



Replace Strings in Brightspace

- Personalizing learning is essential in an online course. One way to make it appear personal is through the use of replace strings.
- Replace strings can be used in News Notes, in Quizzes, the Content, pretty much anywhere an HTML editor is used to create content.

A list of strings you can use

- ✓ For the user's first name {FirstName}
- ✓ For the user's last name {LastName}
- ✓ For the Username {UserName}
- ✓ For the Class Name {OrgUnitName}
- ✓ Inside an Intelligent Agent {InitiatingUserFirstName} or for the email {InitiatingUser}

You must include the brackets and capital letters in order for the string to work properly.

How to Use a Replace String

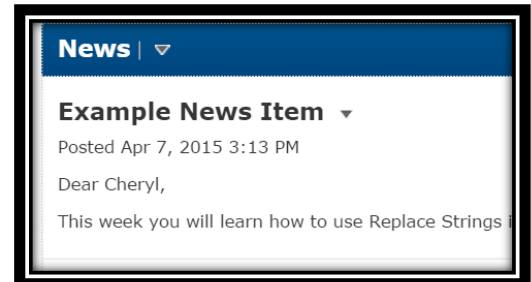
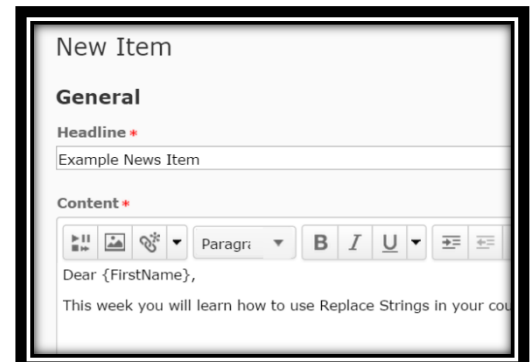
We will use an example of a News Note. To personalize a news note, simply begin the news note with the following:

Dear {FirstName},

The images at the left show how this looks in the editor and then in the News Note.

When to use a Replace String?

- ✓ To begin a News Note
- ✓ To personalize a quiz question. Such as:
 - I, {FirstName} {LastName}, confirm that I am the one taking this quiz according to the guidelines set out in the syllabus and course requirements.
- ✓ To personalize an assignment.
- ✓ In Intelligent Agents.



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