

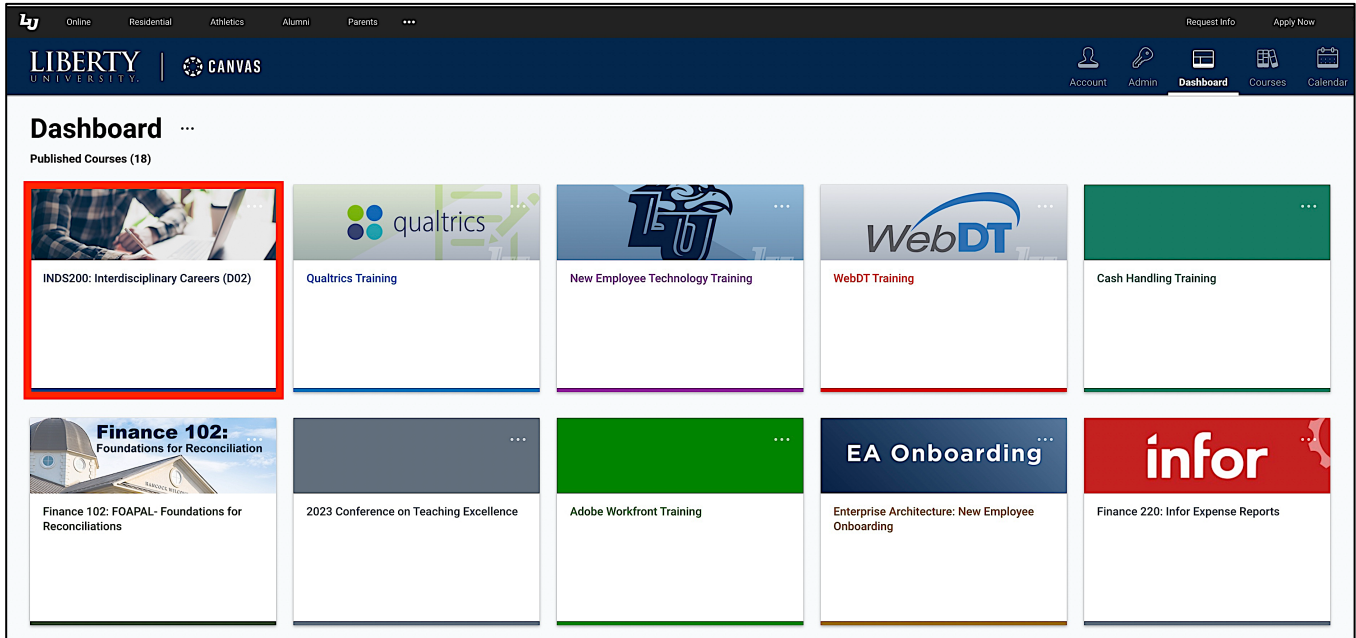
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Introduction

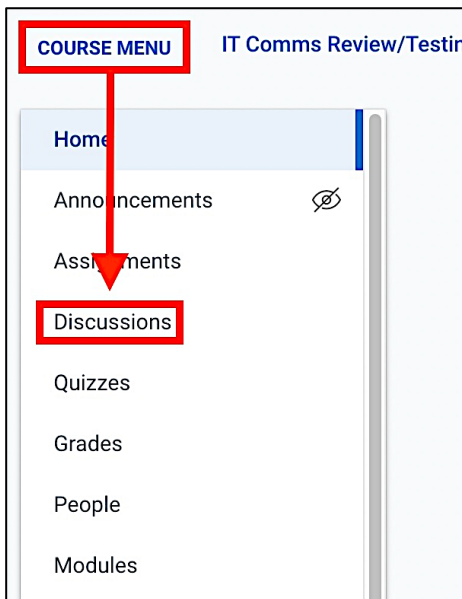
This training document will demonstrate How to Post to a Discussion within a Canvas course for faculty.

Instructions

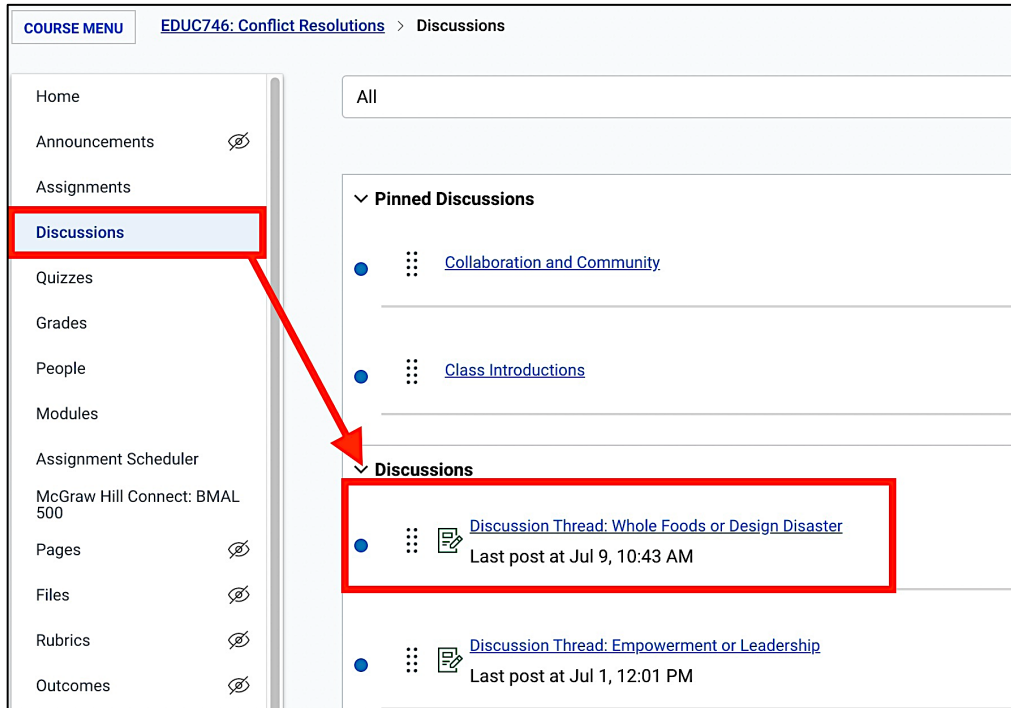
Step 1: To post a discussion in Canvas, navigate to your course.



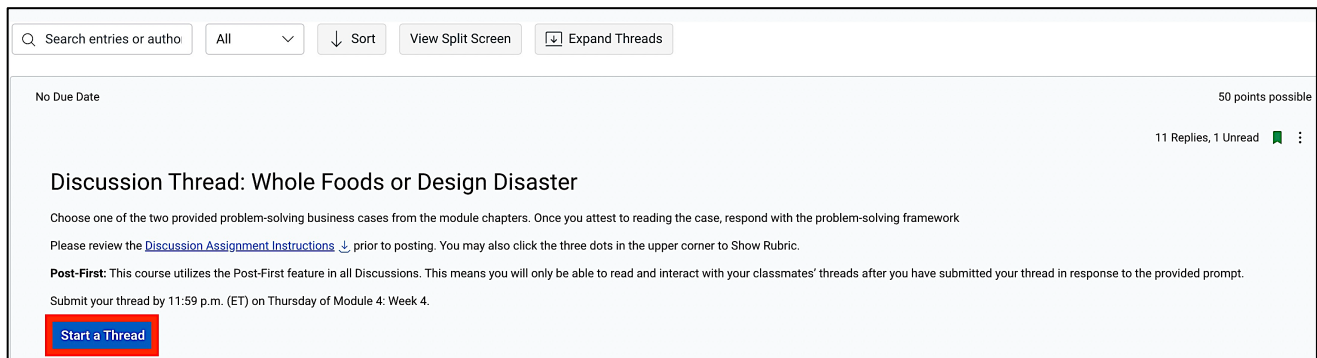
Step 2: Click **Course Menu** on the left side of the page and then click **Discussions**.



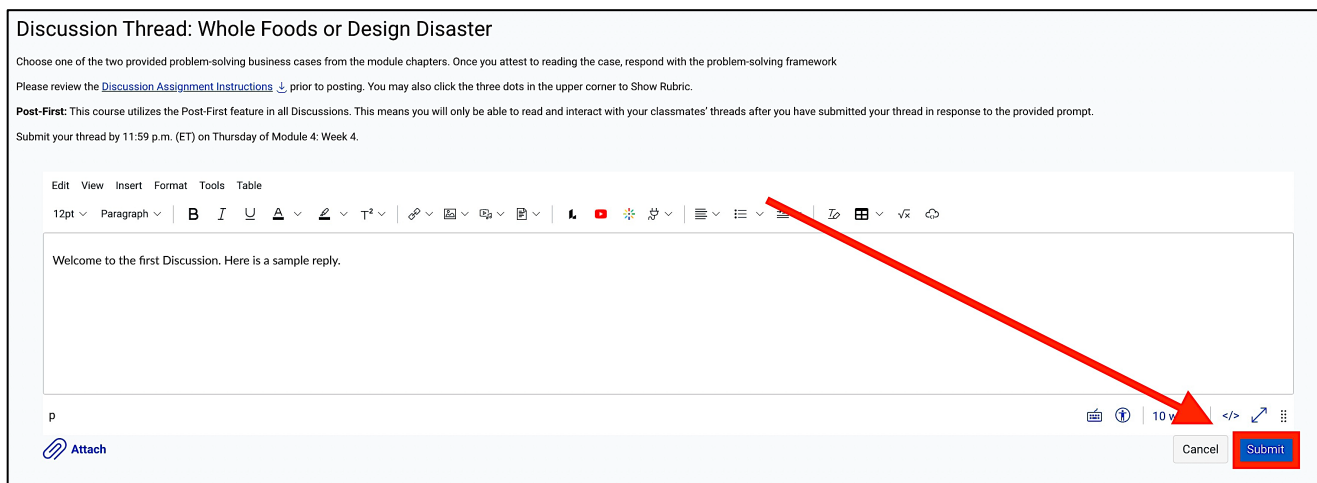
Step 3: Click on the desired discussion link from the **Discussions** page.



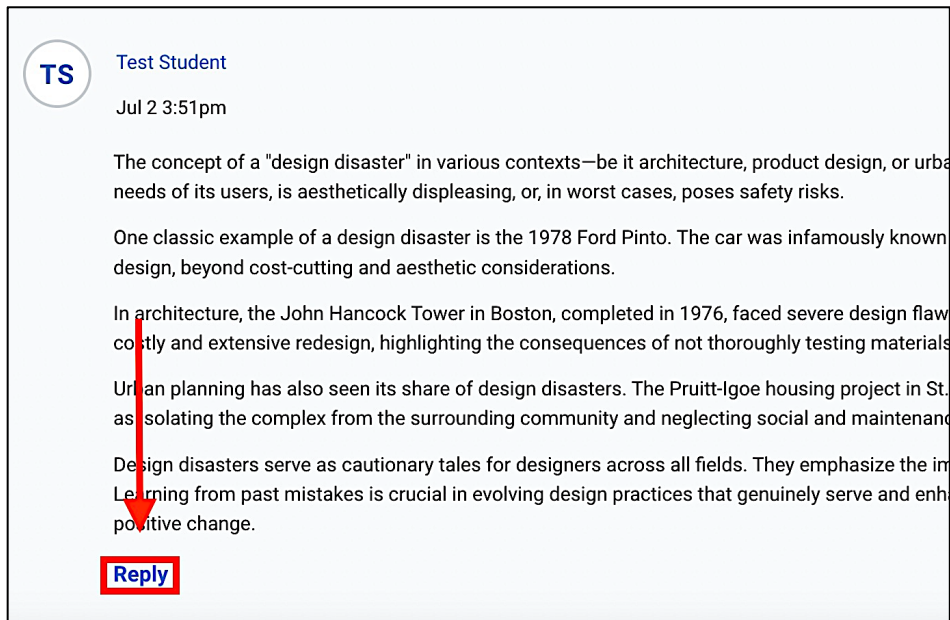
Step 4: To create an introduction thread, click the **Start Thread** button below the discussion instructions.



Step 5: Enter your desired text for the thread and click the **Submit** button.

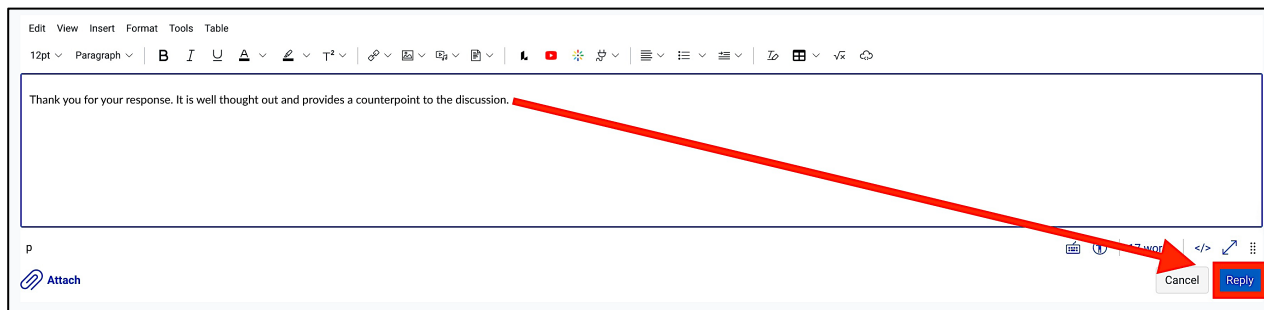


Step 6: If you want to comment on a student's thread, navigate to the thread you want to respond to and click the **Reply** button.



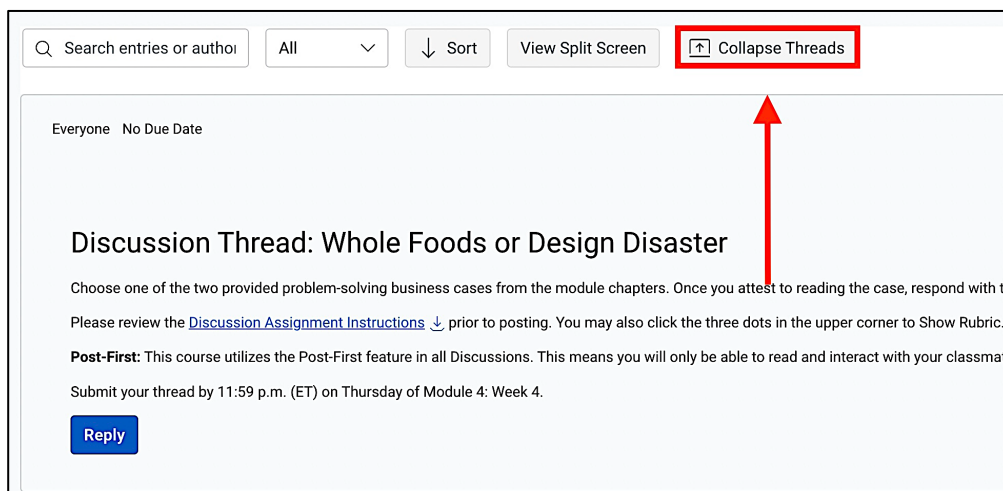
The screenshot shows a discussion thread by a user named "Test Student" (TS) dated "Jul 2 3:51pm". The thread contains several paragraphs of text discussing design disasters. A red arrow points from the bottom of the text to a blue "Reply" button located at the bottom left of the thread.

Step 7: Type in your response in the text editor. Then, click the **Reply** button.



The screenshot shows a text editor interface with a menu bar (Edit, View, Insert, Format, Tools, Table) and a toolbar. The text area contains the sentence "Thank you for your response. It is well thought out and provides a counterpoint to the discussion." A red arrow points from the text area to a blue "Reply" button located at the bottom right of the editor.

Step 8: To see a summary of each discussion thread without replies, use the **Collapse Threads** feature on the Discussions page.



The screenshot shows the Discussions page interface. At the top, there is a search bar, a dropdown menu set to "All", a "Sort" button, a "View Split Screen" button, and a "Collapse Threads" button. A red arrow points from the "Collapse Threads" button down to the discussion thread titled "Discussion Thread: Whole Foods or Design Disaster". The thread content includes instructions for the assignment and a "Reply" button at the bottom.

Step 9: In this view, you can see the discussion post author and content.

TS

Test Student

Jul 9 10:43am

"Designer Disaster" is a term that captures the often unforeseen negative consequences of well-intentioned design choices. In various fields, from architecture to product design, these designs sometimes lead to unexpected problems or even catastrophes.

In architecture, for instance, the Citicorp Center in New York, designed by William LeMessurier in the 1970s, initially seemed like a groundbreaking skyscraper. However, it was discovered that the design had a flaw that posed a risk of collapse. This oversight required urgent and costly retrofitting to ensure the structure's safety.

In technology, the Samsung Galaxy Note 7 is a notable example. The device was highly anticipated for its advanced features and sleek design, but soon after its release, it was found that the battery compartment had a design flaw that led to overheating and explosions. This issue led to a global recall, significant financial losses, and damage to the company's reputation.

Fashion also sees its share of designer disasters. Clothing items that prioritize aesthetics over functionality or comfort can lead to public backlash. For example, a dress that is too tight or has a design that causes discomfort or health issues for the wearer.

The concept of designer disaster underscores the importance of balancing creativity with practicality and safety. It serves as a reminder that thorough testing and attention to detail are essential, and it must be tempered with a realistic assessment of potential risks to avoid turning visionary ideas into costly mistakes.

Reply

AK

Ann Jebaibai Kiptiony

Jul 2 2:24pm Last reply Jul 2 3:53pm

Whole Foods is often loved for several reasons: Quality and Variety: Whole Foods is known for offering high-quality organic and natural products that appeal to health-conscious consumers. Ethical Sourcing: Many customers appreciate Whole Foods' commitment to sourcing products from local and sustainable sources, which resonates with consumers who prioritize ethical consumption. Health Consciousness: The emphasis on organic and natural foods appeals to those who are health-conscious. Community and Local Focus: Whole Foods often supports local farmers and businesses, which resonates with customers who value community. Innovation and Trends: Whole Foods is often at the forefront of food trends, introducing new and innovative products that people enjoy. Shopping Experience: Whole Foods stores are typically well-designed and offer a pleasant shopping experience, which is often described as pleasant and inviting. Customer Service: Whole Foods has a strong emphasis on customer service, with knowledgeable staff who can provide information about products and help shoppers make informed choices. Health and Wellness: Whole Foods focuses on products that promote health and wellness, which resonates strongly with many consumers.

Whether Whole Foods stores are considered a "design disaster" is subjective and largely depends on individual preferences and expectations. However, some people find the stores confusing or overwhelming due to their large size and diverse product offerings. The layout can vary widely between locations, and while some appreciate the focus on natural materials and a rustic aesthetic in their decor, which might not appeal to everyone's tastes. Some may find the decor overly rustic or cluttered.

Step 10: To review the replies for a thread, click the **number of replies** below the thread.

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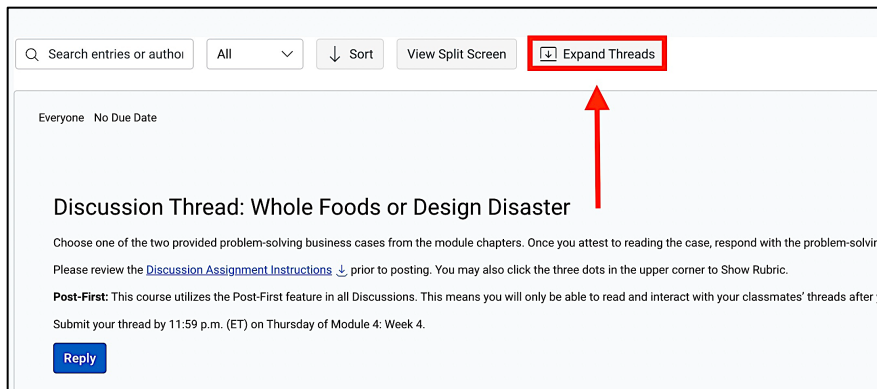
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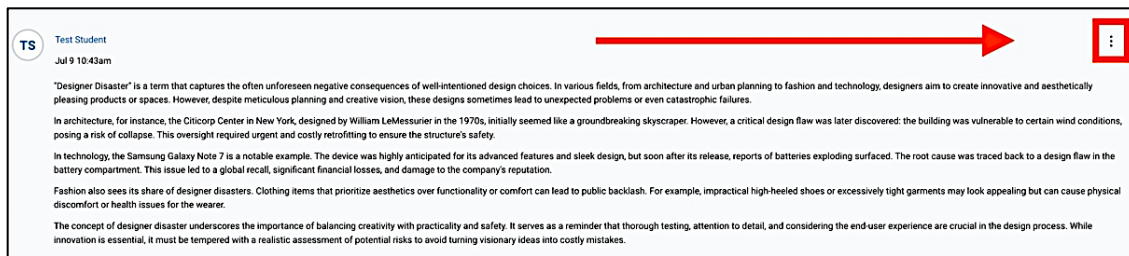
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Reply 2 Replies

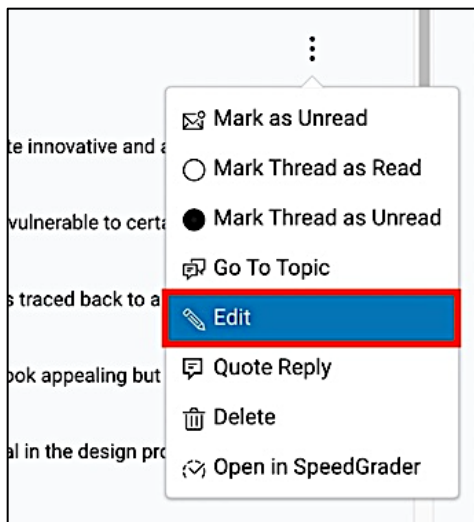
Step 11: Use the **Expand Threads** feature to expand and view all replies in one click.



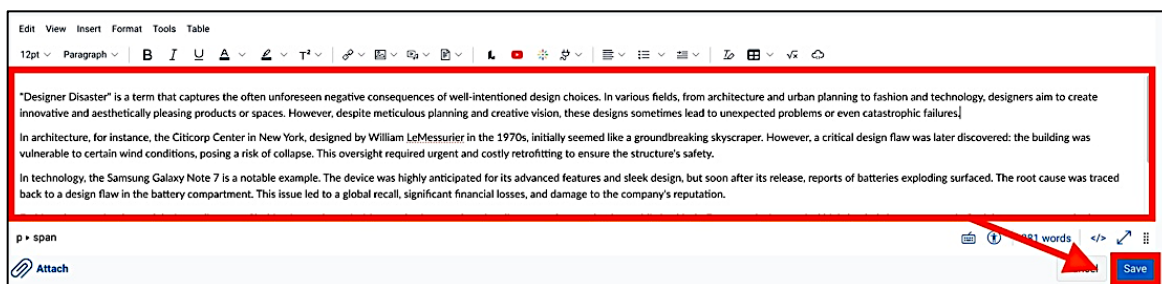
Step 12: As a faculty member, you have the option to edit and delete posts. To edit a post, click on the **three dots** next to the post you want to change.



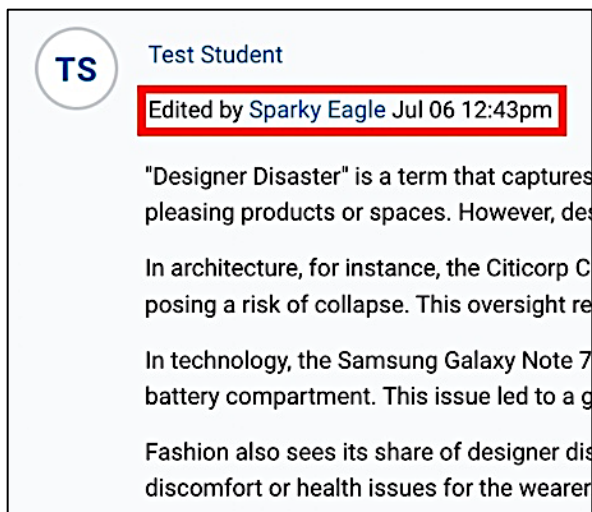
Step 13: Then click the **Edit** button.



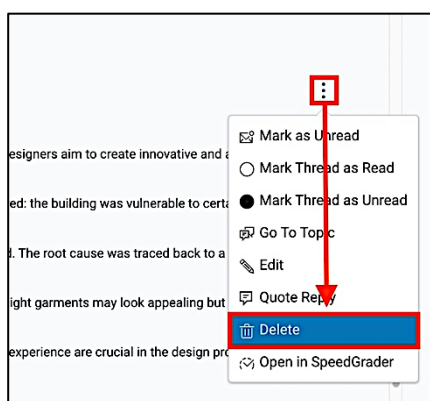
Step 14: In the text editor, make any necessary changes to your post. Click **Save**.



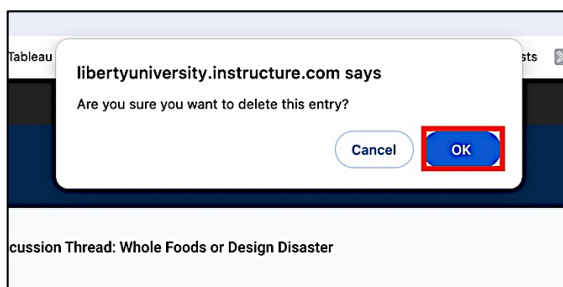
Step 15: The post has now been edited. Edited posts will be marked with a **timestamp** of when the post was last edited.



Step 16: To delete a post, click the **three dots** next to the post you would like to remove. Then, click **Delete**.



Step 17: Click **OK** to confirm deleting the entry. *



**Note: You must manually remove replies as they will not automatically be deleted with the original post.*

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