

*H5P Training Series:*

# 15—Fill in the Blanks

In this tutorial, you will learn how to create an H5P Fill-in-the-Blanks 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 Fill-in-the-Blanks Content Type

The H5P Fill-in-the-Blanks content type requires learners to fill in the missing words in a text. Use this content type to test the user’s memory and their ability to reproduce facts.

**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 Fill-in-the-Blanks Activity

The following steps walk you through the process of adding a Fill-in-the-Blanks activity.

Step	Action	Notes
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| 1. | In the <b>Name</b> field, type a name for the H5P interaction. | For training purposes, type: Fill in the Blanks. |
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2.	In the <b>Editor</b> section, select <b>Image Sequencing</b> from the list of content types. When selecting this H5P activity for the first time, click the <b>Use</b> button.	The editor should appear.
3.	Type instructions into the <b>Task description</b> field.	For training, leave this field at the default: Fill in the missing words.
4.	Read the instructions shown on the screen to learn how to type your fill in the blanks question.	
5.	Use the <b>Line of text</b> field to add your line of text.	For training, type: “I have a <i>*dream*</i> that one day this <i>*nation*</i> will rise up and live out the true <i>*meaning*</i> of its creed: We hold these <i>*truths*</i> to be self-evident, that all <i>*men*</i> are created equal.” –Martin Luther King, Jr.
6.	Click on the <b>ADD TEXT BLOCK</b> button to add another text block.	
7.	Use the <b>Line of text</b> field to add your line of text.	For training, in the second line of text, type: “And so, my fellow <i>*Americans*</i> , ask not what your <i>*country*</i> can do for you; ask what <i>*you*</i> can do for your country.” –John F. Kennedy
8.	Click on the <b>ADD TEXT BLOCK</b> button to add another text block.	
9.	Use the <b>Line of text</b> field to add your line of text.	For training, in the second line of text, type: “So, first of all, let me assert my firm <i>*belief*</i> that the only <i>*thing*</i> we have to fear is <i>*fear*</i> itself.” –Franklin D. Roosevelt
10.	Click <b>Save and display</b> at the bottom of the screen when finished editing.	This step applies when using H5P content in a Moodle server, such as ctYOU.org. Saving may be different in other applications.

**IMPORTANT:** Be sure to test all of the multimedia elements 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

To learn more about this topic, visit:

- <https://h5p.org/tutorial-fill-in-the-blanks>
- <https://h5p.org/fill-in-the-blanks>
- <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.***