

# Word select Question

Select the words that are grammatically incorrect in the paragraph below by clicking on them. In a short answer question, the student type in a word or phrase in response to a question (that may include a image). Answers may or may not be case sensitive. The answer could be a word or a phrase, but it must match one of your acceptable answer exactly. It's a good idea to keep the required answer as short as possible to avoid missing a correct answer that's phrased differently.

An example of the word select question

## Overview:

This guide will show you how to create a word select question type within the Quiz activity.

## What to know:

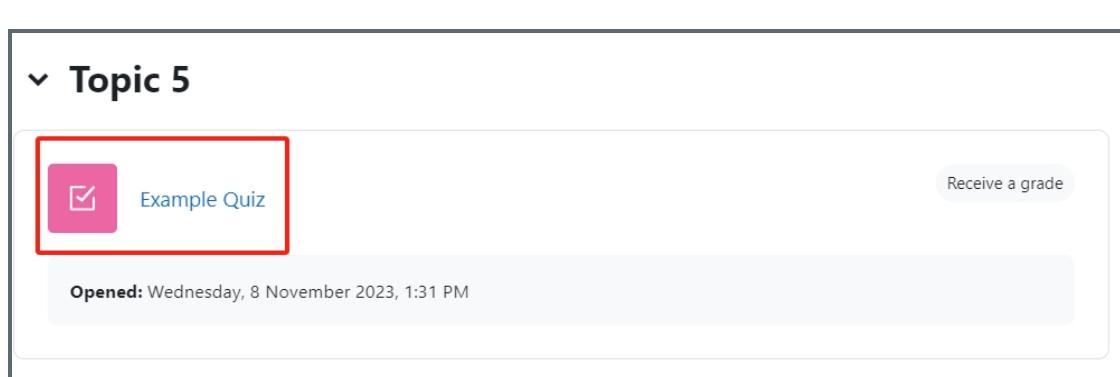
The word select question type allows students to select words by clicking on them. It can be a useful question type for language learning.

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### Step 1: Access the Quiz activity

In your module area/course, click the link of the Quiz activity.

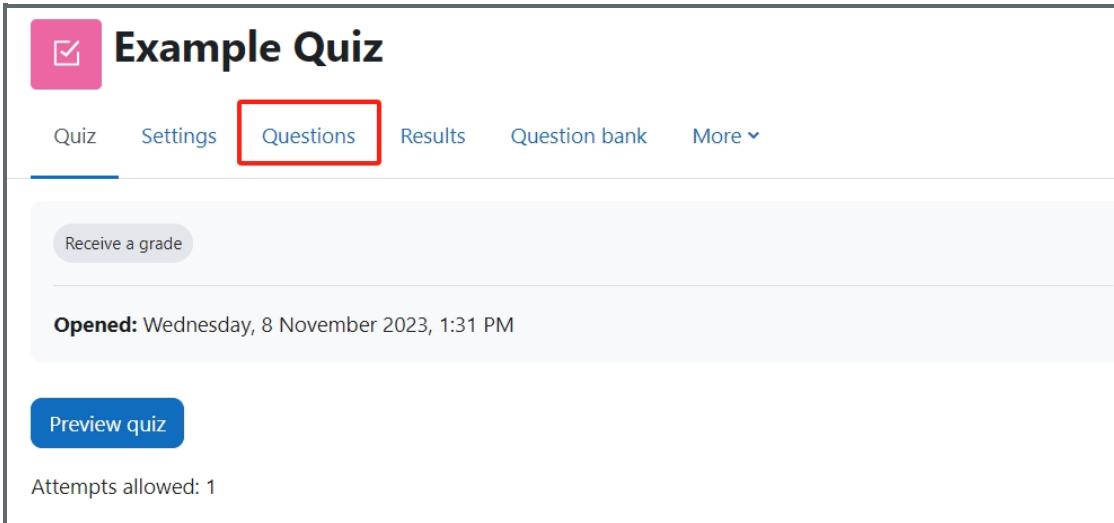


The screenshot shows a Moodle quiz activity titled "Topic 5". A red box highlights the "Example Quiz" button. The page includes a "Receive a grade" button and a timestamp: "Opened: Wednesday, 8 November 2023, 1:31 PM".

Note: If an appropriate Quiz activity doesn't exist in your module area/course, please see [How to add a Quiz activity](#) for details of how to create one.

## Step 2: Click the 'Questions' tab.

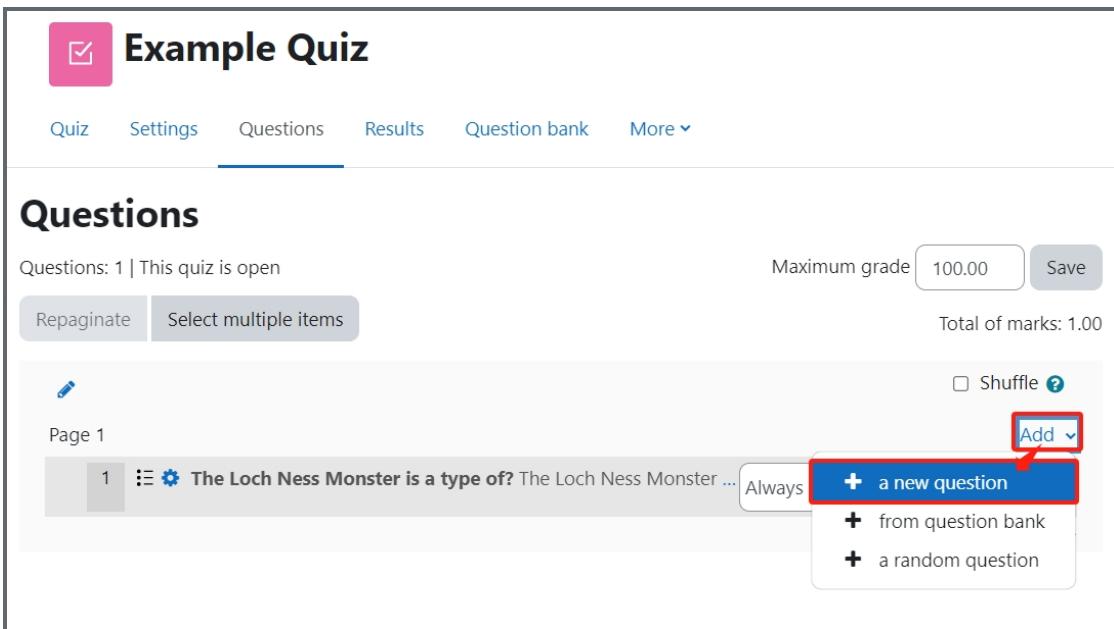
1. Click the 'Questions' tab.



The screenshot shows the 'Example Quiz' interface. At the top, there is a navigation bar with tabs: Quiz, Settings, **Questions** (which is highlighted with a red box), Results, Question bank, and More. Below the navigation bar, there is a button labeled 'Receive a grade'. Underneath that, the text 'Opened: Wednesday, 8 November 2023, 1:31 PM' is displayed. A blue button labeled 'Preview quiz' is visible. At the bottom, the text 'Attempts allowed: 1' is shown.

## Step 3: Add a new question

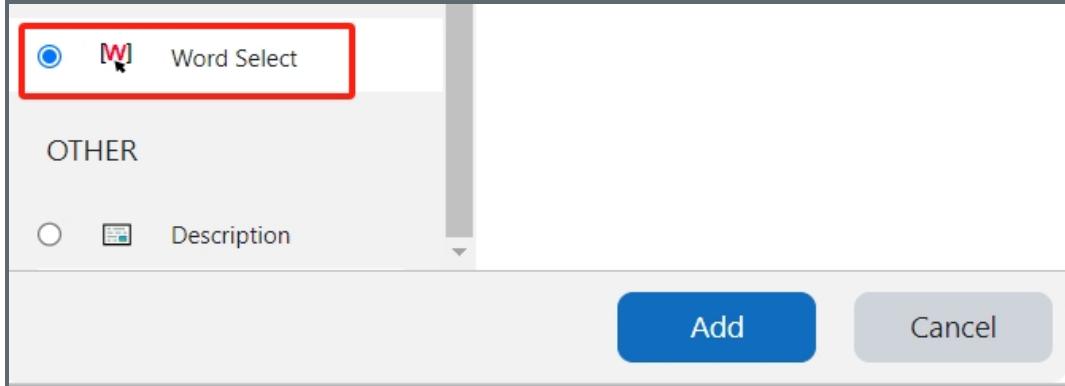
1. On the following page, click the 'Add' link.
2. Click the 'a new question' link in the dropdown menu.



The screenshot shows the 'Example Quiz' interface on the 'Questions' page. The navigation bar at the top is identical to the previous screenshot. Below the navigation bar, the word 'Questions' is prominently displayed. On the left, there are buttons for 'Repaginate' and 'Select multiple items'. On the right, there are fields for 'Maximum grade' (set to 100.00) and 'Save', and a note that 'Total of marks: 1.00'. Below these, there is a checkbox for 'Shuffle' with a question mark icon. A red box highlights the 'Add' button, which has a dropdown menu with three options: '+ a new question' (which is highlighted with a red box and has a red arrow pointing to it), '+ from question bank', and '+ a random question'.

## Step 4: Choose a question type

1. Locate and select the essay question type from the pop-up window.
2. Click the 'Add' button.



## Step 5: Configure general settings

### Category:

You can choose which category you would like to put your question in from the dropdown menu. If you have not created any category in your question bank, you can put the questions in the default category.

### Question name:

The question name is to help you to identify your questions. It is extremely useful when you view your questions in the question bank. It is recommended to put in enough information in the question name to help you to identify your questions quickly, especially in the question bank. A good example will be a question name like "Week1-location of XJTLU". Vague question names like "Q1" should be avoided. This section is mandatory. **Please note, students will not see the question names.**

### ID number:

Please leave it blank.

### Introduction:

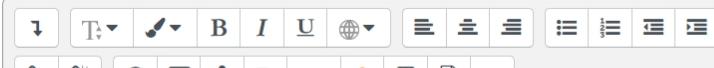
This is where you put the instructions of your questions. For example, select the words that are grammatically incorrect in the paragraph below by clicking on them.

### Question text:

Question text is a place where you can put in the texts and let the system know which words students need to select by putting delimit characters around the words. Please see below an example:

In a short answer question, the student [type] in a word or phrase in response to a question (that may include [a] image). Answers may or may not be case sensitive. The answer could be a word or a phrase, but it must match one of your acceptable [answer] exactly. It's a good idea to keep the required answer as short as possible to avoid missing a correct answer that's phrased differently.

## General

Category	Default for Chenhui's Test Module (8)
Question name	<span style="color: red;">!</span> <input type="text"/>
Question status	Ready <span style="color: blue;">?</span>
ID number	<span style="color: blue;">?</span> <input type="text"/>
Introduction	<span style="color: blue;">?</span>  <b>This is where you put the instructions of your question</b> Words:0
Question text	<span style="color: red;">!</span> <span style="color: blue;">?</span>  <b>This is where you put the selectable texts</b>

### General feedback:

Feedback can be given to your students at different stages of the quiz depends on how the settings are configured.

### Incorrect selection penalty:

Decrement mark by this percentage for each incorrectly selected word.

### Delimit characters:

Please keep the default setting, but in circumstances where programming language is used in the question, you may need to change the delimit characters.

General feedback	<span style="color: blue;">?</span>  Words:0
Incorrect selection penalty	<span style="color: blue;">?</span> 100% <span style="color: blue;">?</span>
Delimit characters	<span style="color: blue;">?</span> [] <span style="color: blue;">?</span>

## Step 6: Add tags if needed

You can put in a tag or several tags by key in the tags. Click "x" to delete a tag. Tags can help you to organize your questions in your question bank. Read more about the use of Tag from this article ([link](#)). Tags are designed for your question management purpose. It will not be displayed to students

## ▼ Tags



Other guides you may also interested:

1. [Gap fill question type](#)

Online URL: <https://knowledgebase.xjtu.edu.cn/article/word-select-question-72.html>