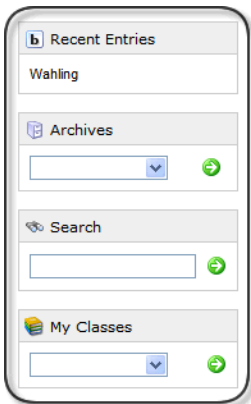


eduKate welcomes the New Year with the **2.8.3.0** Release

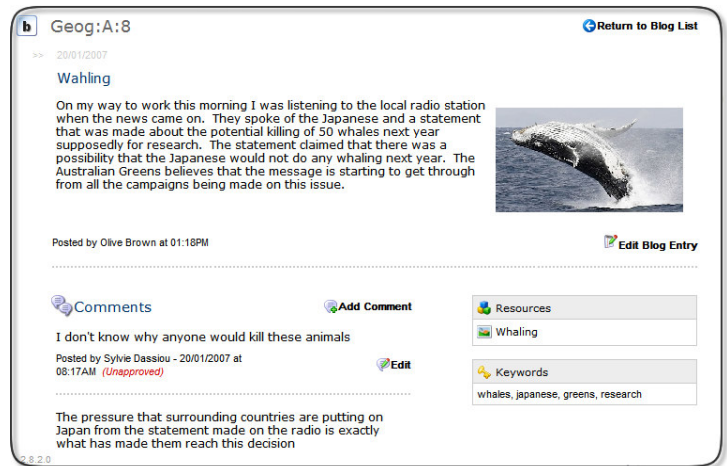
eduKate Ver. 2.8.3.0 (currently in Beta) to be released March/April. This release has a Teacher and Student focus with some cool additions and enhancements

b Teacher Class Blogs

A 'Teacher' blog for each class is now available from the 'Collaborate' view within eduKate. Teachers have the ability to publish articles and students will be able to add comments to each entry.

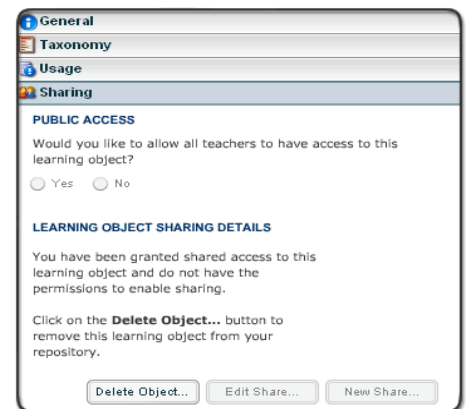


Teachers have the ability to moderate their blogs prior to student comments being published. The blog will feature entries ordered chronologically and archives of older entries can be assessed via links on the blog interface.



Delete Shares

Users will have the ability to delete Learning Objects shared to them from their Learning Object Repository. The option to delete shared learning objects has been added to the existing Learning Object tree view, and will enable staff users to better manage their Learning Objects with no impact to other users or the original Object.






eduKate 2.8.3.0 Workshops

eduKate will be holding a series of Workshops in Brisbane for the 2.8.3.0 Release, focusing on the additions and enhancements to eduKate's existing features:

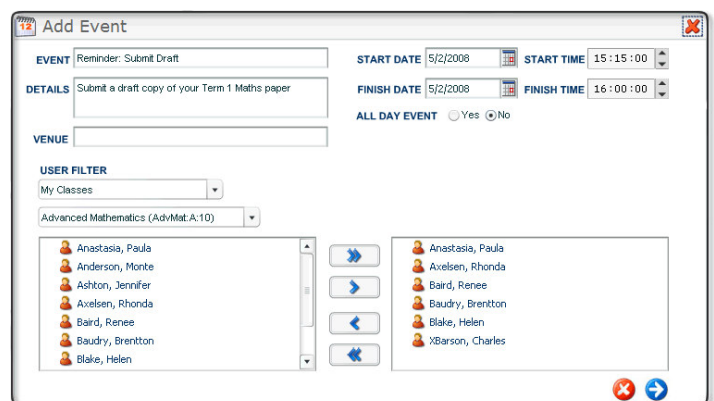
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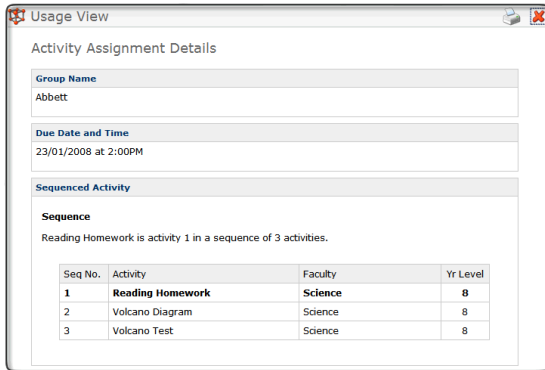
Calendar – Add Event

Events entered into the eduKate Calendar can now be assigned to a larger group of eduKate users. A picklist of available classes, groups and users will be provided on the calendar page, offering users the ability to share events with a broader selection of eduKate users.



Sequenced Activities

eduKate now offers staff users the option to assign activities in a sequence. Multiple Activities can be assigned as a sequence to a class, user or group. Each Activity in the sequence must be completed in order, with the next Activity in the sequence assigned automatically once the previous has been completed.



Usage View
Activity Assignment Details

Group Name
Abbett

Due Date and Time
23/01/2008 at 2:00PM

Sequenced Activity

Sequence
Reading Homework is activity 1 in a sequence of 3 activities.

Seq No.	Activity	Faculty	Yr Level
1	Reading Homework	Science	8
2	Volcano Diagram	Science	8
3	Volcano Test	Science	8



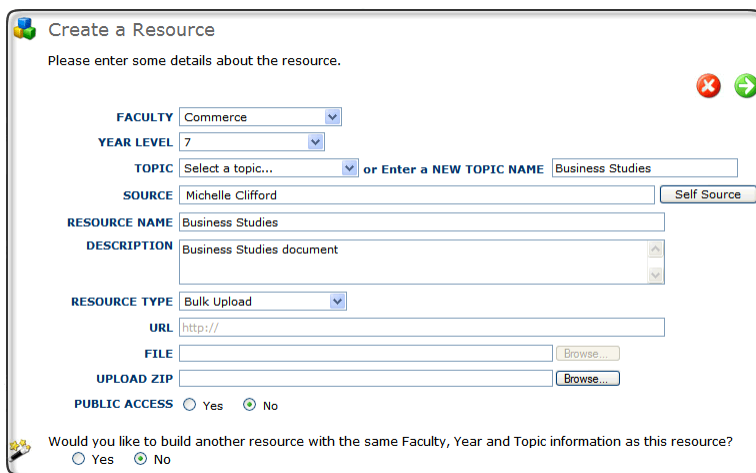
Assessment Grid Export

A new 'Export to CSV' function is now available in the Assessment Grid (Class and Student views) allowing staff users to export completed student assessments by class and individual student results, to an Excel format. The export includes the marks each student has received plus Teacher and Student Comments.

	A	B	C	D	E	F
1	BioSci.A:8 Activities - Abbiss, Peter (DD8A)					
2	Semester: 4	Year: 2007				
3	Exported: 06 Feb 2008 at 12:35:33					
4						
5	Activity Name	Due Date	Status	Grade	Student Comments	Teacher Comments
6	Reading Homework	7/2/2008 at 1:00 PM	S			
7	Volcano Diagram	7/2/2008 at 1:00 PM	A	60	Nice Work Peter	Has improved with this activity needs to apply himself better to the subject however
8	Volcano Essay	7/2/2008 at 1:00 PM	A	62	Great Research Peter Good Work	Can see significant improvement in Peter with this activity
9	Volcano Test	7/2/2008 at 1:00 PM	A	Good	Nice Try Peter	Not too sure what happened here

Bulk Upload

A Bulk Upload feature has been added to the existing 'Create Resource' screen to allow staff users to upload more than one resource at a time. Users are now able to upload multiple Resources from a designated folder for the same 'Faculty', 'Year Group', 'Topic' and 'Source', minimising the time for staff to create new content.



Create a Resource
Please enter some details about the resource.

FACULTY: Commerce

YEAR LEVEL: 7

TOPIC: Select a topic... or Enter a NEW TOPIC NAME: Business Studies

SOURCE: Michelle Clifford [Self Source]

RESOURCE NAME: Business Studies

DESCRIPTION: Business Studies document

RESOURCE TYPE: Bulk Upload

URL: http://

FILE: [Browse...]

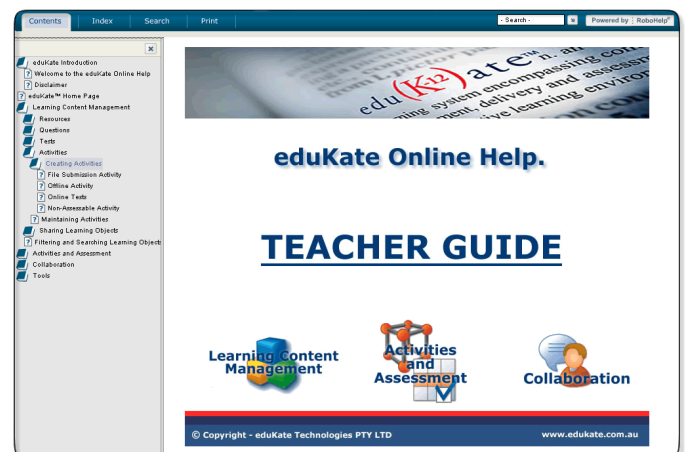
UPLOAD ZIP: [Browse...]

PUBLIC ACCESS: Yes No

Would you like to build another resource with the same Faculty, Year and Topic information as this resource?
 Yes No

Teacher & Administrator Online Help

Online Help features are now available from the eduKate toolbar and Administration Console. Comprehensive documentation has been released with guides to each function within eduKate including dynamic movies.



eduKate Online Help.

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