

PEARSON ENGLISH INTERACTIVE PLACEMENT TEST



Pearson English Interactive is an online four-level video-based, integrated-skills program for young adults, adult students, and professionals. The Pearson English Interactive Placement Test will accurately place students into one of the four levels of *Pearson English Interactive* (Levels 1-4).

These instructions provide an overview of the Placement Test, as well as detailed guidelines for setting up the Placement Test: registering students for a test (including the free student access code), assigning and administering a test, and using the final scores to place students in the right level of *Pearson English Interactive*.

Overview

The Pearson English Interactive Placement Test is composed of seven sections and 25 items total. The skills tested include Listening (video and audio), Reading (a letter, an article, and a dialog), and Vocabulary. Students have 45 minutes to complete the test.

Setting up the Placement Test

In order to use the Pearson English Interactive Placement Test, you must first set the test up as a “course” at MyEnglishLab.com.

Here are the steps:

Step 1: Go to www.MyEnglishLab.com to register. Click on Register and you will see a menu of courses. Select the Pearson English Interactive course, click on Register, and type in your access code. You will then receive confirmation of your registration. If you are a first-time user, you will be asked to create a MyEnglishLab account.

Pearson English Interactive

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Is your computer ready to use [MyEnglishLab](#)? [Check here](#).

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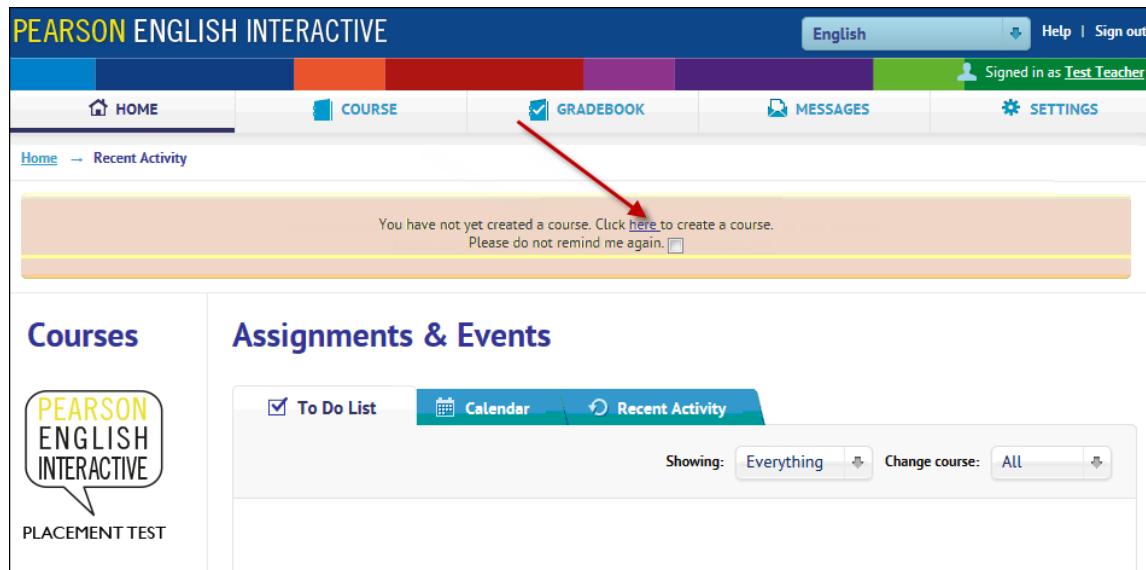
Register

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Login

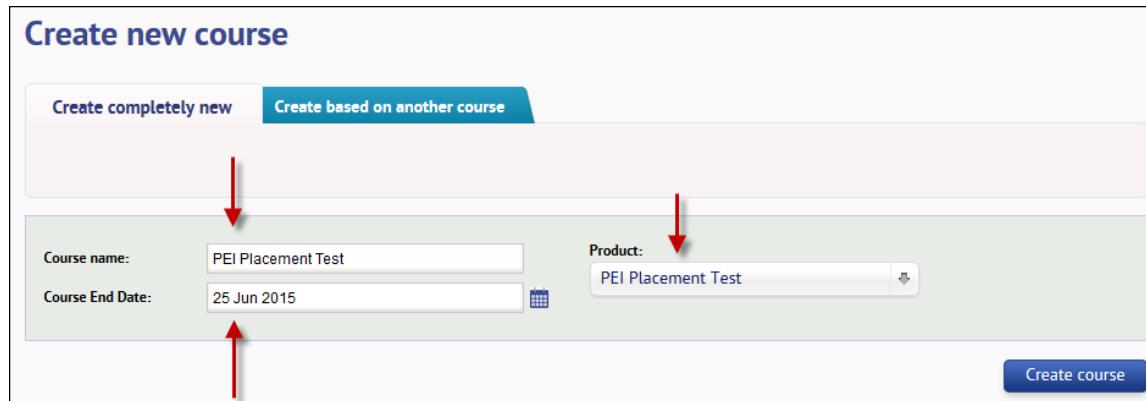
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Step 2: After you log in, you will see the following message: "You have not yet created a course. Click here to create a course." Click on "here" to create a course.



The screenshot shows the Pearson English Interactive homepage. At the top, there is a navigation bar with links for HOME, COURSE, GRADEBOOK (which is selected, indicated by a checked checkbox icon), MESSAGES, and SETTINGS. The user is signed in as 'Test Teacher'. A message in the center of the page reads: 'You have not yet created a course. Click [here](#) to create a course. Please do not remind me again.' A red arrow points to the word 'here'. Below this, there are two main sections: 'Courses' and 'Assignments & Events'. The 'Assignments & Events' section is currently active, showing tabs for 'To Do List' (selected), 'Calendar', and 'Recent Activity'. Below these tabs are filters for 'Showing: Everything' and 'Change course: All'.

Step 3: You will be taken to a "Create new course" screen. Enter a name for your course on the left in the "Course name" box (for example, you can call it PEI Placement Test or the date of the semester—whatever makes sense to you). Choose your course end date. Then, select PEI Placement Test from the pull-down menu on the right, and click "Create course."



The screenshot shows the 'Create new course' form. At the top, there are two buttons: 'Create completely new' (disabled) and 'Create based on another course' (selected). Below these are three input fields: 'Course name' (containing 'PEI Placement Test'), 'Course End Date' (containing '25 Jun 2015'), and 'Product' (a dropdown menu containing 'PEI Placement Test'). A red arrow points down to the 'Course name' field. Another red arrow points down to the 'Product' dropdown. A third red arrow points up to the 'Create course' button at the bottom right.

Step 4: At this point, the Course ID will be displayed. Note: Students will need the Course ID in order to join the group you've created. You can print a copy of this page for your students.

You have successfully created a course!

Please note, course sizes exceeding 50 students may impact on the performance of the course gradebook.
To ensure optimum performance it is advised that courses of more than 50 students are split into smaller courses.

Summary

Created courses:

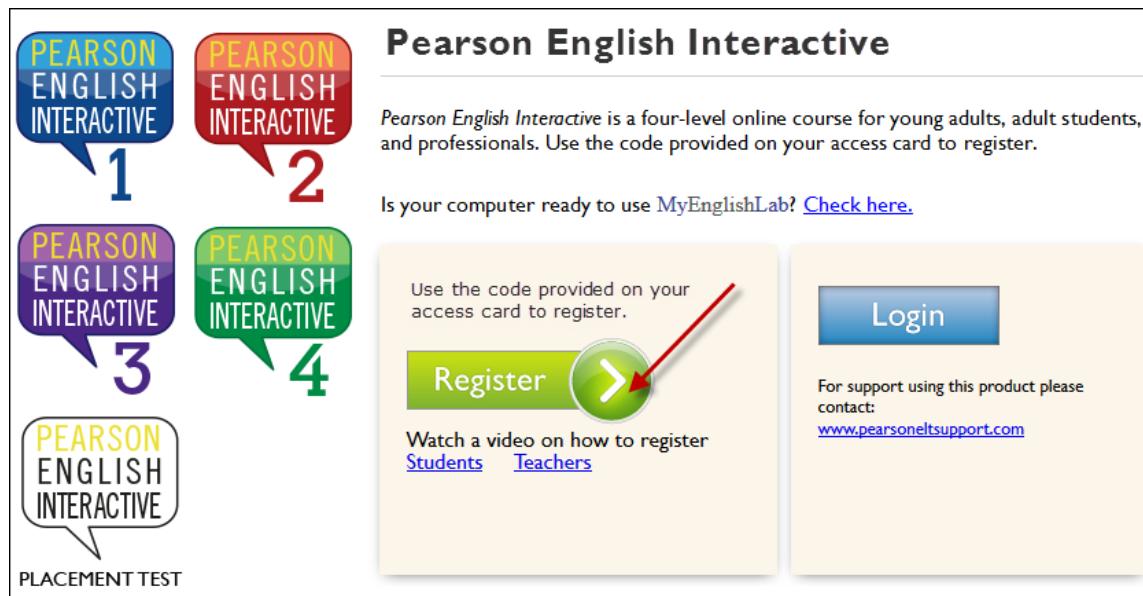
Course name:	Course ID:	Product:	Course end date:
PEI Placement Test	1515-vffj-3ci7-ygt2	PEI Placement Test	25 Jun 2015

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Student Registration Process

Step 1: Give students the Course ID (see Step 4 above on page 3) and the following free student access code: **ESSLPE-DROLL-DARIC-WITAN-LOBBY-GLEES**. Instruct students to register and create a Pearson account (if needed) as follows:

Step 2: Instruct students to go to www.MyEnglishLab.com and click on Register, where they will see a menu of courses. They should select the Pearson English Interactive course and click on Register.



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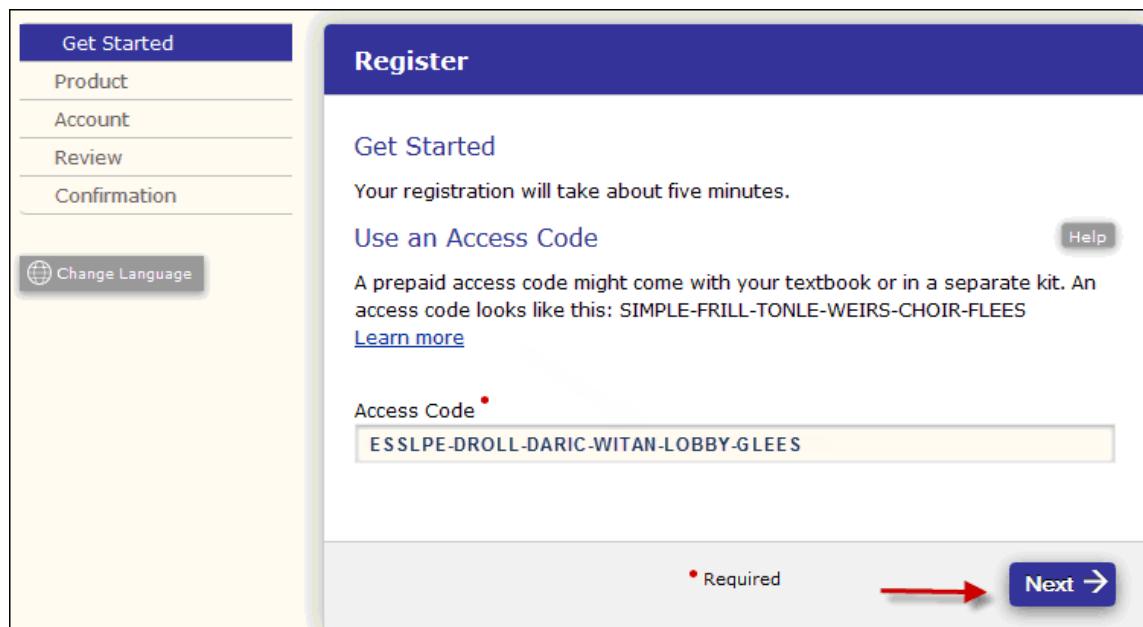
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Step 3: Instruct students to type in the free student access code (see Step 1 above) and click on “Next.” On the next screen, students should verify that the Pearson English Interactive Placement Test is listed and then click on “Next” again.



Get Started

Product

Account

Review

Confirmation

Change Language

Register

Get Started

Your registration will take about five minutes.

Use an Access Code

A prepaid access code might come with your textbook or in a separate kit. An access code looks like this: SIMPLE-FRILL-TONLE-WEIRS-CHOIR-FLEES

[Learn more](#)

Access Code •

ESSLPE-DROLL-DARIC-WITAN-LOBBY-GLEES

• Required

Next →

The screenshot shows the 'Register' page for a 'Product'. The left sidebar has a 'Get Started' section with 'Product' highlighted in blue. Below it are 'Account', 'Review', and 'Confirmation' buttons. A 'Change Language' button is at the bottom. The main content area has a 'Help' button in the top right. The title 'Register' is at the top. Below it is a 'Product' section with a 'Help' button. A message says: 'Check that the correct product appears below. If the product is wrong, go back and [enter a different access code](#), contact [Support](#), or [cancel](#) your registration.' A box shows 'Pearson English Interactive Placement Test, Student Access' and 'Student Access'. Navigation buttons at the bottom include 'Back', 'Required' (with a red asterisk), a red 'Next' button, and a blue 'Next' button.

Step 4: If students do not already have a Pearson account, they will need to create one and should click on "Create." If students do already have a Pearson account, they should click on "Sign In." (Note: Students who already have a Pearson account can skip down to Step 8 after they sign in.)

The screenshot shows the 'Register' page for a 'Pearson Account'. The left sidebar has a 'Get Started' section with 'Pearson Account' highlighted in blue. Below it are 'Review' and 'Confirmation' buttons. A 'Change Language' button is at the bottom. The main content area has a 'Help' button in the top right. The title 'Register' is at the top. Below it is a 'Create an Account or Sign In' section with a 'Help' button. A message says: 'Your account gives you access to Pearson products.' The 'Create an Account' section on the left has a 'Create →' button with a red arrow pointing to it. The 'Sign In' section on the right has a 'Sign In →' button with a red arrow pointing to it. Below the 'Sign In' button is a link 'Forgot your username or password?'. Navigation buttons at the bottom include 'Back', 'Required' (with a red asterisk), and a blue 'Next' button.

Step 5: Students will then create an account. They will enter the information requested in the required fields and click on “Next.” On the next screen, students will verify this information and click “Finish”.

✓ Get Started
✓ Product
Pearson Account
Review
Confirmation

Change Language

Register

Create a Pearson Account
Your account will give you access to Pearson products.

Personal Information

Email Address
yourname@youremail.com

First or Given Name Middle Name Last Name or Surname
your first name your last name

Institution
your school

Account Information

Username
pei_student

Password
•••••••

Confirm Password
•••••••

I want to receive special offers and product information from Pearson

← Back Required **Next →**

✓ Get Started
✓ Product
✓ Account
Review
Confirmation

[Change Language](#)

Register

Review [Help](#)

Check your information and click **Finish**. If you need to make changes, click [Back](#).

Product

Pearson English Interactive Placement Test, Student Access

Student Access

Account

Username: **pei_student**
Password: *********

your first name your last name
your school
yourname@youremail.com

Payment

ESSLPE-DROLL-DARIC-WITAN-LOBBY-GLEES

[Back](#)  **Finish** 

Step 6: Students then get confirmation of their registrations. Next, students will click on "Go to your product" to access MyEnglishLab.

Step 7: At this point, students should create a profile. (Students should specify their country, native language, and time zone.) Then students should click on "Save."

Step 8: Students will then be taken to their home page. They will see the following message at the top of the screen: "You have not yet joined a course. Click here to enroll using information supplied by your teacher." Instruct students to click on "here" to join your course.

PEARSON ENGLISH INTERACTIVE

English Help | Sign out

Signed in as Test Teacher

HOME COURSE GRADEBOOK MESSAGES SETTINGS

Home → To Do List

You have not yet joined a course. Click [here](#) to enrol using information supplied by your teacher.
I am a self-study student. Please do not remind me again.

Courses

PEARSON ENGLISH INTERACTIVE

PLACEMENT TEST

Assignments & Events

To Do List Calendar Recent Activity

Showing: Everything Change course: All

You don't have anything in your to do list at the moment.

View more

Step 9: Students will then be taken to the Settings page. Instruct students to click on "Join a Course." Then students should enter the Course ID and click on OK. The student will see a confirmation: *You have successfully joined this course.*

Join a Course

Enter the course ID

CourseID :

Transfer previous practice scores

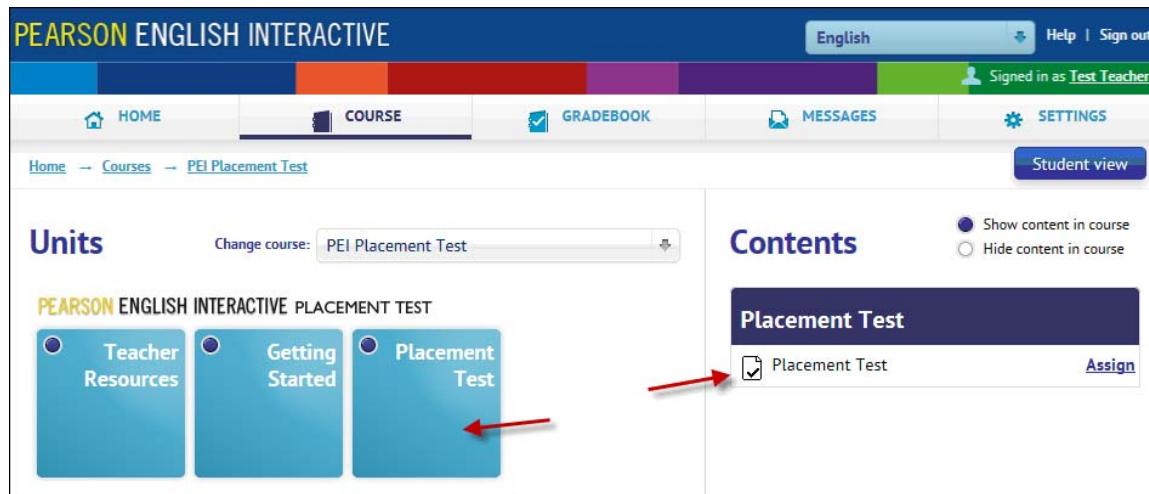
OK Cancel

NOTE: You can verify if a student is enrolled by going to "Settings" and then "Course Management."

Assigning the Test

Note: For security reasons, you must assign the Pearson English Interactive Placement Test. It will not be available to the student until you do.

Step 1: Select the "PEI Placement Test" course from your homepage. Then, click on "Placement Test" and then "Assign" next to Placement Test.



The screenshot shows the Pearson English Interactive course interface. The top navigation bar includes 'English', 'Help | Sign out', and a user sign-in message. The main menu has 'HOME', 'COURSE' (selected), 'GRADEBOOK', 'MESSAGES', and 'SETTINGS'. A 'Student view' button is also present. The 'COURSE' section shows 'Home → Courses → PEI Placement Test'. The 'Units' section contains three items: 'Teacher Resources', 'Getting Started', and 'Placement Test' (which is highlighted with a red arrow). The 'Contents' section shows a 'Placement Test' box with a checked checkbox labeled 'Placement Test' and an 'Assign' button. A second red arrow points to the 'Assign' button. There are also 'Show content in course' and 'Hide content in course' options.

Step 2: Complete the entire page as follows. Then click on "Assign."

- **Select students:** You have the option of assigning tests to individual students or to a group of students.
- **Set due date:** You can customize the date and time of the test. You can also disable the timer.
- **Assignment settings:** Leave this section as is. These selections do not apply to this placement test.

1 Select Students

Select all students

Select all students Hide all students

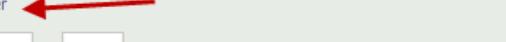
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2 Set the due date

One week from now (12 Mar 2014, 6:42 PM) Next Monday (10 Mar 2014, 12:00 AM)
 Two weeks from now (19 Mar 2014, 6:42 PM) Custom Due date

Date: 2014-03-05 

Hour: 07 : 00 PM 

Disable timer 

Hour: : (hh : mm)

3 Assignment settings

Number of attempts before answer button is shown

Number of attempts for activity

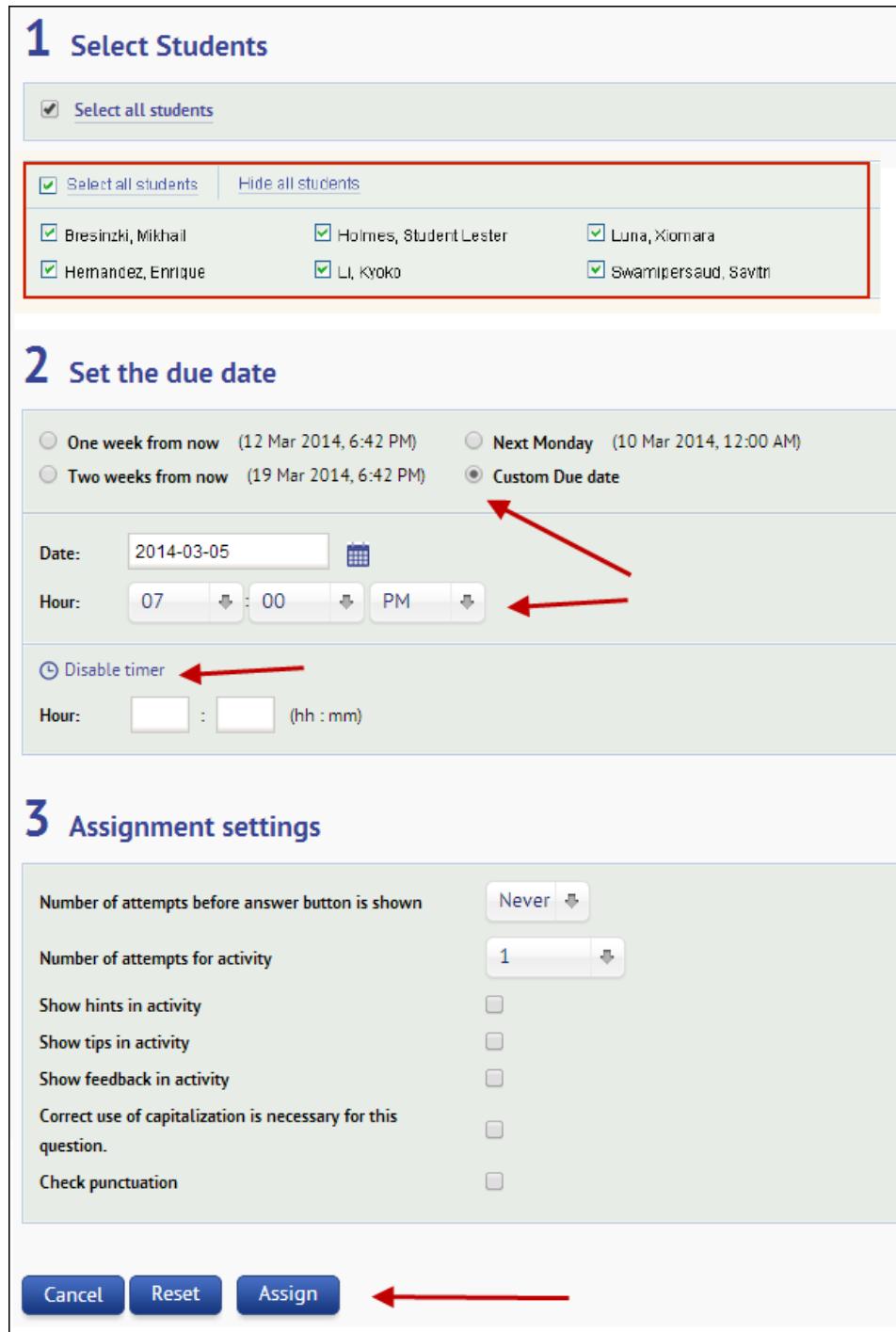
Show hints in activity

Show tips in activity

Show feedback in activity

Correct use of capitalization is necessary for this question.

Check punctuation



When students are ready to take the test, they can open the test from their Home page under the "To Do List" tab.

The screenshot shows the Pearson English Interactive Placement Test Home page. On the left, there's a 'Courses' section with a 'PEARSON ENGLISH INTERACTIVE' logo and a 'PLACEMENT TEST' button. On the right, there's an 'Assignments & Events' section. At the top of this section is a 'To Do List' tab, which is highlighted with a red arrow. Below it, a task for 'Placement Test' is listed, showing a file icon with a checkmark. The 'Open' button for this task is also highlighted with a red arrow. At the bottom of the page, there's a 'View more' button and a footer with copyright information and a 'PEARSON' logo.

As soon as students open the test, the timer will begin. When students are finished answering all of the questions, they will click "Submit" for the test to be auto-graded. If time runs out before students click "Submit," their answers will be submitted automatically.

Scoring and reporting

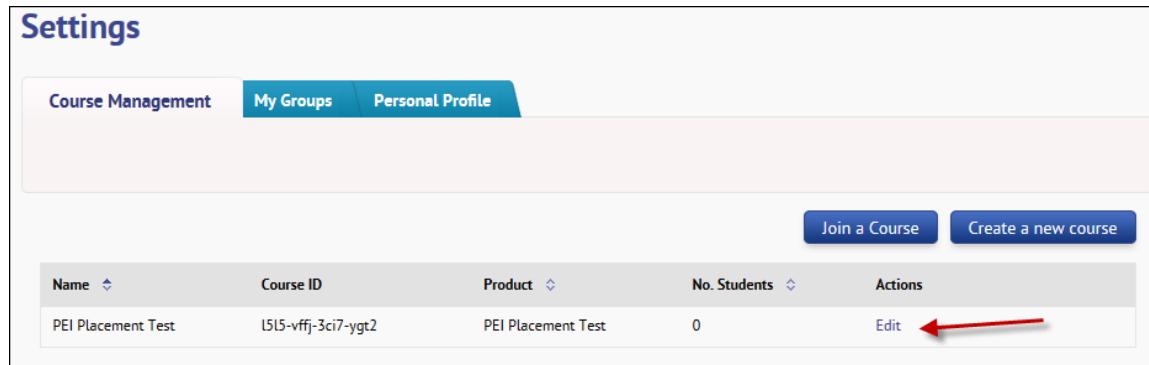
Once the test has been submitted, the results will be immediately available to both students and you.

The screenshot shows a report for a PEI Teacher. At the top, it says 'PEARSON ENGLISH INTERACTIVE PLACEMENT TEST' and 'Report for PEI Teacher'. The date submitted is '06 Jun 2014'. Below this, it shows activity assigned by Teacher, PEI. A table lists three placement tests with their scores: Placement Test 1 (75%), Placement Test 2 (100%), and Placement Test 3 (67%). The total score is 81% (Grade A). The next section is 'Placement Test 1', which includes a recording player, a question 'Listen to the announcement. Choose the correct answer.', and a list of four flight options. The correct answer, 'Flight 1250', is marked with a green checkmark. The student's answer is also marked with a green checkmark. The score for this test is 3/4 and 75%.

HOW TO TURN OFF THE GRADES IN THE GRADEBOOK

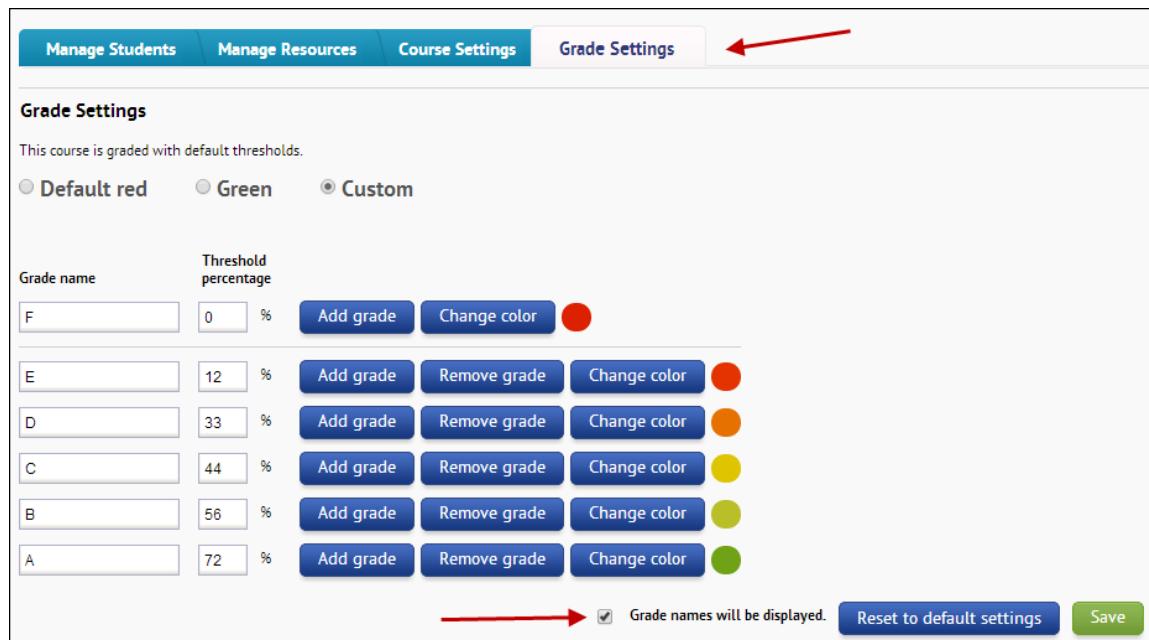
By default, the grade names (A, B, C, D, F) will appear automatically in the Gradebook, along with the percentage correct. If you do not wish the students to see their scores reported as grade names, you can opt to have only the percentage correct display. To turn off the grades names, follow these steps:

Step 1: Login as teacher and click on "Settings." Click on "Edit" next to your course name.



The screenshot shows the 'Settings' page with a navigation bar at the top: 'Course Management', 'My Groups', and 'Personal Profile'. Below the navigation bar is a table with columns: 'Name', 'Course ID', 'Product', 'No. Students', and 'Actions'. A single row is visible for 'PEI Placement Test'. The 'Actions' column contains a blue 'Edit' button, which is highlighted with a red arrow.

Step 2: Click on the "Grade Settings" tab. Uncheck the "Grade names will be displayed" box. Click "Save" to save changes.



The screenshot shows the 'Grade Settings' page. At the top, there are tabs: 'Manage Students', 'Manage Resources', 'Course Settings', and 'Grade Settings', with 'Grade Settings' being the active tab. A red arrow points to the 'Grade Settings' tab. Below the tabs, it says 'This course is graded with default thresholds.' There are three radio buttons: 'Default red' (selected), 'Green', and 'Custom'. A table lists grade names (F, E, D, C, B, A) with their corresponding percentage thresholds (0%, 12%, 33%, 44%, 56%, 72%) and color-coded circles (red for F, E, D; orange for C; yellow for B; green for A). Each row has 'Add grade', 'Remove grade', and 'Change color' buttons. A red arrow points to the 'Change color' button for grade A. At the bottom, there is a checkbox labeled 'Grade names will be displayed.' (unchecked), a 'Reset to default settings' button, and a 'Save' button.

SCORING CHART

Use the following chart to place the student in the appropriate *Pearson English Interactive* level.

0%-56%	<i>Pearson English Interactive 1</i>
57%-66%	<i>Pearson English Interactive 2</i>
67%-86%	<i>Pearson English Interactive 3</i>
87%-100%	<i>Pearson English Interactive 4</i>