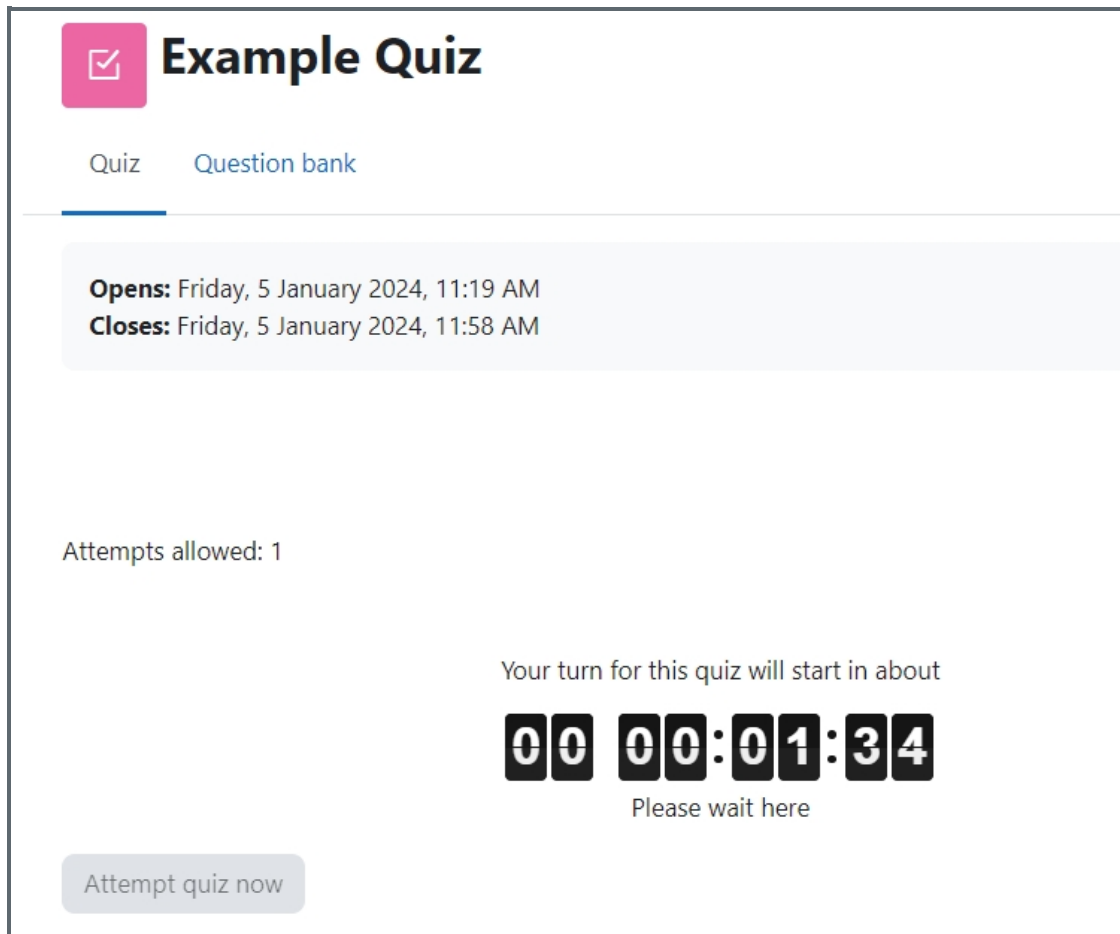# Random access delay in a Quiz

An example of random access delay

Overview:

This guide will show you what the function of random delay access works.

What to know:

This function can decrease the system pressure in high concurrency situation, such as exams in big classes, in order to provide a smooth Quiz experience to students.
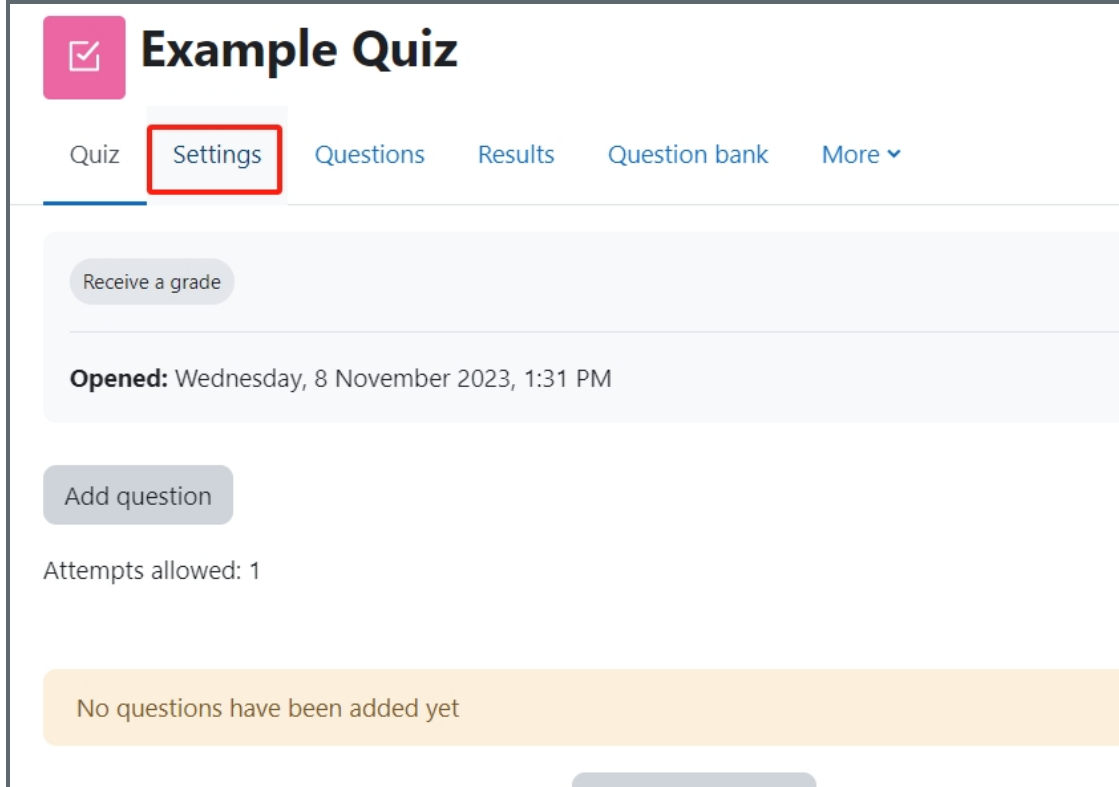
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Step 1: Open the quiz settings

Click the 'Settings' tab of a Quiz activity.

Example Quiz

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Receive a grade

Opened: Wednesday, 8 November 2023, 1:31 PM

Add question

Attempts allowed: 1

No questions have been added yet

Step 2: Enable 'randomly access delay' function

In the section of 'Extra restrictions on attempts', you need to enable the setting 'set a random access delay'.

This setting is disabled by default.

Extra restrictions on attempts

Require password ❓ [Click to enter text ✏] 👁

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Gradual entry to the quiz ☑ Sets a random access delay ❓

Students cognisance ❓ of plagiarism policy [not required ⬍]

How it works for students?

After enabling this setting, students will get a random access delay when they attempt the quiz.

Each students will get a random delay time, which is 2 minutes in maximum .

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☑ Example Quiz

Quiz   Question bank

Opens: Friday, 5 January 2024, 11:19 AM
Closes: Friday, 5 January 2024, 11:58 AM

Attempts allowed: 1

Your turn for this quiz will start in about

00 00:01:34

Please wait here

[Attempt quiz now]