Here's what's new in CIDT!

CIDT: News

Welcome to CIDT News!

Welcome to the CIDT Faculty Newsletter! We will be using this newsletter to inform you about upcoming events and changes in CIDT, as well as offer Blackboard and other SE technology support tips. If there is anything you would like to see or learn more about, just let us know. We are here for you!

Thanksgiving Reminder

Thanksgiving Break will take place from November 19th-25th. During this time, please remember that the Southeastern campus will be closed and classes will not be taking place. This includes online courses as well. CIDT and tech support will also be closed during this week.

Thank you, and enjoy your break!





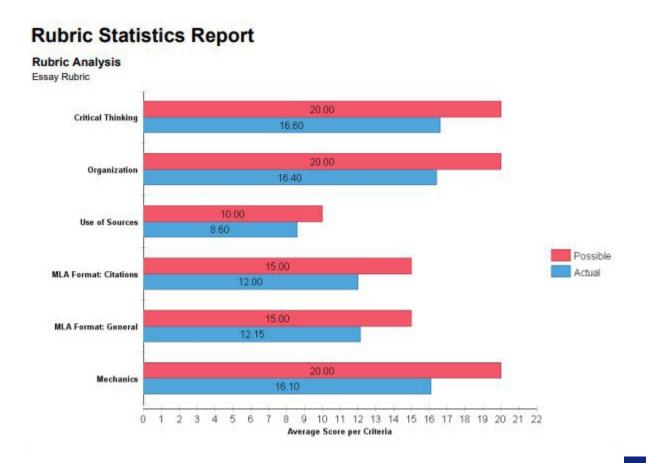
This week's Blackboard tip...

New Report Feature for Rubrics

Blackboard has a new report available in the grade center! You can now see a "Rubric Evaluation Report" in the full grade center by clicking the drop down arrow next to the column name of an assignment that was graded using a rubric. The report will contain the average of all rubric scores, displayed first as an overall average, second as a break down of rubric categories, and last as a breakdown of each category to see how often each score was allotted within each category. We hope this will be a useful tool for you to analyze your students' performance.

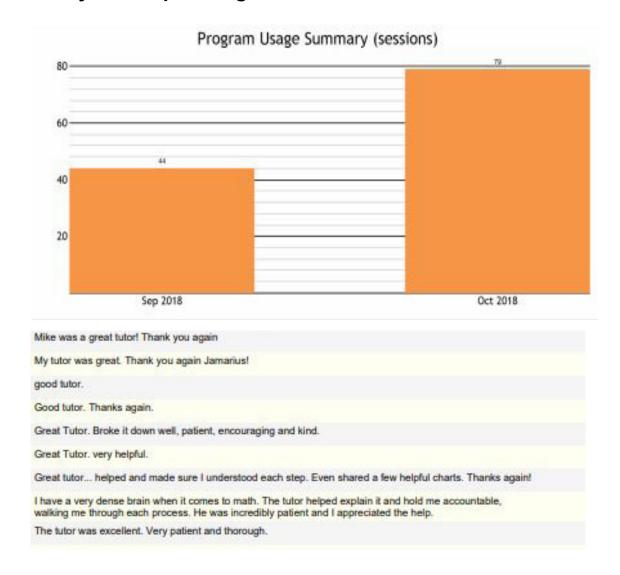
If you have any questions about this new tool, please let us know!

**See below for an example of a Rubric Evaluation Report



Tutor.com

Tutor.com is a free online learning resource offered to all Southeastern students through Blackboard. Over the past few months, the number of sessions reported has nearly doubled. September reported 44 sessions, but in October we received reports of 79 user sessions! Students have also offered positive feedback about their experiences with the tutors (See below)! In the coming months, we hope to see these numbers continue to grow. Thank you for spreading the word!





Area of Expertise: Video

Recent/Current Projects: CIDT Database, Homecoming collogue, Top Ten Freshman, Rodeo Hall of Fame, This semester we have had several professors come by for bios or intros for their blackboard course, David Monk, Mastewal Seteneh, Wayne Jones, and a Tinker Professor from OKC, A. Velazquez. We also had the opportunity to help Stanley Rice with a California Radio station interview on his new book. The Athletics Department has also utilized the new Studio's green screen area for the Womens and Mens Basketball team as well as helping with some filming for their National SAAC Diversity and Inclusion Social Media Campaign.

Favorite Quote: "Life is like a camera. Focus on what's important, Capture the good times, Develop from the negatives, and if things don't work out: take another shot."

Favorite Color: Orange

Birthday: October 9th, 1968