

## H5P Training Series:

# 13—Drag the Words

In this tutorial, you will learn how to create an H5P Drag-the-Words activity.

**IMPORTANT:** Be sure to abide by copyright laws when developing learning activities based on content you do not own. See the link under the Additional Resources section for information.

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## 1. Overview of the Drag-the-Words Content Type

The H5P Drag the Words content type allows you to create questions in which learners must complete statements by dragging missing words or phrases to the correct place in the text.

**IMPORTANT:** Before creating any H5P element, turn on editing for your course site. Under the section or topic where the H5P element is to appear, click the **Add an activity** dropdown menu and choose **Interactive Content** from the list. Save your work periodically, and try out the features as you create them to help you understand how they function.

**Note:** See tutorial **0—General H5P Settings** for instructions on how to set up H5P activities for grades and other information.

## 2. Adding a Drag-the-Words Activity

The following steps walk you through the process of adding a Drag the Words activity. The steps also explain how to add images, text, and media links within this content type.

Step	Action	Notes
1.	In the <b>Name</b> field, type in a name for the H5P interaction.	For training purposes, type: Drag the Words.
2.	In the Editor section, select Drag the Words from the list of content types.	The editor should appear.
3.	Write instructions for the user in the <b>Task description</b> field.	For training, type: Drag the words into the correct boxes.
4.	Enter the question text into the <b>Text</b> field.	<p>The following instructions are shown on the screen for the <b>Text</b> field:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Droppable words are added with an asterisk (*) in front and behind the correct word/phrase.</li> <li>• You may add a textual tip, using a colon (:) in front of the tip.</li> <li>• For every empty spot, there is only one correct word.</li> <li>• You may add feedback to be displayed when a task is completed. Use '\+' for correct and '\-' for incorrect feedback.</li> </ul> <p>For training purposes, type: A <i>*fixed*</i> income is the same each time you receive it. On the other hand, a <i>*variable*</i> income changes each time you receive it. Most income usually comes from a <i>*salary*</i> earned from a job or career.</p>
5.	Click <b>Save and display</b> at the bottom of the screen when finished.	This step applies when using H5P content in Moodle server, such as ctYOU.org. Saving may be different in other applications.

**IMPORTANT:** Be sure to test the activity you created for this tutorial. Once completed, you can use this H5P feature as a standalone, embed its iframe code in a webpage, or you can download it for use in another courses.

### 3. Additional Resources

- <https://h5p.org/drag-the-words>
- <https://h5p.org/documentation/content-author-guide/tutorials-for-authors/drag-the-words>
- <http://www.loc.gov/teachers/usingprimarysources/copyright.html>

***The Oklahoma Department of CareerTech offers many other free H5P tutorials, as well as an extensive series on how to use various Moodle plugins. Look for them on ctYOU.org.***