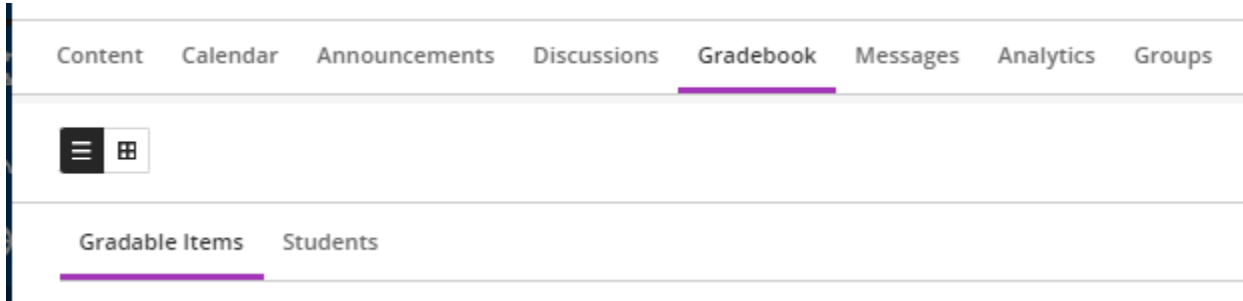


Coming to Blackboard Ultra – May 3, 2024

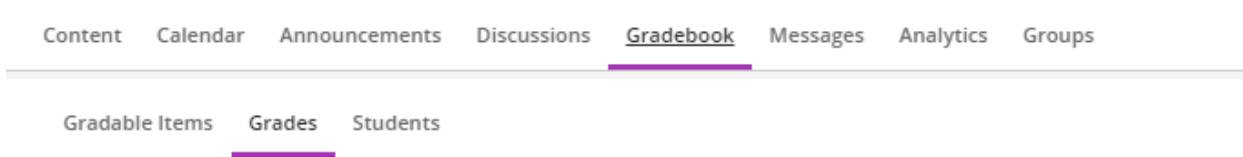
There are new features coming to the Blackboard Ultra Gradebook in May.

When you enter the Gradebook today, you see this on the menu – icons showing the list or grid view, and on the list view, Gradable Items and Student lists.



After the update on the evening of May 2, you will see this instead – three options.

The Grid View is the “Grades” option in the middle.






Also coming to the Gradebook, the Overall Grade, Weighted grading option will have the ability to weight either equally or proportionally as shown below. See https://help.blackboard.com/Learn/Administrator/SaaS/Release_Notes#3900.91.0-9 for full details.

Select a Calculation Type

Points **Weighted** Advanced

Assign percentage values to grading categories and items for an overall grade worth 100

- Unlink [] an item from its category to weigh it independently.
- Unlock [] items and categories to let the system auto-balance their percentages
- Exclude [] items and categories from the overall grade calculation.

Weigh gradable items within a category. ⓘ

Proportionally Equally