

# MTSU Introducing H5P

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Need a branching scenario for your course? What about image hotspots or flash cards? Instead of sending students out of D2L to external resources, what about trying H5P in your course? As of early August 2021, H5P is now available to all faculty and is fully integrated in D2L through your single-sign on.

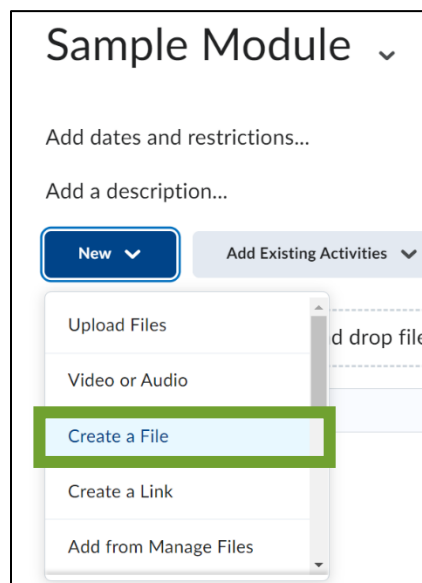
“H5P makes it easy to create, share and reuse HTML5 content and applications. H5P empowers everyone to create rich and interactive web experiences more efficiently - all you need is a web browser and a web site with an H5P plugin” ([H5P](#))

### What are some benefits?

- Promotes and supports the creation and sharing of resources globally through Open Educational Resource (OER) libraries.
- Because it seamlessly integrates engaging content into D2L, the cool resources and embedded quizzes live in D2L.
- Promotes accessibility because it can live in D2L and be used to create and maintain resources that meet accessibility standards.
- Can automatically adjust size to any platform or device, i.e., it will work on an iPhone and a PC desktop without changing file type because the document is all in the code.
- Creates opportunities for integration of multimedia and multi-modal resources.

### How do I get it?

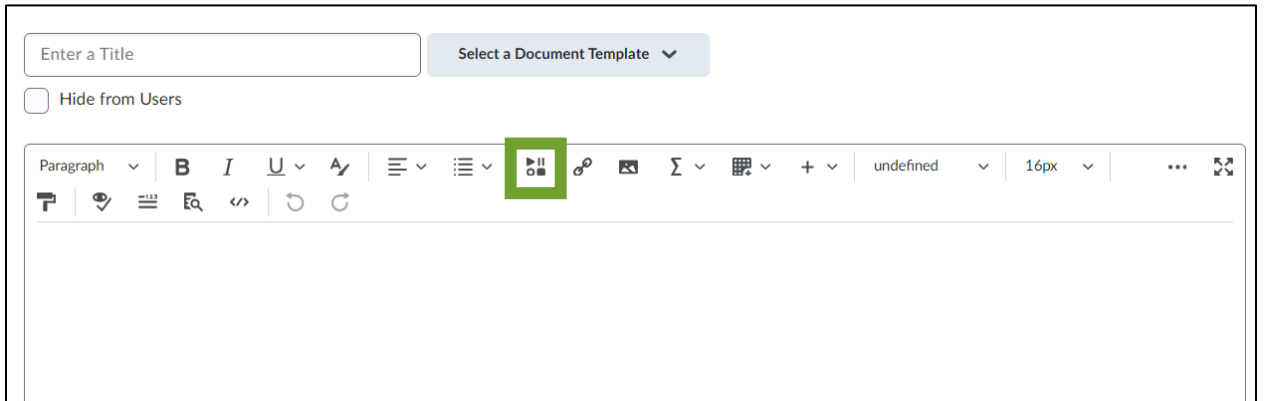
1. Log in to [D2L](#)
2. Select any development shell or sandbox course in your D2L home.  
[No dev shell? Feel free to use an old course, create a hidden module in an active course, or [request a dev shell](#).]
3. Click **Content** in the navbar and navigate to a module.
4. Click on the **New** drop-down menu button.
5. Select **Create a File**.



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6. Select the **Insert Stuff** button on the toolbar of the text editor. It looks like the play/pause/record/stop button.



7. Select H5P from the drop-down list.



8. Finish the steps to create your account in H5P.

Once your account is created, you can follow these steps to return to the H5P system to create your interactive materials or go directly to H5P at <https://mtsu-aits.h5p.com/content>

Have fun creating new engaging resources for your students!

### Are there tutorials and resources?

Yes! You are welcome to visit the [Authoring Guide](#) on the H5P website, [H5P tutorials](#), or contact MTSU Online Instructional Designers at [online@mtsu.edu](mailto:online@mtsu.edu).