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As spring break comes to a close, we have been working with SOLAs on a new tool to create comprehensive transition materials for Fall 2020. Our goal is to ensure that incoming SOLAs and SOLAs from the previous year are available in the transition to students in the following term. This transition manual provides detailed information about preparing for the next term and SOLA roles, tips for success, and other resources to help SOLAs be successful in the next term. This manual will be updated regularly and will be available for download on the SOLA Manual.

ENGL 192 - Communication in the Sciences

This week, we continue our series on writing within the sciences. "OLA WEEKLY NEWSLETTER" will provide feedback on students' work during the week, and instructions for how to respond to feedback will be provided. Students will receive their assignment rubrics by email, and SOLAs should check the SOLA Manual for more information on using Turnitin to grade assignments.

Providing Feedback for Students

Turnitin

Students should receive an email notification from their instructor when their assignments have been evaluated. To access Turnitin, students should log in to their LEARN account and select the "Assignments" tab. From there, they can click on the assignment they want to view and select the "Grade" tab. Students can also track their progress by checking their gradebook.

Providing in-depth Feedback

Providing students with detailed feedback is crucial to their success. SOLAs can provide comments on assignments using the "Feedback" tab in Turnitin. Students can easily submit assignments and receive feedback, which is automatically graded and returned to SOLAs.

Grading on-line is under way: DARE course shell provides instructors with feedback and automatic grading of assignments. Instructors can receive comments on their assignments from students, and SOLAs will receive updates on their progress.

OLA TIDBIT

OLA Tidbits: Tips for Working from Home

Working from home can be challenging, especially when it is important to maintain a routine to optimize productivity. It's important to work in a space that is comfortable and that works for you, but that is also conducive to productive work. A good practice is to maintain a designated workspace that is separate from your main living area. This will help you to stay focused during work hours and allow you to disconnect when you are not working.