Using Release Conditions to Limit Who Sees an Assignment or Announcement
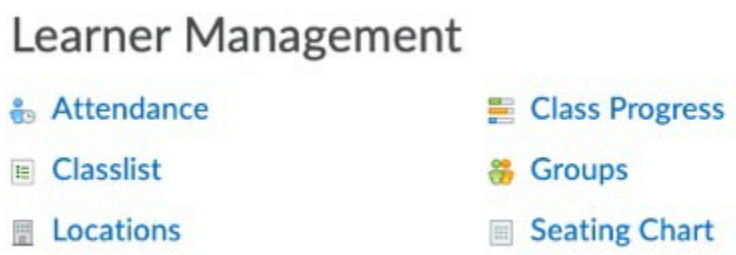
You can skip to Step 2 if your groups are already set up.

This is primarily for creating unique assignments for IPP kids that only they can see. Also generally how to limit access to any of your D2L assignments or announcements.

Step 1: Creating Custom Groups

Said group can have one student or many students – it doesn't matter.

1. Go to Groups in Course Administration

Learner Management

- 👤 Attendance
- 📋 Classlist
- 🏫 Locations

- 📊 Class Progress
- 👥 Groups
- 🪑 Seating Chart

2. Click – New Category

Manage Groups

New Category

Categories

Pretty self explanatory – but some additional tips (all customizable)

a. Call the new category something benign like 'Differentiation',
b. select "# of Groups – No Auto Enrolments",
c. The number of groups should be minimum 2 IMO
d. do not make groups descriptions visible.

Category I

Category Name *

> Differentiation

Enrolment Type

> # of Groups - No Auto Enrolments ⌄

Number of Groups *

Advanced Properties

▼ Hide Advanced Properties

Groups Options

☐ Make category and group descriptions visible to group members

3. Click one of the newly created groups

☐ Differentiation (2)

☐	Group 1

4. Enrol custom student list with "Enrol Users" button – and while you're at it rename the group

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Enrol Users

Edit Group

Group Name *

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5. Enrol those students from the selection and press save
   a. If you click "Display – then All Groups" you can enroll both groups at the same time

Step 2: Creating a conditional Release for an item

   This can be done for any new item – content, announcement, assignment etc.

1. Make a new item of any type – I am going to make a new folder in Assignments

2. Click Restrictions after you have set instructions etc.

3. Click 'Create and Attach' under 'Release Conditions'

Edit Folder - Strongbad ˅

Properties   Restrictions   Objectives

☐ Hide from Users

Due Date

☐ Has Due Date

| 4-29-2020 | 5:06 PM | Now |

Canada - Edmonton

Availability

☐ Has Start Date

| 4-22-2020 | 11:06 AM | Now |

Canada - Edmonton

☐ Has End Date

| 4-29-2020 | 5:06 PM | Now |

Canada - Edmonton

Release Conditions

Attach Existing   Create and Attach   🗑 Remove A

There are no conditions attached to this item.

4. Under Condition Type – Click 'Selection Condition Type, Choose 'Group Enrolment' under 'Classlist'
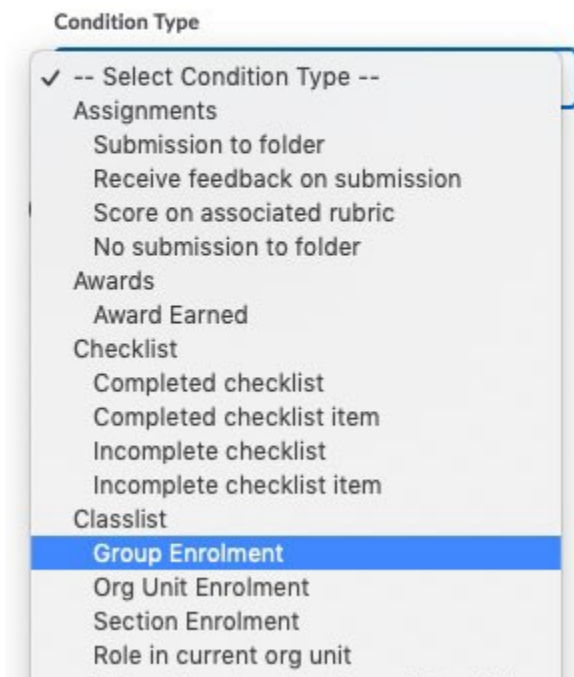
Create a New Release Condition

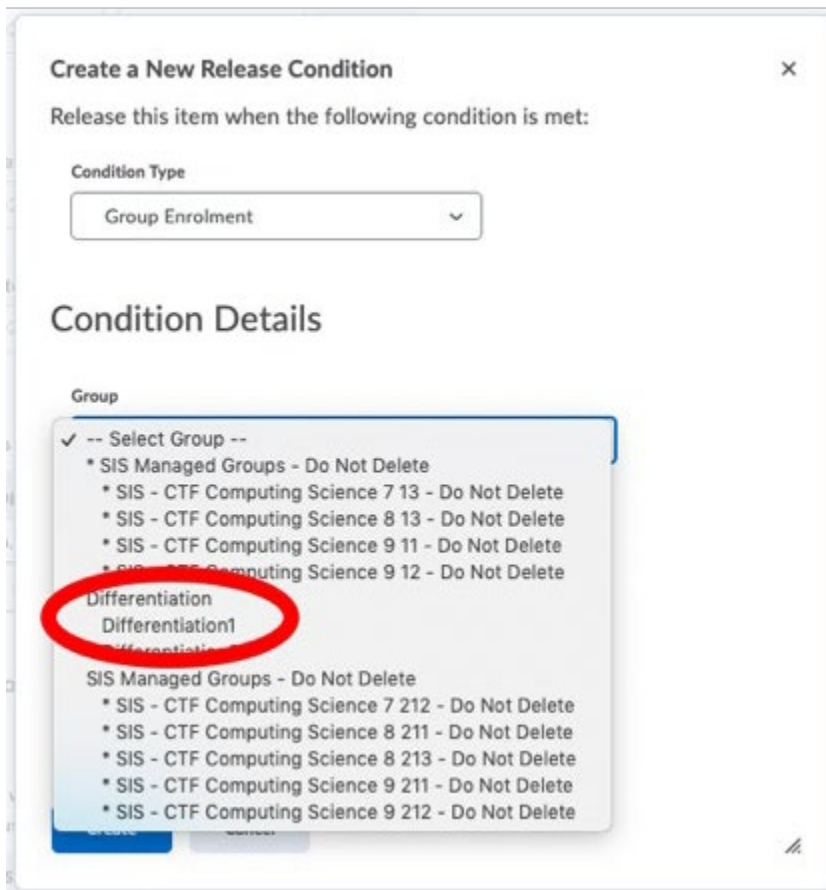Release this item when the following condition is met:

Condition Type

-- Select Condition Type --   ˅
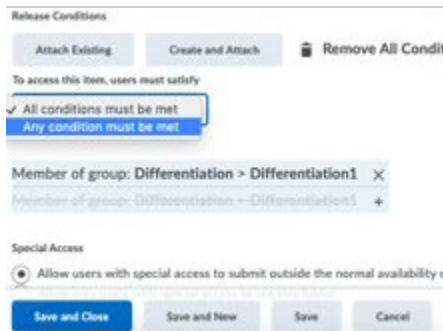
Create a New Release Condition

Release this item when the following conditio

Condition Type

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✓ -- Select Condition Type --
  Assignments
    Submission to folder
    Receive feedback on submission
    Score on associated rubric
    No submission to folder
  Awards
    Award Earned
  Checklist
    Completed checklist
    Completed checklist item
    Incomplete checklist
    Incomplete checklist item
  Classlist
    Group Enrolment
    Org Unit Enrolment
    Section Enrolment
    Role in current org unit
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5. A new dropdown will appear. Choose the group you want this item visible for (I chose Differentiation1)
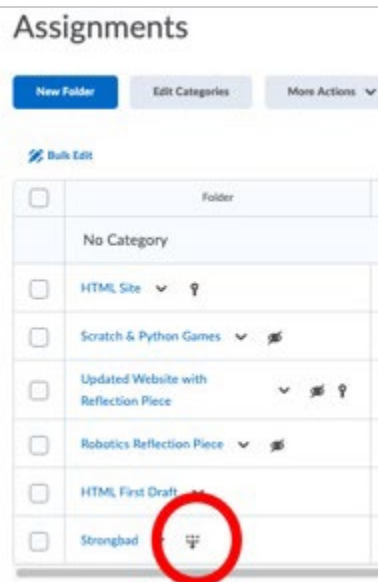
6. I then prefer to change a setting to 'Any condition must be met' and save. This is optional.
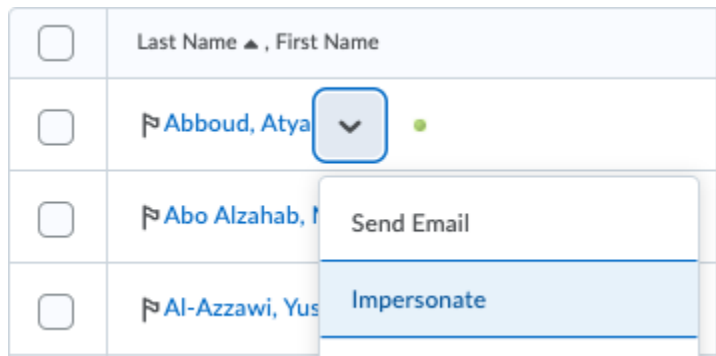

You are all done now but the first couple of times you do this you will want to verify that it worked

7. Under Assignments there should be a little symbol to verify that it has release conditions

8. Verify the release conditions worked by impersonating a target student, then a non-target student.

    a. This is done under classlist

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