Create a Community Group

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A **Community Group (CG)** is a collaborative space where multiple users can work together on course-related content, much like a sandbox but designed for group engagement. Unlike sandboxes, which are for individual use, CGs allow for the addition of multiple users, facilitating shared course design or other collaborative activities. Who can access a Community Group is determined by the owner(s) of the Community Group.

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- 1. Log in to D2L.
- 2. Click the [VTAC Support] link on the navbar.



- 3. You will be redirected to the **VTAC Support** page.
- 4. In the Self-Service column under Course Design click [Create a Community Group].



5. The Create a Community Group form will open.

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Fill out this form to create a community group and be enrolled as a group manager.
If you have any questions about this form, please see our <u>help documentation</u> or <u>schedule an appointment</u> with an instructional technologist.
Short description that will appear at the end of the title (max. 40 chars). Only letters, numbers, dashes, and underscores are allowed.
(Preview) Community Group: Group Name
Group Name
End date after which your community group may be archived (mm/dd/yyyy) mm / dd / yyyy Note: You will be redirected to your new community group when the form finishes processing.
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A. Enter a **Short Description** (name) that will appear after the words **"Community Group:"**

NOTE: You should **NOT** repeat the words "Community Group:" because this will be automatically generated. Check next to **(Preview)** to see exactly how the title of the Community Group will appear.

- B. Enter a date after which the Community Group may be archived.
- C. **[Submit]** the form.