

How to Add the Zoom Meeting External Tool to Moodle

(NOTE: FOR INSTANT MEETINGS ONLY)

The Zoom's LTI plugin offers tight integration with Moodle which supports meeting creation and hosting all within your Moodle course.

Note: You must have a Zoom account. If you do not have a ULM Zoom account, request one by emailing Greg Andrews at gandrews@ulm.edu and he can get you going.

Once you have successfully logged in to your account, follow the steps below to add the Zoom plugin to your Moodle course.

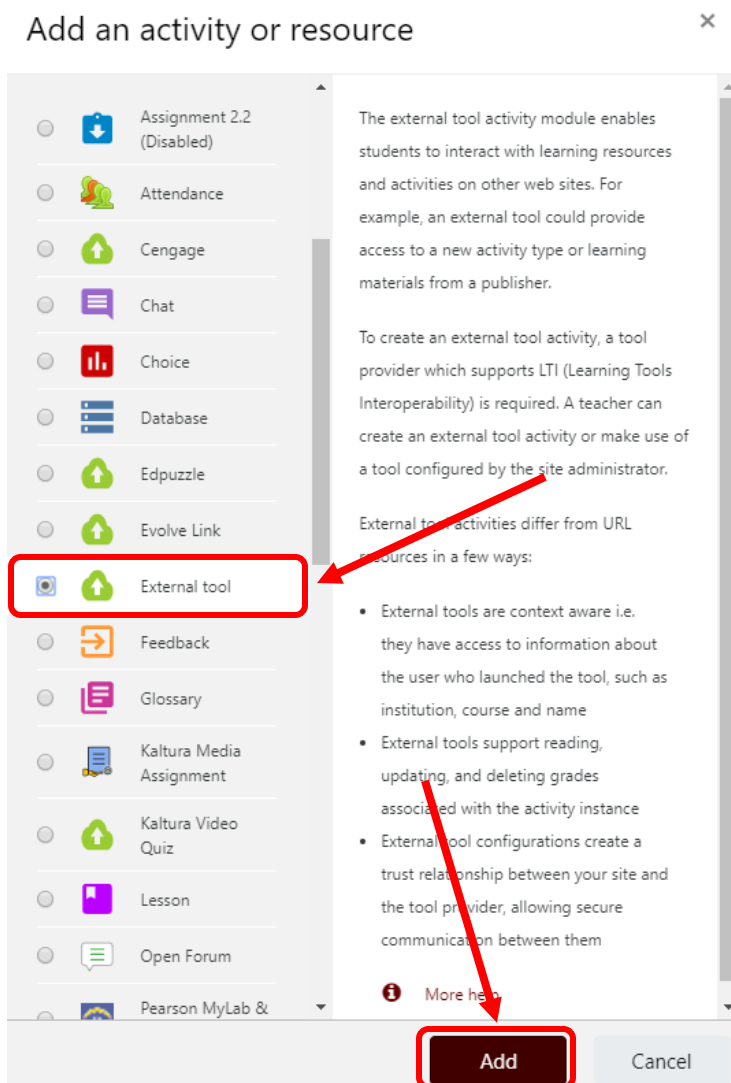
1. First, **Turn editing on** via the icon at the top left



2. Scroll to the section/week you want to add the Zoom tool and click **Add an Activity or resource**.

+ Add an activity or resource

3. Select **External Tool** from the pop-up window and click **Add**.

A screenshot of the 'Add an activity or resource' pop-up window in Moodle. The window has a title bar with a close button (X) on the right. On the left side, there is a scrollable list of activity types. The 'External tool' option is highlighted with a red rectangular box. A red arrow points from this box to the 'Add' button at the bottom of the window. The right side of the window contains descriptive text about external tools and a 'More help' link. The 'Add' button is also highlighted with a red rectangular box.

Add an activity or resource

- Assignment 2.2 (Disabled)
- Attendance
- Cengage
- Chat
- Choice
- Database
- Edpuzzle
- Evolve Link
- External tool**
- Feedback
- Glossary
- Kaltura Media Assignment
- Kaltura Video Quiz
- Lesson
- Open Forum
- Pearson MyLab &

The external tool activity module enables students to interact with learning resources and activities on other web sites. For example, an external tool could provide access to a new activity type or learning materials from a publisher.

To create an external tool activity, a tool provider which supports LTI (Learning Tools Interoperability) is required. A teacher can create an external tool activity or make use of a tool configured by the site administrator.

External tool activities differ from URL resources in a few ways:

- External tools are context aware i.e. they have access to information about the user who launched the tool, such as institution, course and name
- External tools support reading, updating, and deleting grades associated with the activity instance
- External tool configurations create a trust relationship between your site and the tool provider, allowing secure communication between them

Add Cancel

4. On the next page, add an activity name and select Zoom Meeting from the preconfigured tool drop down menu.

➤ Adding a new External tool to

The screenshot shows the Moodle External tool configuration form. The 'General' section is expanded, showing the 'Activity name' field with a red information icon and a red arrow pointing to it. The 'Preconfigured tool' dropdown menu is open, with 'Zoom Meeting' highlighted in blue and a red arrow pointing to it. The 'Tool URL' field is empty. At the bottom, the 'Save and return to course' button is highlighted with a red box and a red arrow. Below the form, a message states: 'There are required fields in this form marked ⓘ .'

5. Click Save and return to course.

A close-up of the 'Save and return to course' button, which is highlighted with a red box. The other buttons, 'Save and display' and 'Cancel', are visible but not highlighted.

6. The tool in Moodle will look the same for students and instructors:

NOTE: There are 2 types of meetings in Zoom:

Meet Now (Instant Meetings)

You can start an instant meeting with these methods. The meeting starts instantly and you can invite others to join this meeting at any time.

Scheduled Meetings

You can schedule a future one-time meeting or a future recurring meeting. These would use the other Zoom tool in Moodle.

Join a Meeting

Please click button below to join the meeting

A blue button with the text 'Join Meeting' in white.