
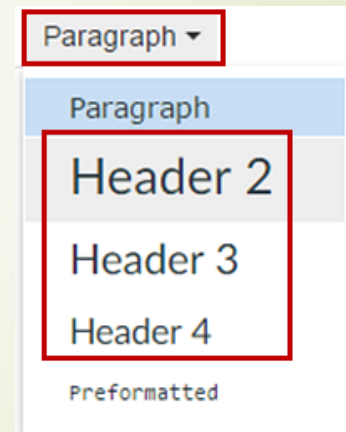




Accessibility in Canvas

Accessible Course Design

- Use the same format/style on your pages (border, banner image, color scheme etc.)
- Colors - 
- Emphasize text – **bold**, *italic*
- Style text (header 1, header 2 etc.)
 - Include sub-headers
- Avoid moving and/or hard to read text
- Avoid moving images (Gif)



Alternative Text for Images

ing > Pages

Edit View Insert Format Tools Table

12pt Paragraph

Select the image and click 'Image Options'

Enter Alt Text for images with text content or for images important to the content. Mark the image as decorative if it is only adding color to the content.

Image Options

Alt Text ?

Accessibility, Usability - Venn Diagram

Decorative Image

Display Options

Embed Image

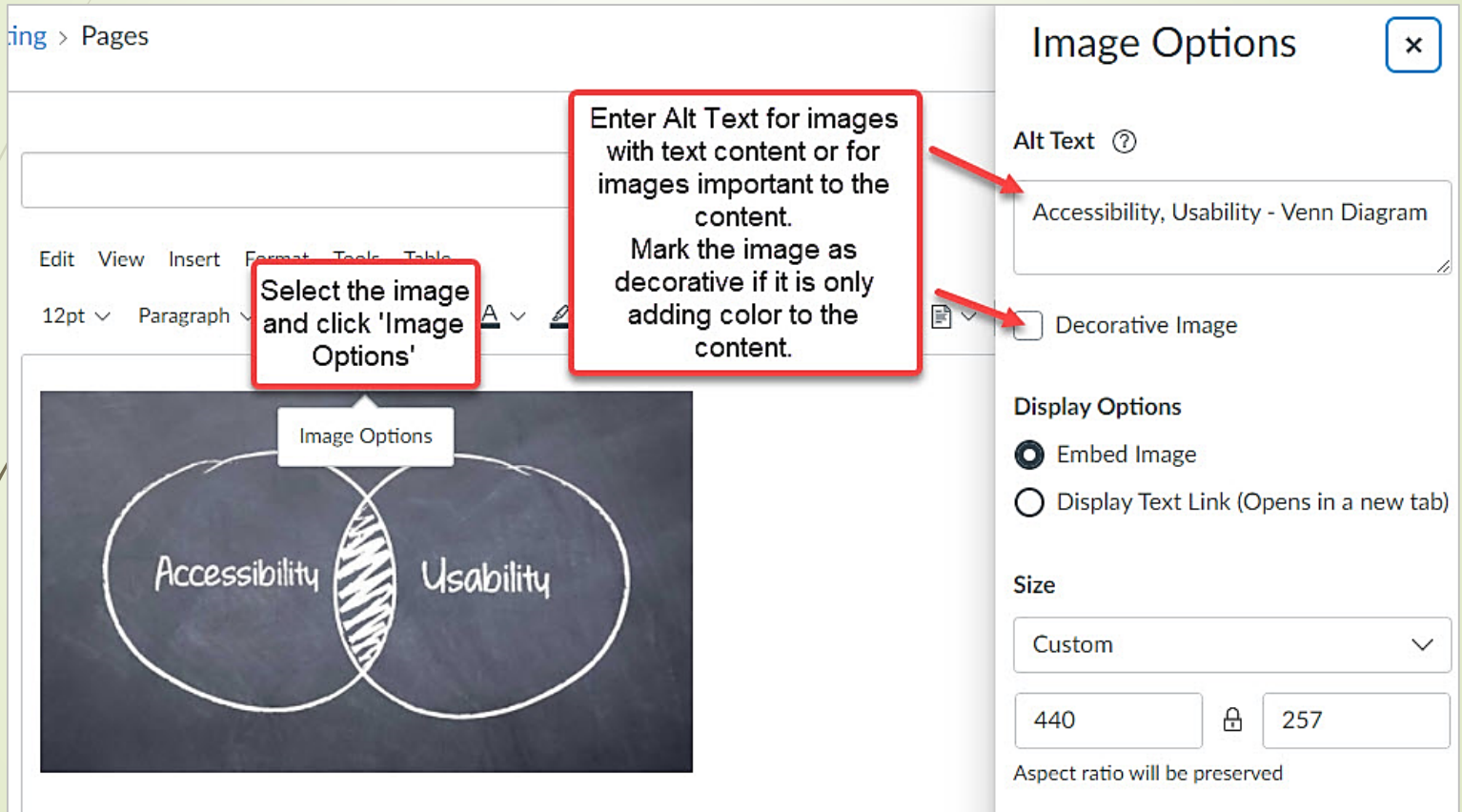
Display Text Link (Opens in a new tab)

Size

Custom

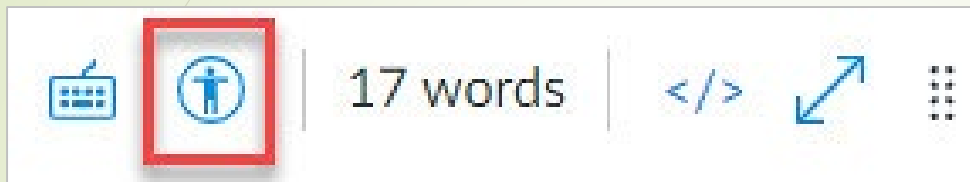
440 257

Aspect ratio will be preserved



The image shows a screenshot of a web editor interface. At the top, there's a breadcrumb 'ing > Pages'. Below it is a menu bar with 'Edit', 'View', 'Insert', 'Format', 'Tools', and 'Table'. A toolbar shows '12pt' and 'Paragraph'. A red box highlights the text 'Select the image and click 'Image Options''. Below this is a Venn diagram on a chalkboard background with two overlapping circles labeled 'Accessibility' and 'Usability'. A white box labeled 'Image Options' points to the diagram. To the right, the 'Image Options' panel is open. It has a title bar with a close button. The 'Alt Text' field contains 'Accessibility, Usability - Venn Diagram'. Below it is a 'Decorative Image' checkbox. Under 'Display Options', 'Embed Image' is selected with a radio button. The 'Size' section shows 'Custom' as the selected option, with input fields for '440' and '257' and a lock icon. A note at the bottom says 'Aspect ratio will be preserved'. Red arrows point from the central text box to the 'Alt Text' field and the 'Decorative Image' checkbox.

Canvas Accessibility Checker



- Tables
- Heading levels
- Image alt text
- Text contrast
- And more

Accessibility Checker

Issue 1 of 4

Prev Next Apply Fix

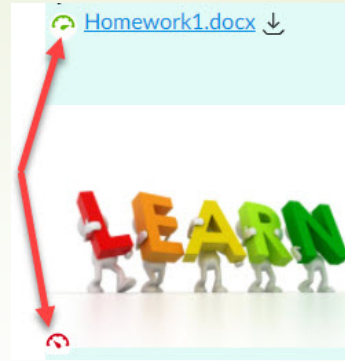
! Tables should include a caption describing the contents of the table.

Add a caption

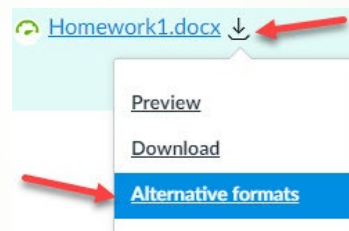
? Why
Screen readers cannot interpret tables without the proper structure. Table captions describe the context and general understanding of the table. [Learn more](#)

Ally in Canvas

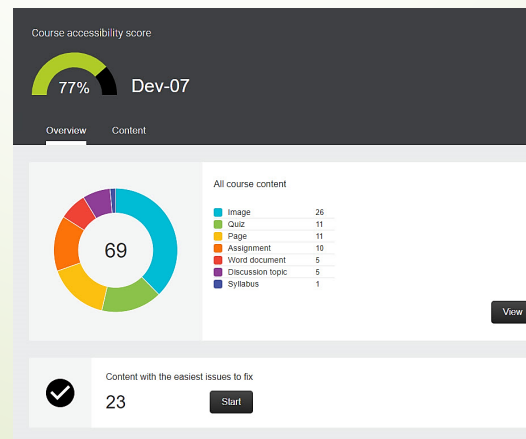
- Checks file accessibility



- Provides downloadable alternate formats for files and Canvas content



- Provides accessibility report



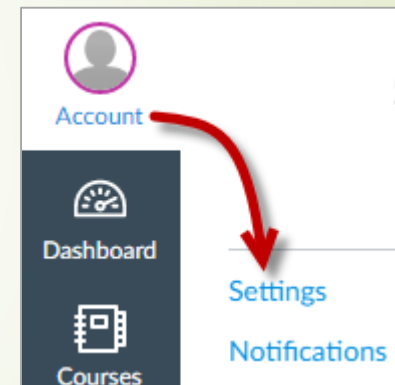
UDOIT in Canvas



- Integrated into each course
- Scan course content (*not files*)
- Use report to fix most accessibility issues
- Check past scans

Students in Canvas

- ▶ Keyboard shortcuts available to navigate (press comma key to see list of shortcuts)
- ▶ User Settings
 - ▶ High contrast setting
 - ▶ Underline links



Feature Options

▼ High Contrast UI



High Contrast enhances the color contrast of the UI (text, buttons, etc.), making those items more distinct and easier to identify. Note: Institution branding will be disabled.

▶ Underline Links beta





Videos & Accessibility

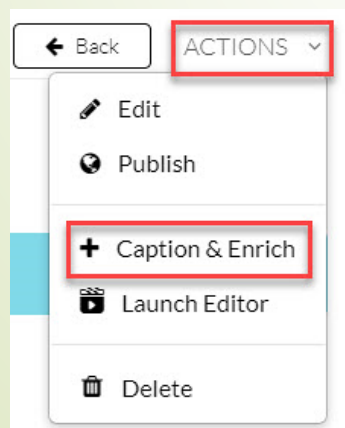
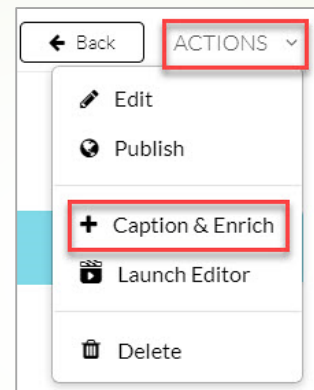


Kaltura MediaSpace

➔ Integrated into Canvas.

➔ Add captions.

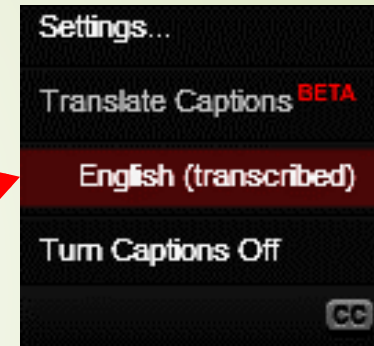
➔ Edit captions.



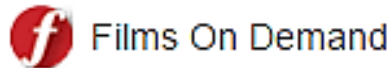
REQUEST DATE	SERVICE	FEATURE	LANGUAGE	STATUS
31/03/20	Machine	Captions	English	Completed

An arrow points from the 'Caption & Enrich' option in the previous screenshot to the 'Edit' icon in the table row below.

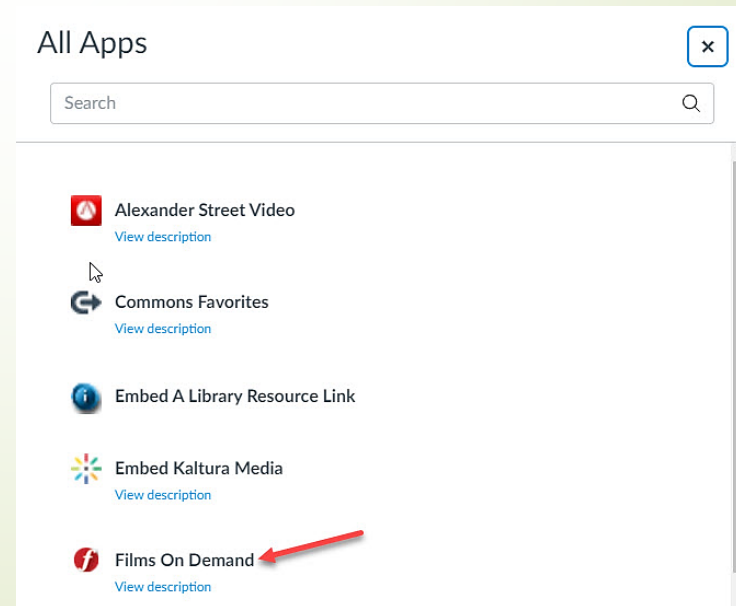
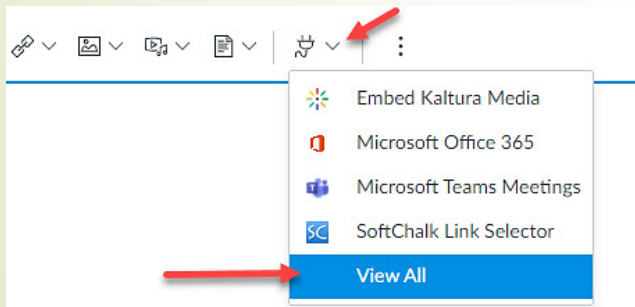
Closed Captions on YouTube Videos



EFSC Library - Films Database



- Most videos available in the Films on Demand (FMG) database are transcribed.
- Integrated into Canvas.





Other Tools...

- [Accessibility Color Wheel](#)
- [Universal design examples and resources](#)
- [Accessibility group](#) in Canvas Community
- [Canvas General Accessibility Design Guidelines](#)