Fail-to-Succeed Exams - Instructor Implementation Notes

To configure a Fail-to-Succeed exam in Canvas:

1. Open the quiz settings.

2. Select **Allow Multiple Attempts**.

3. Set **Allowed Attempts** to **2**.

4. Select **Let Students See Their Quiz Responses**.

5. Ensure **Incorrect Questions Will Be Marked in Student Feedback** is enabled.

6. Set the **Available From** and **Available To** dates to define the exam window.

Do not use individual time limits per attempt unless intentionally required. Control access using the availability window instead.

Troubleshooting

If students cannot see which questions were marked incorrect after their first attempt:

1. Open **Gradebook**.

2. Locate the assignment.

3. Select the three dots next to the assignment.

4. Confirm **Grade Posting Policy** is set to **Automatic**.

If it is set to **Manual**, change it to **Automatic**.

You can detect this in advance by checking for the small **Manual** label next to the assignment name in Gradebook.

Assignment Group: Numeric Systems ▾

Options

☐ Shuffle Answers

☐ Time Limit [ ] Minutes

☑ Allow Multiple Attempts

Quiz Score to Keep Highest ▾

☑ Allowed Attempts 2

☑ Let Students See Their Quiz Responses (Incorrect Questions Will Be Marked in Student Feedback)

☐ Only After Their Last Attempt

☐ Only Once After Each Attempt

☐ Let Students See The Correct Answers

☐ Show one question at a time

Quiz Restrictions

☐ Require an access code

☐ Filter IP Addresses

Assign

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Assign to

Due

Oct 1, 2021, 11:00 AM 🗓

Available from   **Until**

Oct 1, 2021, 9:28 🗓   Oct 1, 2021, 11:0 🗓

Figure 1. Canvas Quiz configuration for Fail-to-Succeed exam