Canvas Commons

Commons is a learning object repository. Here teachers can find, import, and share Canvas resources. A resource can be an entire course, a module, a quiz, an assignment, a discussion, a page, a document, a video, an image, or an audio file.

Finding Resources in Commons

• In the navigation pane on the left, click **Commons**.



• Enter a keyword in the search field.

Q Search by tag, name, institution, or outcome

• To filter by resource type, click the drop down arrow and choose from the options.

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COURSES	MODULES	ASSIGNMENTS	QUIZZES	DISCUSSIONS	PAGES	DOCUMENTS	VIDEOS	AUDIO	IMAGES

• Click the drop down arrow for Grade/Level to select a specific grade or range of grades.

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• To filter by most relevant or highest-rated instead of the latest resources, click Latest.



• To view only resources shared within any groups you belong to, click the name of the group in the sidebar.



- To search all resources available in Commons, leave the search field and filters blank.
- Click the toggle button to view resources shared by Paulding County users rather than public resources.
- Click the displayed resource to view more details such as subject, grade level, description, and date of last update. NOTE: You cannot preview a resource within Commons; you will need to import the resource into a course in order to see the content.

Importing Resources From Commons

- To import a resource, click the name of the resource.
- Search for the course(s) you want to import the resource into or select the course(s) from the list.
- Click Import into Course.

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View the status of the import in the notification at the top of your screen.

Import into Course

You have successfully started the import! Please note that it may take a while to see changes in your course.

- To view the resource(s), open the course you imported the resource(s) into.
- If you imported something other than a course, such as an assignment or quiz, click that area in the course navigation to view the resource.
- The resource is now yours to edit and make your own.



