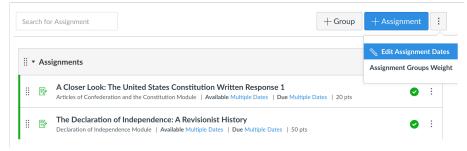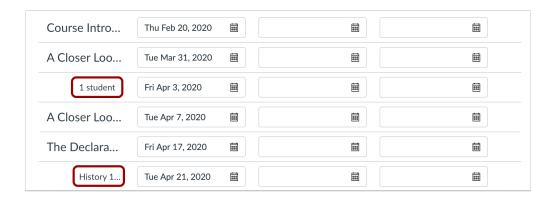# ASSIGNMENTS

Due and Availability Date Bulk Edit

The Assignments page supports editing all graded assignment, discussion, and quiz dates in a single page. This change allows assignment dates to be adjusted at one time in the same location.

The Assignments Settings menu includes an option to Edit Assignment Dates. This option displays all existing assignments in a single page arranged by due date.

Assignments with the same due date are listed in alphabetical order. The full name of an assignment is included in the hover text for the assignment. Dates can be selected via the Calendar icon or by typing a date directly in the text field. Currently times cannot be adjusted within the page and are set to the default of 11:59 pm.

For assignments with multiple due dates, all due dates display below the Everyone Else date, and the student, section, or group is right-aligned in the assignment name column. Only due dates and availability dates can be edited in this page—details such as changing the specific group or section assigned to the assignment must be edited directly within the assignment.
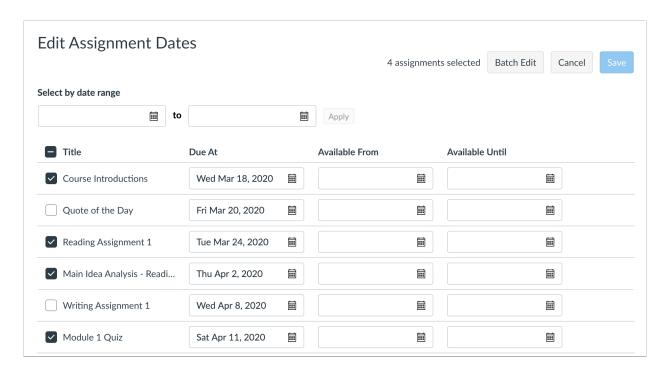

The Edit Assignment Dates page supports enhancements to select multiple assignments, batch edit dates, and improve date validation. These changes provide faster management of assignment dates in a course.

Bulk Selection

Each heading and assignment row includes a checkbox that can be used to select assignments. The checkbox in the heading can be used to select all assignments. The top of the page displays the number of selected assignments.
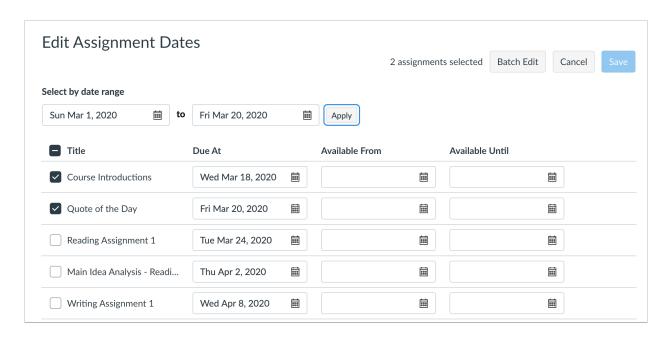

If an assignment includes overrides (differentiated assignments), only the main assignment includes a checkbox.

Note: Checkboxes are grayed out for assignments that cannot be edited, such as if the assignment falls in a closed grading period.

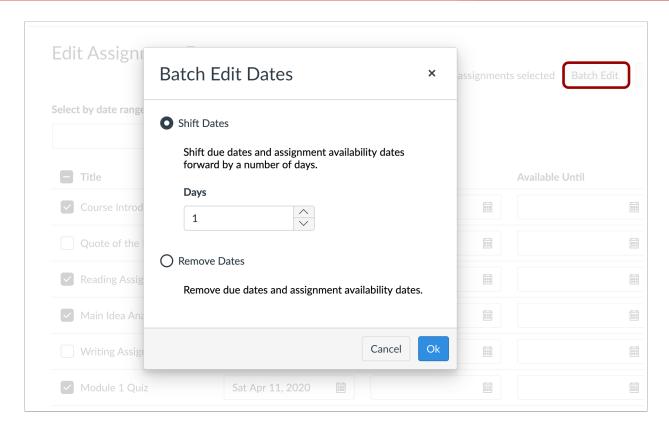Assignments can also be selected by choosing a specific date range.

Edit Assignment Dates

2 assignments selected   Batch Edit   Cancel   Save

Select by date range

Sun Mar 1, 2020   to   Fri Mar 20, 2020   Apply

Title	Due At	Available From	Available Until
☑ Course Introductions	Wed Mar 18, 2020		
☑ Quote of the Day	Fri Mar 20, 2020		
☐ Reading Assignment 1	Tue Mar 24, 2020		
☐ Main Idea Analysis - Readi...	Thu Apr 2, 2020		
☐ Writing Assignment 1	Wed Apr 8, 2020		

Batch Edit Dates

Assignments can be managed in bulk by selecting the assignments and then selecting the Batch Edit Dates button. The batch edit feature allows multiple assignments to shift all dates by a specific number of days (including differentiated assignment overrides, if any). Assignment due dates can also be removed for the selected assignments.
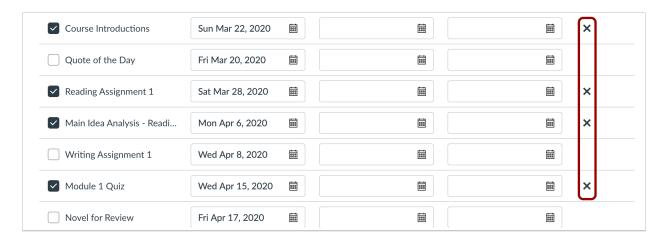
The OK button applies the desired changes for the selected assignments, but changes are not applied to the course until the Edit Assignment Dates page is saved.

Assignment Changes

Any assignment that includesa date change includes a Remove icon. Icons display for both assignments manually updated or updated via batch edit. Changes can be reverted by clicking the Remove icon next to the applicable row.

Validation Errors

If the date validator discovers individual errors, the error is displayed immediately near the due or availability date with the error. Previously errors were displayed only after page updates were

processed.

Once all dates have been adjusted, changes must be saved via the Save button. The status of the page updates can be viewed in the status percentage bar, which displays the percentage of changes saved to the page.