

Prerequisite Course Subsections

You can lock subsections of your course until learners complete other, prerequisite subsections. If a subsection has a prerequisite, it is displayed in the course outline with a lock icon, and learners cannot view the subsection content until they have earned a minimum score in the prerequisite subsection.

Note: You must first Enabling Course Prerequisites before prerequisite course subsections can be used.

Enable Subsection Prerequisites

To enable prerequisite subsections in a course, follow these steps.

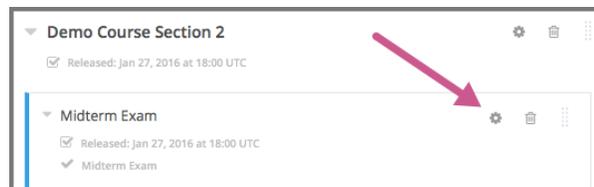
1. From the **Settings** menu, select **Advanced Settings**.
2. In the **Enable Subsection Prerequisites** field, enter **true**.
3. Select **Save Changes**.

Create a Prerequisite Subsection

To prevent learners from seeing a subsection of your course until they have earned **a minimum score or completed a minimum portion** in a prerequisite subsection, follow these steps.

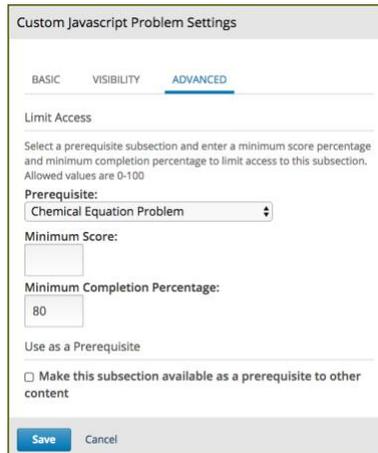
Note: Make sure that you configure subsection prerequisites in the order that you intend for learners to encounter them in the course content. The prerequisite configuration controls do not prevent you from creating a circular chain of prerequisites that will permanently hide them from learners.

1. Enable subsection prerequisites for your course. For more information, see Enable Subsection Prerequisites.
2. Select the **Configure** icon for the subsection that must be completed first. This is the prerequisite subsection.



3. Select the **Advanced** tab.
4. Under **Use as a Prerequisite**, select **Make this subsection available as a prerequisite to other content**.
5. Select **Save**.
6. Select the **Configure** icon for the subsection that will be hidden until the prerequisite is met.
7. Select the **Advanced** tab, and then locate the **Limit Access** section.

- In the **Prerequisite** list, select the name of the subsection you want to specify as the prerequisite.



Custom Javascript Problem Settings

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Limit Access

Select a prerequisite subsection and enter a minimum score percentage and minimum completion percentage to limit access to this subsection. Allowed values are 0-100

Prerequisite:
Chemical Equation Problem

Minimum Score:
[]

Minimum Completion Percentage:
80

Use as a Prerequisite

Make this subsection available as a prerequisite to other content

Save Cancel

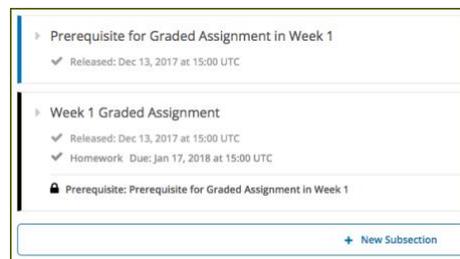
- To require that learners achieve a minimum score in the prerequisite subsection before the current subsection opens, enter the percent of the total score that learners must earn in the **Minimum Score** field. If the prerequisite section is not a problem set, set **Minimum Score** to 0 and set **Minimum Completion Percentage** to a value greater than zero.

For example, if the prerequisite subsection includes four problems and each problem is worth the same number of points, set the **Minimum Score** to 75 to require at least three correct answers.

To require that learners complete a minimum portion of the prerequisite subsection before the current subsection opens, enter the percent of the prerequisite subsection that learners must complete in the **Minimum Completion Percentage** field.

If you set both the **Minimum Score** field and the **Minimum Completion Percentage** field to a value greater than zero, then learners must satisfy both conditions in the prerequisite section before they can view the current subsection. The default value for both the **Minimum Score** field and the **Minimum Completion Percentage** field is 100.

- Select **Save**.
- In the course outline, if a subsection has a prerequisite, the prerequisite name appears under the subsection name.



> Prerequisite for Graded Assignment in Week 1
✓ Released: Dec 13, 2017 at 15:00 UTC

> Week 1 Graded Assignment
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✓ Homework: Due: Jan 17, 2018 at 15:00 UTC

🔒 Prerequisite: Prerequisite for Graded Assignment in Week 1

+ New Subsection