

Module 3 Introduction

So far, we have focused on bringing authentic assessment opportunities to our online learners. We have learned how to design, scaffold, and evaluate authentic assessments to support student success. The third module, *Alternative Online Assessments*, explores another set of alternative assessment methods: digital media assignments. Once again, we outline the benefits of asking learners to create videos, websites, infographics, and other types of digital content, then explore how we can support our learners in this process. You will learn how to select appropriate media formats and tools and how to design effective criteria to evaluate digital media. We will also provide you with a template to plan your own digital media assignment with confidence and ease.