

IMS content package

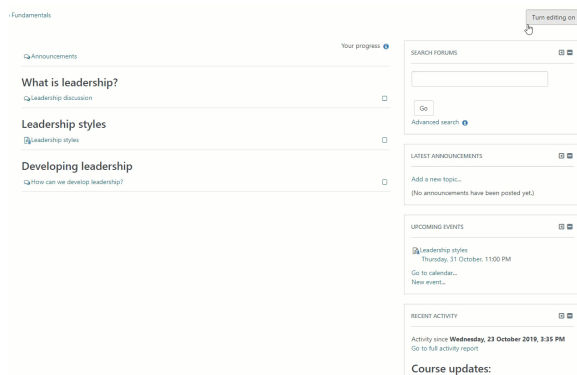
An IMS content package is a collection of files which are packaged according to an agreed standard so they can be reused in different systems. The IMS content package module enables such content packages to be uploaded as a zip file and added to a course as a resource.

Content is usually displayed over several pages, with navigation between the pages. There are various options for displaying content in a pop-up window, with a navigation menu or buttons etc.

An IMS content package may be used for presenting multimedia content and animations.

Adding an IMS content package

1. Click **Turn editing on**.
2. Select **IMS Content package** from the **Add an activity or resource** menu.
3. Enter a IMS name and description to appear on the course page for learners.
4. Select the package file you want to use.
5. Customise the available settings, see [IMS content package settings](#) to learn more.
6. Click **Save and display** (or **Save and return to course**).



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IMS content package settings

Setting	Description	Notes
Name	Whatever you type here will form the link learners click on to view the IMS content package, so it is helpful to give it a name that suggests its purpose.	-
Description	Add a description of your package here (this may or may not be required according to admin settings). Click Show editing tools to display the rich text editor, and drag the bottom right of the text box out to expand it.	-
Display description on the course page	If this box is ticked, the description will appear on the course page just below the name of the package.	-
Content package	Either drag and drop your IMS Content package into the content package box or you can click the Choose a file button to locate and add your IMS Content package via the File picker .	-
Archive packages	Archive packages refers to the number of previous versions of this package that you wish to keep.	-
Common module settings	See Common module settings to learn more.	-
Activity completion	See Activity completion to learn more.	-
Restrict access	See Restrict access to learn more.	-
Tags	See Tags to learn more.	-

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Visible

ID number

▼ Restrict access

Access restrictions

▼ Activity completion

Completion tracking

Require view Learner must view this activity to complete it

Expect completed on

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Site administration settings

The IMS content package module has additional settings which may be changed by an administrator in *Site administration > Plugins > Activity modules > IMS content package*.

Setting	Description	Notes
Archive packages	How many packages should be archived?	-