



Student Study Guide

This guide will outline ways in which academic staff can introduce to students the use of the Echo360 Active Learning Platform (ALP) as a student study guide.

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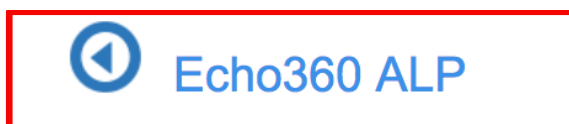
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WHY INTRODUCE ECHO 360 ALP AS A TOOL TO BE UTILISED IN STUDENTS STUDY GUIDE

Echo 360 ALP has the potential to provide a system that can be utilised as a tool in student's study guide. Echo360 ALP has the features of notetaking and questioning. Note-taking is a feature that can be utilised within the Echo360 ALP, whilst academic staff are not able to see the notes of the student as these are kept privately, they are able to see how many words a student has written in the analytics. The note-taking feature time-stamps to the video capture and can be used to revise key content. Secondly, questioning provides communication between the academic staff and student as they move to collaborate on

VIEWING AND ACCESSING COURSE CONTENT

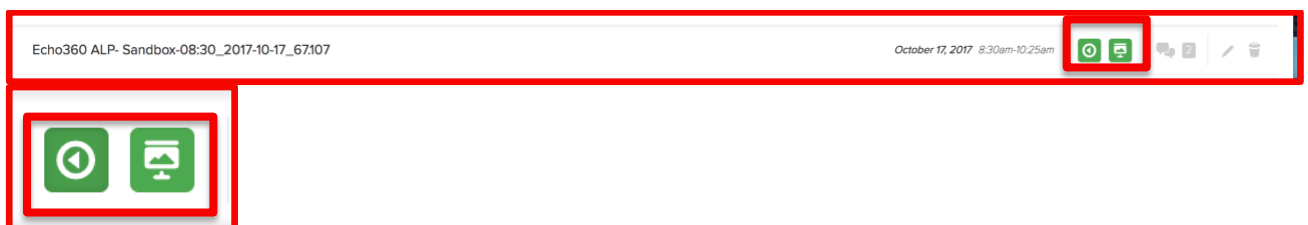
1. Log onto Moodle and click on the Echo360 ALP icon, this will take you to the Echo360 ALP course view where you can access your video lecture recordings, notes and the features of the Echo360 ALP platform that will allow you to participate in Active Learning.



VIEWING A PRESENTATION

You can view your lecture slides and video capture lecture recordings using the Echo360 ALP. To use a lecture recording you will need to

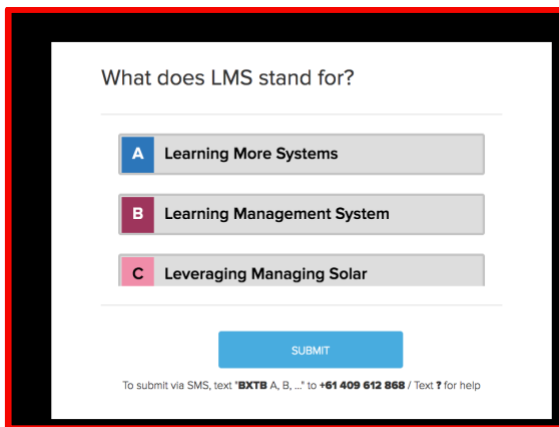
1. Follow the steps for viewing and accessing the course content. Once you are in your Moodle course view you will need to access the learning content. To view a presentation, click either the video or presentation symbol below
2. A drop downbox will appear, click view.



RESPONDING TO ACTIVITIES

To participate in active learning during the lecture, you will need to ensure that you are following along with the lecture in the presentation slides, you will only see the video recording during the lecture if your teacher has enabled live streaming. Using the interactive lectures is active learning and will help you to participate and interact more in class. You can put your settings to anonymous so your class mates can't see your responses.

1. To respond to an activity, you will need to access the Echo 360 ALP presentation, to do this, follow the instructions for viewing a course and viewing a presentation. You should be in your presentation view.
2. Click through the slides along with the presentation in the lecture.
3. When your lecturer asks you respond to activities this will help your lecturer get an idea of where the class is at in terms of the concepts and allow them to explain concepts deeper if they need to. Your response is anonymous but will be helpful for you to see where you are sitting within the class. You can respond by clicking on the correct answer or typing in an answer into the system depending on the question type. Below is an example of a multiple choice question.



The screenshot shows a question: "What does LMS stand for?". There are three options: A Learning More Systems, B Learning Management System, and C Leveraging Managing Solar. A blue "SUBMIT" button is at the bottom. Below the button, it says: "To submit via SMS, text 'BXTB A, B, ...' to +61 409 612 868 / Text ? for help".

USING THE CLASSROOM TOOLBAR

Using the classroom tool bar you can utilise features within the Echo360 ALP Platform. This is your classroom tool bar:



Below are a list of the features you have in your classroom tool bar:



Clicking on Note taking will open a box which will allow you to time stamp your notes to the video recording during live streaming. Your notes can be downloaded at the end of the session for exam revision.



Click on the discussion panel and you can communicate with your lecturer and students within the lecture to ask questions and comment on concepts. You can set yourself as anonymous so your name doesn't appear.



This icon will allow you to ask a question during the lecture or watching the content at home, both your peers and your lecturer can respond to your questions.



You can bookmark a time during your lecture this can allow you to timestamp an important concept or idea which may relate to your exam revision. Bookmarking these points will allow you to revise your notes using Echo360 ALP when you need to study.



Click on this icon to flag confused during the lecture, it will enable you to time stamp a section. It will also notify your lecturer who may revisit the next lecture.

PARTICIPATING IN Q&A DISCUSSIONS

You can respond to questions and posts throughout the lecture or at home during your study time.

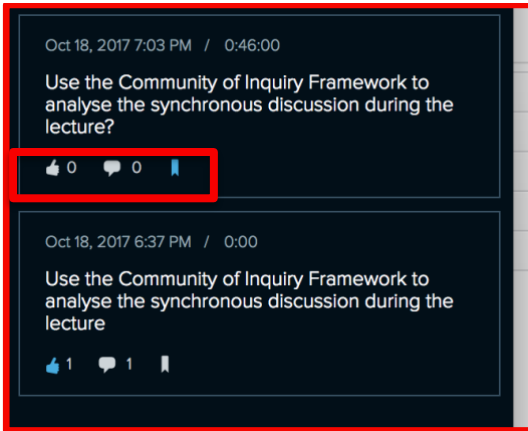
1. Click the new question button this will allow you to ask a question, you have the option to reference a particular class concept by time stamping it to the video or slide number. In your choices you can post anonymously or with your name.
2. Click post when you have completed your question.

To respond to someone else's Q&A discussion questions you post can click the question icon.

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3. Additionally, when you respond to someone's question you can click like similar to social media websites. You can also bookmark your own or others questions if it relates to your study.



ECHO360 ALP STUDY GUIDE

You can use all of the features above to implement a study guide for yourself in Echo360 ALP this means you will be able to use the system on your device. As this is a cloud based system all of your information will be stored and able to be accessed or downloaded when you need to conduct exam revision. The Echo360 ALP is available for access via your Moodle website or using the app on your phone. If you have any issues with the Echo360 ALP system you can log a ticket through IMTS in your Moodle by clicking on IT Support.

