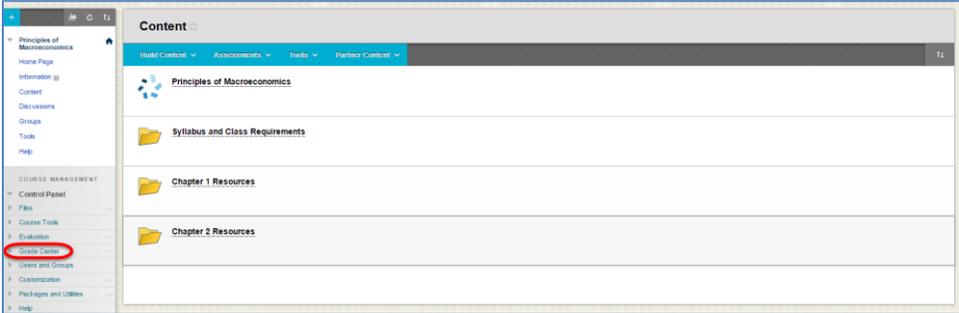
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1	<p>In this example the content is organized by chapters: Click on the folder name from the course <i>Content</i> page.</p>  <p>Result: The folder displays.</p>
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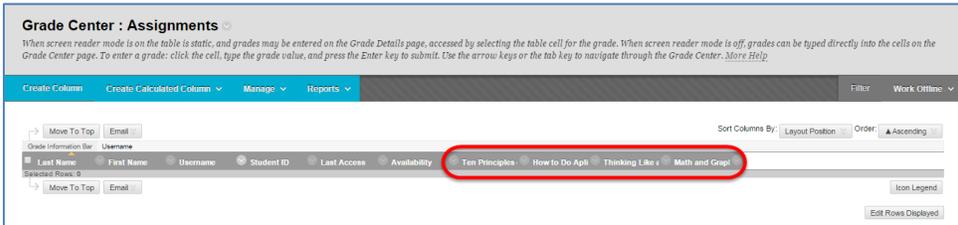
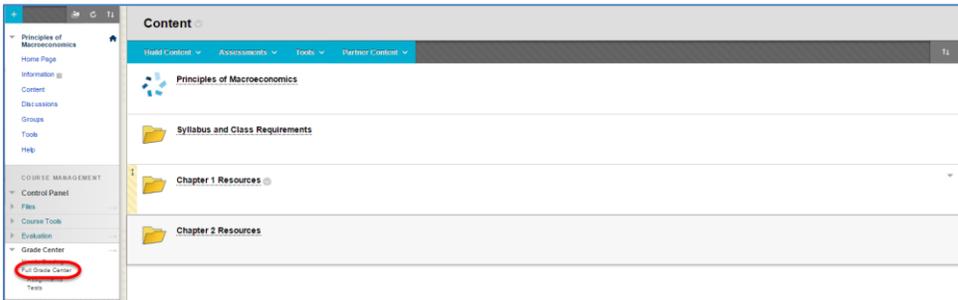
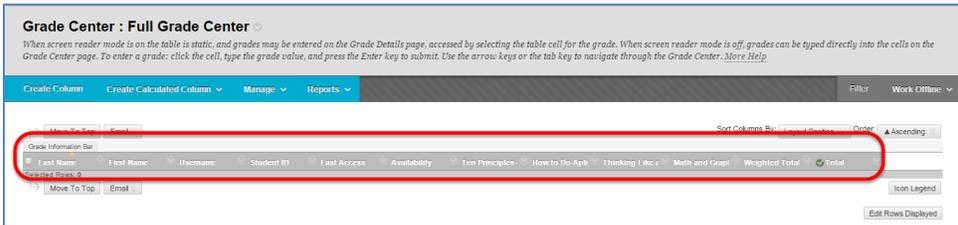
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7	<p>Click the check box next to the content to add.</p>  <p>Result: The content selected for import displays in blue.</p> <p>NOTE: Each item that includes ADD TO GRADEBOOK automatically creates a link in your Blackboard course and an associated gradebook column. If you want to link the Assignment but not have it synchronized to the Blackboard Gradebook, deselect ADD TO GRADEBOOK.</p>
8	<p>Click the Confirm Selections button at the top or bottom of the screen.</p>  <p>Result: The <i>Confirm Your Selections</i> screen displays listing all the items selected from the <i>Select Content</i> page.</p>

Step	Action
9	<p>Click Save.</p>  <p>Result: The <i>Cengage Learning MindLinks™ Options</i> page displays.</p>
10	<p>Confirm the <i>Link Location</i> and <i>Points Possible</i> for graded Assignments and then click Submit.</p>  <p>Result: The selected links are located on your content page. A gradebook column is created in the gradebook for any graded activities where you selected Add to Gradebook.</p>

Step	Action
11	<p>If you want to move a link to another folder: Click the down arrow to the right of the link.</p>  <p>Result: A menu displays.</p>
12	<p>Select Move.</p>  <p>Result: The <i>Move</i> page displays.</p>
13	<p>Click Browse.</p>  <p>Result: The <i>Select Location</i> page displays.</p>

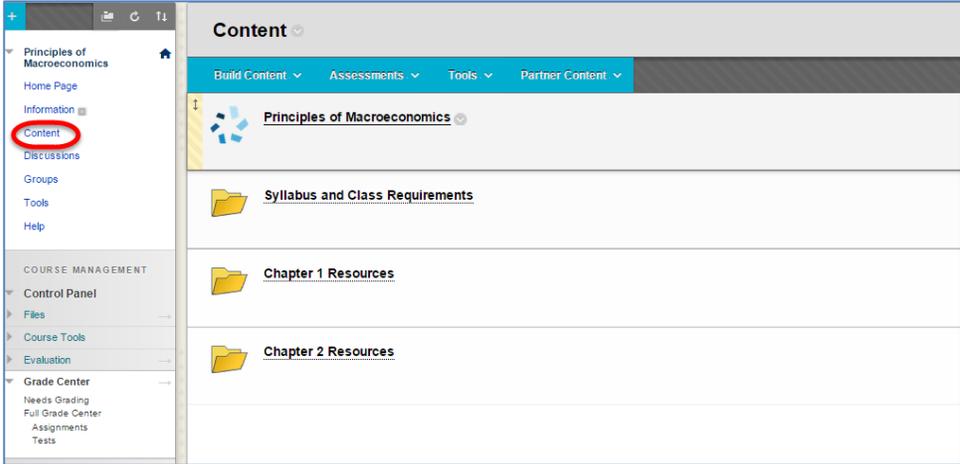
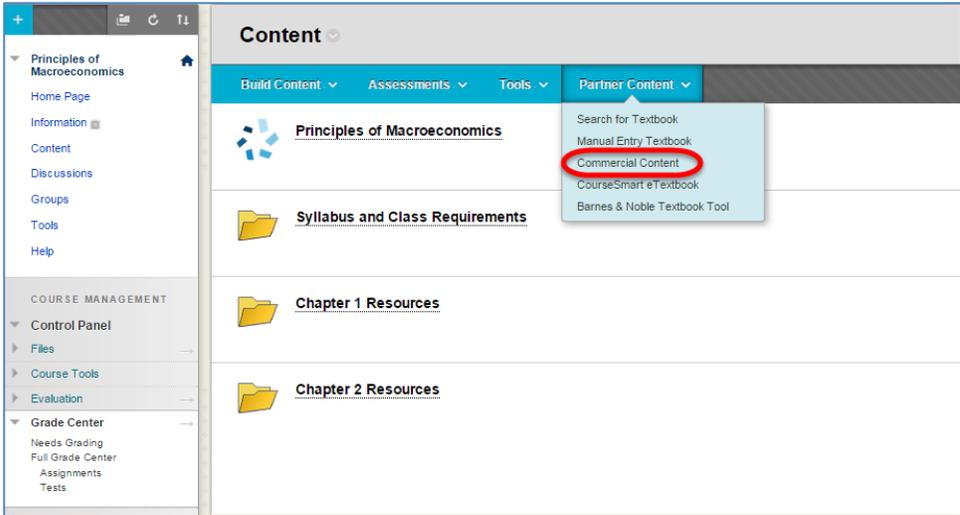
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15	<p>Click Submit.</p>  <p>Result: The folder page displays and the content moves to the folder.</p>
16	<p>Click Grade Center from the <i>Course Management</i> menu.</p>  <p>Result: The Grade Center options display.</p>

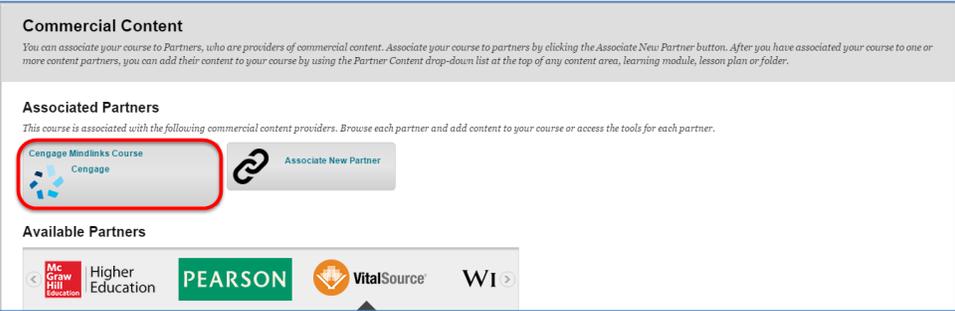
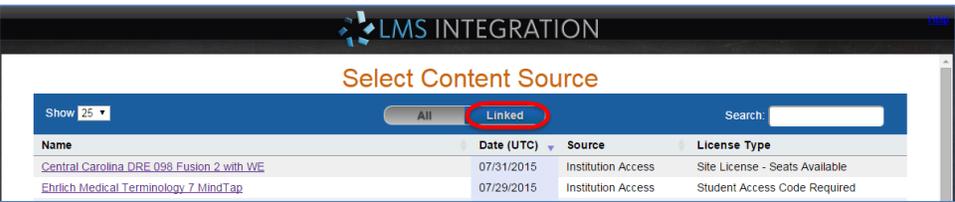
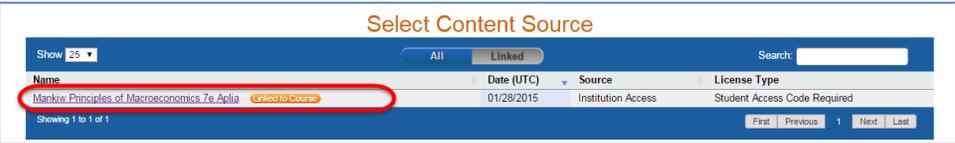
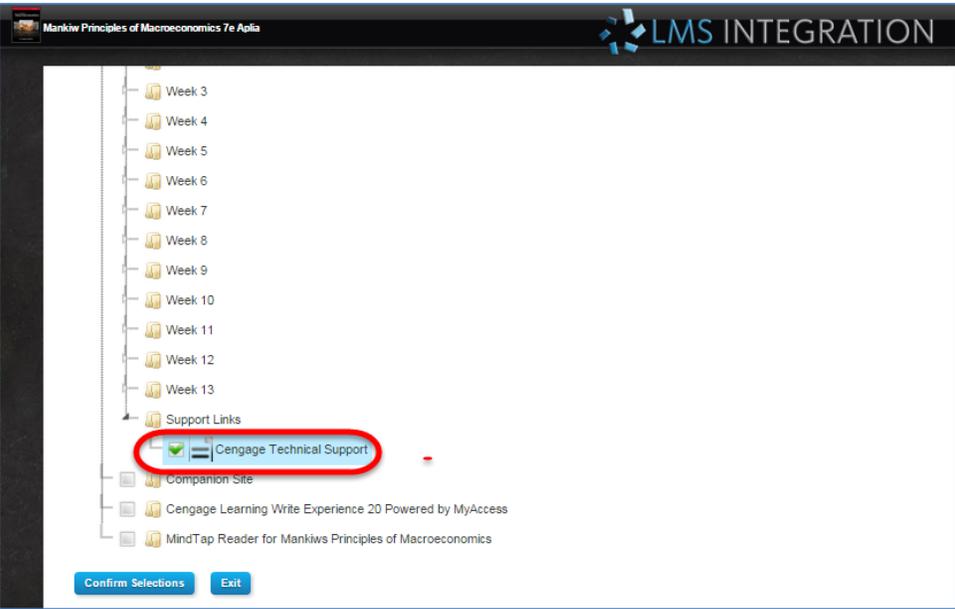
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<p>17</p>	<p>Select Assignments.</p>  <p>Result: All graded Assignments display.</p> 
<p>18</p>	<p>Select Full Grade Center.</p>  <p>Result: A gradebook column displays for all the graded Assignments.</p> 

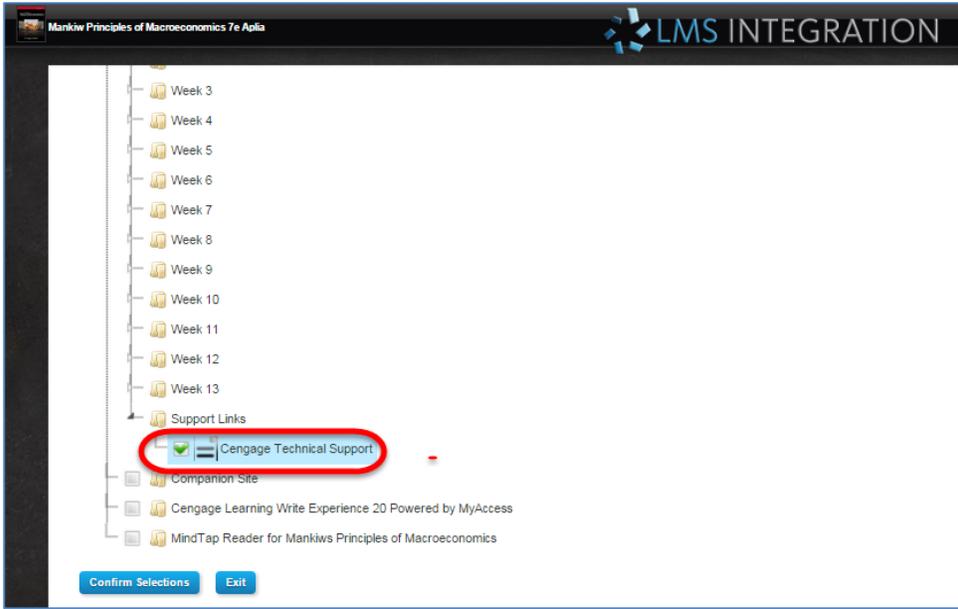
Add a Cengage Technical Support Link into an Integrated Course

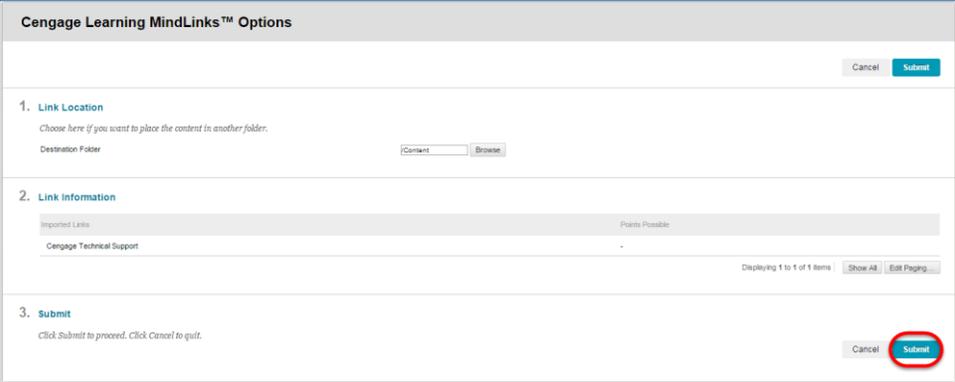
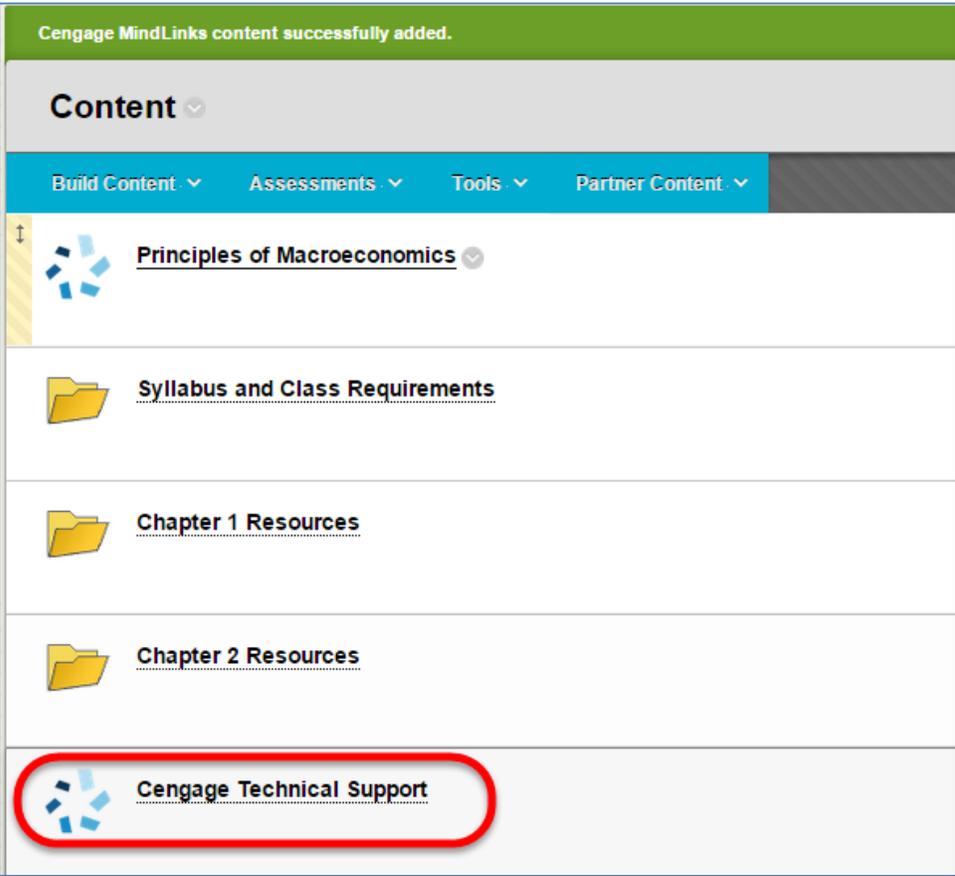
The Cengage Technical Support link enables instructors and students to create new support cases that will route directly to a dedicated Cengage LMS Technical Support group.

Follow the steps below to add the Cengage Technical Support link to Blackboard:

Step	Action
1	<p>Select Content from the course menu.</p>  <p>The screenshot shows the Blackboard interface for a course titled 'Principles of Macroeconomics'. On the left is a navigation menu with 'Content' circled in red. The main area shows the 'Content' page with a top navigation bar containing 'Build Content', 'Assessments', 'Tools', and 'Partner Content'. Below this, there are three folder items: 'Syllabus and Class Requirements', 'Chapter 1 Resources', and 'Chapter 2 Resources'.</p> <p>Result: The <i>Content</i> page displays.</p>
2	<p>Point to Partner Content and select Commercial Content.</p>  <p>The screenshot shows the same Blackboard interface as in step 1, but with the 'Partner Content' dropdown menu open. The dropdown menu lists several options: 'Search for Textbook', 'Manual Entry Textbook', 'Commercial Content' (circled in red), 'CourseSmart eTextbook', and 'Barnes & Noble Textbook Tool'.</p> <p>Result: The <i>Commercial Content</i> page displays.</p>

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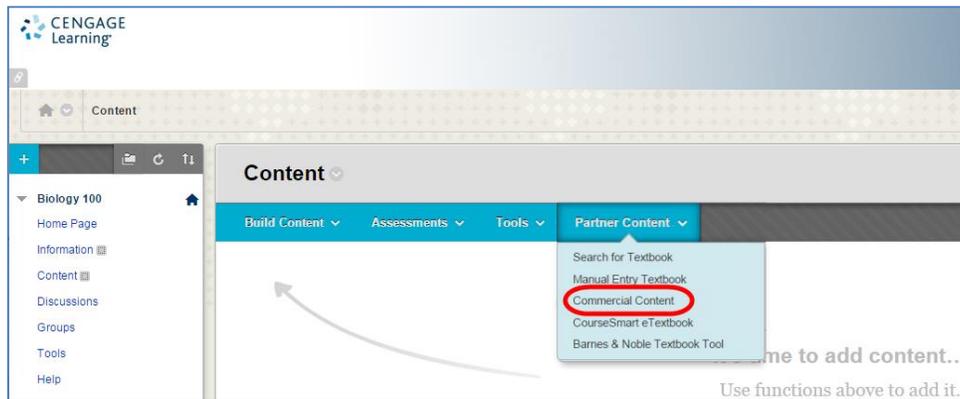
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Appendix: Partner or Publisher Content Menu

When linking to a Cengage Learning Aplia course, the workflow varies depending on the Blackboard service pack your institution uses. The workflows are as follows:

- Partner Content with Commercial Content

— From the Content page, point to **Partner Content** and select **Commercial Content**.

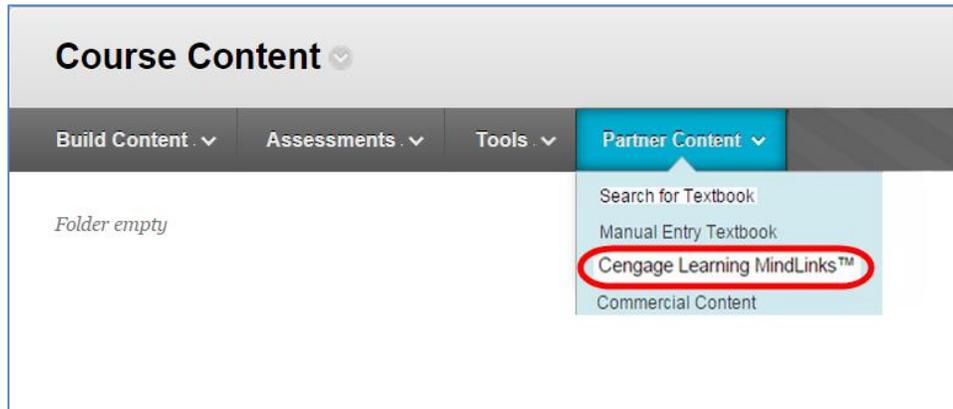


— Click the **Cengage Learning** banner from the Available Partners content carousel.



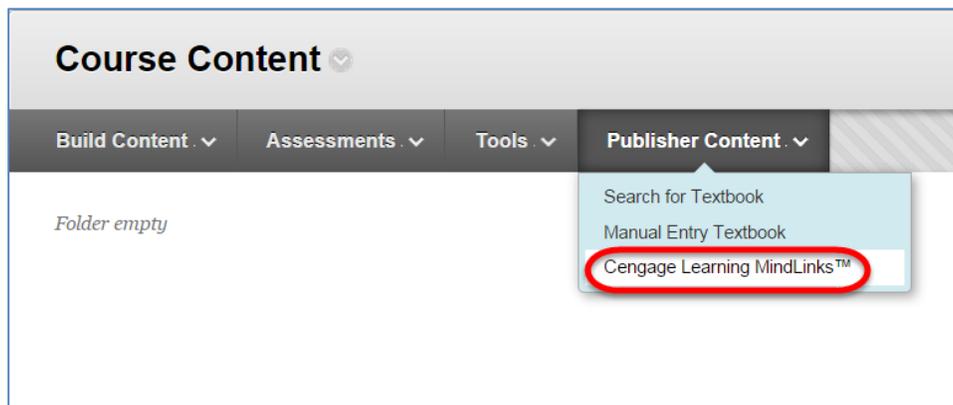
- Partner Content with Cengage Learning Mindlinks™

— From the Content page, point to Partner Content and select **Cengage Learning MindLink™**.



- Publisher Content with Cengage Learning Mindlinks™

— From the Content page, point to **Publisher Content** and select **Cengage Learning MindLink™**.



Summary

Cengage Learning’s LMS Integration with Blackboard provides instructors and students seamless access to Aplia using their Blackboard login credentials. Links added in a Blackboard course enable students to navigate directly to a learning activity in Aplia. Instructors can select which graded activities they would like synchronized with their Blackboard gradebook.