

OU blog

OU blog activity allows course participants to create blogs within a course.

Create an OU blog activity

- 1) In course main page, press **[Turn editing on]** at top right corner
- 2) Press **[+ Add an activity or resource]** under a course section
- 3) Press the **“OU blog”** box
- 4) Enter the OU blog name
- 5) Select/Modify the options from **“General”** category:
 - **Allow comments (if chosen for post)** - whether to allow other course participants or the general public to comment on the students' OU blog posts
 - **Maximum visibility** - whether to allow other course participants, other SOUL 2.0 users or the general public to view the students' OU blog posts
 - **Maximum number of attachments** to a student's OU blog post
 - **Number of posts per page** to be shown in the OU blog activity
- 6) Press **“Contribution time period”** category, then select the appropriate options:
 - **Posting only allowed from & until** - control the date and time when the students can create their own OU blog posts
 - **Commenting only allowed from & until** - control the date and time when commenting on the students' OU blog posts
- 7) If necessary, modify its Grading, Ratings, Common module, Restrict access and Activity completion settings
- 8) Press **[Save and return to course]**