Adaptive Release - Basics: Date

Adaptive Release gives instructors the opportunity to display specific content to individuals or groups in the class based on criteria set. Once the rule is created, each student has to meet the specific criteria before they are allowed to access the content.

### Enable Edit Mode

First make sure that **Edit Mode** is **ON**.

### Find Item Where You Wish to Use Adaptive Release

1. Click on that item’s **Action Link** button.
2. Then, choose **Adaptive Release**.
**Limiting By Date**

1. **Display After**
   Check the box and click the **Calendar** icon to select the date this item should appear. The date can also be typed into the field using the formula `mm/dd/yyyy`. After the date has been set for Display After, click the **Clock** icon to select the time the item should appear.

2. **Display Until**
   Check the box and click the **Calendar** icon to select the date this item should become unavailable. A date can also be typed into the field using the formula `mm/dd/yyyy`. Once the date has been selected for Display Until, click the **Clock** icon to select the time the item should become unavailable.

3. Both options (Display After, Display Until) do not have to be used together. If you prefer, the Display After option can be used to open an item on a certain date and keep it visible for the remainder of the course. The same applies for the Display Until setting.

**Submit**

Click **Submit** to accept the condition. Choose **Cancel** if you do not wish to keep the information.

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**NOTE:** While you are allowed to use an Adaptive Release Date rule, the suggested method is to instead use the Date/Time settings under the Edit menu for the item. Please do not set date availability within both areas--this can prevent the item from appearing at all.
Verify Rule Was Added

Verify that the words *Enabled: Adaptive Release* appear under the item name in the Edit View of that content area.