

**Plato**  
Tips on using the online academic program!

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## Plato! A Brief Introduction

- Edmentum Assessments (Accuaccess)
  - Language Arts, Math, Reading Assessments with prescribed modules that include: Tutorials, Activities, and Mastery Tests.
  - High School Equivalency Exam Preparations aligned to the GED®, HiSET®, and TASC™ tests
  - College Entrance Exams (ACT® and SAT®) preparation
- Edmentum Courseware (Flex Assignments)

## How we use it at Gavilan!

**Accessible Education Center** (formerly DRC)

- CSIS 571A/B/C - Assistive Computer Technology Lab
- Guidance 558 - Learning Skills Lab
- Workability 3 – Job Readiness Course (Career Modules)
- Gavilan/HOPE – Career Readiness & Exploration, Essential Career Skills, Consumer Math, Basic Reading
- Guidance 562/563/565 – Math Support Classes
- Guidance 560 – Academic Success & College Readiness modules

## How we use it at Gavilan! (cont.)

**Accessible Education Center**

- CSIS 571A/B/C – (Open Lab in the High Tech Center)
  - Basic Skills Improvement
    - (Reading Comprehension, Language Arts, Math)
  - Computer Basics, Statistics, Algebra, Pre-calculus, etc.
  - Accuplacer Prep
    - (Mathematics, Reading, Sentence Skills)

## How we use it at Gavilan! (cont.)

- **Non-Credit Program** (Guidance 700 – online)
  - Basic Academic Skills
  - Supports our High School Equivalency (GED) classes
  - Supports some of our ESL Life Skills courses
  - New Courses in the Jail (Basic Academic Skills Improvement; Career Essentials)

## Plato: Accuaccess Assessments

- Types of Accuaccess Assessments
  - Language Arts
  - Reading Comprehension
  - Mathematics
- When you **Create an Assignment**, you choose the Learners first, select the Assessment second, and then set your Target Grade Level (K-Adult).

## Plato: Accucess Test Packs

- HiSET® Test Packs
- GED® TEST (English & Spanish)
- TASC™ Exam
- ACT® & SAT® Test Pack
- Praxis® Core Pack for Exam Readiness

## Plato: Accucess HiSET Test Packs

- HiSET Exams (4 Different Tests)
  - Language Arts – Reading
  - Language Arts – Writing
  - Math
  - Science
  - Social Studies
- Steps or Actions – Assign to Learners, View Tests, or Create Custom Versions

## Plato: Accucess PRE – HiSET Tests (created our own)

Assessments by Grade Equivalent Level

- Math
  - Math Level A (3-6)
  - Math Level B Assessment (6-9)
  - Math Level C Assessment (9-10)
- Language Arts & Reading Comprehension
  - Level A (3-6)
  - Level B (6-9)
  - Level C (9-10)

## Plato: Courseware

- PSAL Courses (Post-Secondary Academic Library)
  - Over 100 full-semester course listings - can browse the curriculum through online course catalog
- Higher Education and Career Readiness Library
  - Over 16 Career and Technical Education (CTE) courses
- HiSET and GED Preparation courses

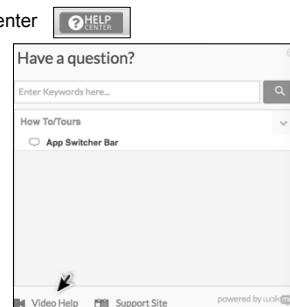
## HiSET Preparation Courseware

- Language Arts – Reading, Parts 1 & 2
- Language Arts – Writing, Parts 1 & 2
- Mathematics, Parts 1 & 2
- Science, Parts 1 & 2
- Social Studies, Parts 1 & 2

*\*Can use as individual courses or  
as Flex Assignments*

## Plato Courseware Help

- Help Center



## Plato Video Help

■ Video Site All Help Videos

## Flex Assignments

■ Before creating your Flex Assignments, you must first research your topic.

1. Under the **Plato Courseware**, click the **Courses** tab, and choose **Browse Curriculum** (*it is alphabetically listed and overwhelming*)
2. A better way is to use the Support Site link at the bottom of every page.

## Plato Support Site

■ Help Center HELP CENTER

## Plato Support

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■ Courseware Instructor Materials Courseware Instructor Materials

Instructor Materials - English	Instructor Materials - Math
Instructor Materials - Science	Instructor Materials - Social Studies
Instructor Materials - CTE	Instructor Materials - World Languages
Instructor Materials - Electives	Instructor Materials - Dev Ed
Beyond High School and Post Secondary	High School Equivalency: GED, HISET, and TASC
Correlation Coverage Reports (CCRs)	Instructor Materials - Carone Fitness

## Plato Support

■ HiSET Instructor Materials

HiSET Materials v2.0

Plato Course HiSET Preparation - Mathematics Part 1 & 2 v2.0

- Instructor Guide Part 1
- Instructor Guide Part 2

Plato Course HiSET Preparation - Language Arts-Reading Part 1 & 2 v2.0

- Instructor Guide Part 1
- Instructor Guide Part 2

*\*Materials also include Offline Homework Activities, Teacher Graded Lesson Activities, Answer Keys*

## Plato Support

- Check out the **Scope and Sequence Handouts** under the **Beyond High School and Post-Secondary Courses** link

Beyond High School and Post Secondary

To see a list of all mobile ready courses, refer to this page: [What PLATO Courses are Mobile ready](#)

### Accuplacer v2.0

- Instructor Guide
- Math Scope and Sequence
- Reading Scope and Sequence
- Sentence Skills Scope and Sequence

## Plato Support

- Edmentum Assessments**

Welcome to Edmentum Assessments. Browse the information below, look through the most popular topics, or search for a specific topic in the search bar above.

Most Popular How-To Topics	Most Popular Technical Topics
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Apply Post Credit to Plato Courseware</li> <li>Add an Instructor to a Class in Plato Courseware</li> <li>Edmentum Batch Import</li> <li>Creating Flex Assignments for Plato Courseware and Edmentum Assessments</li> <li>Create a User in Plato Courseware</li> <li>Managing Flex Assignments for Plato Courseware and Edmentum Assessments</li> <li>How to manage learners</li> <li>How to Create a Class in Plato Courseware</li> <li>How to Manage Classes in PLATO Courseware</li> <li>How to transfer a Class in PLATO Courseware</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>How to Log In to Edmentum Products</li> <li>How to clear browser cookies, history, temporary files and clear proxy cache</li> <li>Logging into the Edmentum Support Center</li> <li>Edmentum Accessibility Test</li> <li>Edmentum Knowledge Map</li> <li>Upgrade to Log into Edmentum Products</li> <li>System Requirements Checker</li> <li>Which Plug-Ins Are Required to Run Courseware Activities?</li> <li>Which web browser/OS should be added or trusted asset?</li> <li>How to turn off pop-up blockers</li> </ul>

## Creating Flex Class

- Set up a Flex Class
- Add a student (use a sample student)
- Next **Create** your **Assignment**

## Creating Flex Assignments

- When you create your assignment, you must first **Select a Student**.
- Next you need to **Select your Content**. You can search by Subject and Grade, or by Standard.

Select Content

by Subject & Grade    by Standards

SUBJECT: Any    GRADE: Any

Available content shown below

Available Content

PLATO Courses   
  PLATO Titles   
  Custom Course

## Creating Flex Assignments

- Once you find your content you want to add, drag it into the Flex Assignment folder. Delete any item that you do not want.
- Add a Pre-test and/or Post-Test, then click the blue **Create Assignment** button.

## Let's Get Started!

# edmentum™

Account Login

User Name (Plato Name)

Password

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