Creating Alt-Text for Images

Alt-text (also known as “mouse-over” text) allows screen-readers to describe the image to a student with visual impairments. This is important for accessibility purposes.

In this tutorial, you will learn how to:

• Create mouse-over text for images in your Blackboard course.

1. Edit the section that includes the image by clicking the Action Link to the right of the item name (✓) and select “Edit.”
2. Highlight the image, right-click, and select “Image.”
3. In “Title” and “Image Description,” type the same description (for example, “Image of books and laptop” or “image of map of Europe”).

4. Click “Submit,” then “Save.”

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