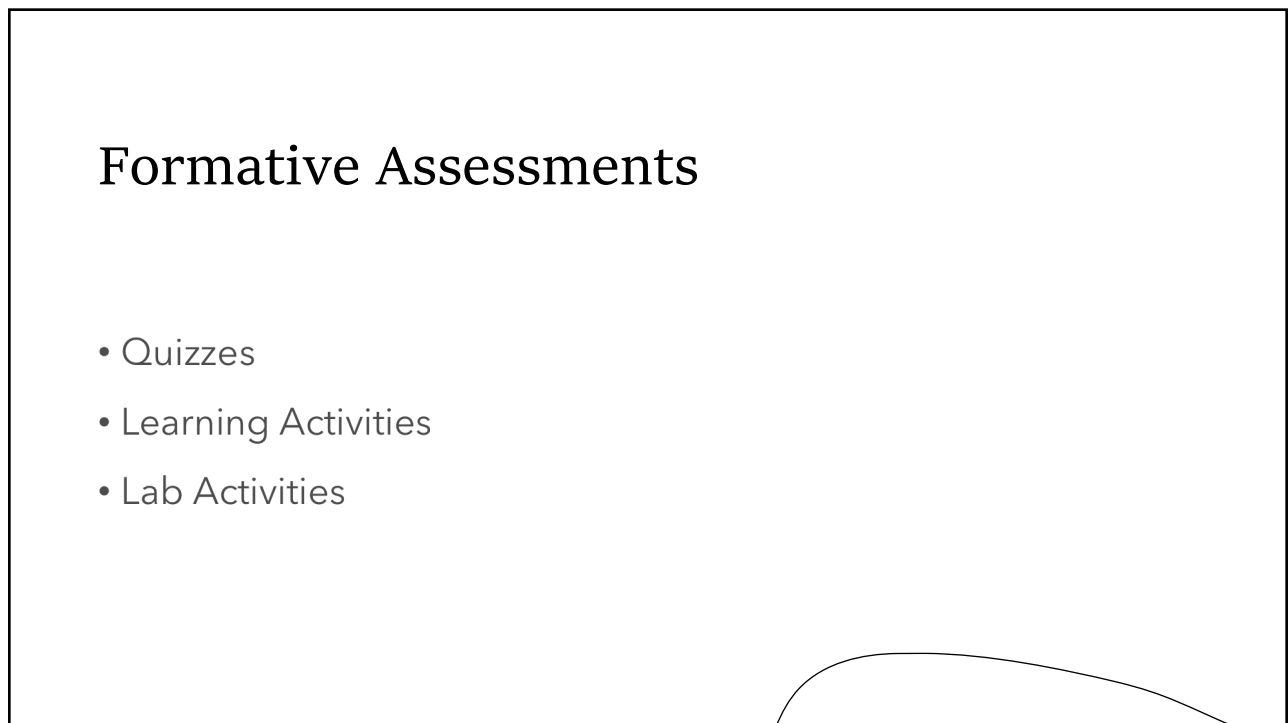


Online Assessments

by Jennifer Lewis

1



Formative Assessments

- Quizzes
- Learning Activities
- Lab Activities

2

Formative Assessments: Considerations

- What role do these play in the student's final course grade?
- Can students retake these assessments to show improvement and mastery of the content?
- How do students receive feedback?

3

Formative Assessments: An Example

Quizzes:

- Auto-grade options → fast feedback turn around
- Multiple submissions allowed (required?) → practice
- Low stakes

4

Formative Assessments: An Example

Lab Assignments:

- Review of content material in hands-on application
- Feedback → can be individualized, may be delayed
- Encourage Student review:
 - Follow up reflection activity
 - Individual feedback from instructor
 - Revision options

5

Summative Assessments

- Unproctored Exams/Tests
- Proctored Exams/Tests
- Final Papers
- Final Projects
- Presentations
- Portfolios

6

Summative Assessments: Considerations

- What is the class size?
- What are you assessing? How do you make your evaluation?
- What supports are available to you at your institution?
- What potential exists for plagiarism and cheating? How will you address this?

7

Summative Assessments: An Example

- Proctored Exams
 - Formal companies offer proctoring: Proctor U, Smarter Proctoring, etc.
 - Institution supported proctoring
 - Faculty supported proctoring
 - Room space and time
 - Sign up sheets
 - Options for students to set up independent proctors

8

Summative Assessments: An Example

- Final Projects and Papers
 - Authentic assessment → Give students choice
 - Designed to be completed throughout the course
 - Presentations → Audio (video optional) of student

9

Final Thoughts

- Select assessments that work with your course outcomes and course plan
- Focus on authentic assessments to engage learners and reduce potential for cheating
- Utilize formative assessments as a learning tool, not evaluation

10