

# Course Elements and Course Editor

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You create the structure of your online course in the course editor. You can add and further set up various course elements for communication, task and test processing, the provision of teaching materials, and more.

In this chapter course authors will learn more about adding and configuring course elements in the course editor. After giving general information on all course elements, further details on necessary configurations and on the use of single elements will be provided. Additionally it is illustrated how the course tools available to authors work and what you can do with each course element.

First follow the instructions provided in the chapter "[Creating Courses](#)", if you have not created a course before.