

How to Add Passage to a Test

Here is an example of a passage with questions:

Based on the passage below, respond to the following question.

"Our nation also needs a clear strategy to confront the threats of the 21st century -- threats that are more widespread and less certain. They range from terrorists who threaten with bombs to tyrants in rogue nations intent upon developing weapons of mass destruction. To protect our own people, our allies and friends, we must develop and we must deploy effective missile defenses. "

- George W. Bush, State of the Union Address, February 27th, 2003

1. Which policy is former President George W. Bush supporting in this speech?
 - a. Containment
 - b. Militarism**
 - c. Isolationism
 - d. Impending War
2. Saddam Hussein led Iran into which of the following conflicts?
 - a. Iran-Iraq War
 - b. Arab-Israeli Wars
 - c. Persian Gulf War
 - d. Both A and C**

To add a passage with multiple questions:

1. Add item and choose type. If questions from passage are multiple choice, choose multiple choice and add first question. You add the question that relates to the passage **before** adding the passage.

The screenshot displays a test creation interface. At the top, there are tabs for 'Test Stage' with options: Private Draft (selected), Public Draft, Ready To Schedule, Scheduled, In Progress, and Completed. Below this is a 'Test Items' section showing a list of 10 items, each with a red triangle icon, and a '+ Add Item' button with the text '10 total items'. The main area is titled 'Choose an item type for this item' and contains a grid of 12 item type icons with their corresponding labels: Multiple Choice, True/False, Gridded, Open Response, Inline Response, Matching, Hot Spot - Single Selection, Hot Spot - Multiple Selection, Planet, and a final icon labeled 'ITEM'.

2. Add the question and answers then scroll to bottom and under **Passage**, select **Add**, use the pull-down to select **New Passage**.

The screenshot displays a test editor interface. At the top, under the heading "Answer Choices", there are four options: A) Containment, B) Militarism, C) Isolationism, and D) Impending War. Each option includes a point value and a checkbox for the correct response. Below these are sections for "Tools and Manipulatives" (with an "Enabled" checkbox) and "Formula Reference Sheet" (with a "Select" button). At the bottom, the "Passage" section is highlighted with a red box. It features an "Add" dropdown menu with options: "Passages on this Test" (containing "Religious Beliefs"), "New Passage", and "Search for Passage". A "Return to Test Detail" button is also visible in the passage area.

Answer Choices

A **Containment**
Answer is worth 0 points and is the correct response. ✖
Teacher Explanation | Student Explanation

B **Militarism**
Answer is worth 1 points and is the correct response. ✖
Teacher Explanation | Student Explanation

C **Isolationism**
Answer is worth 0 points and is the correct response. ✖
Teacher Explanation | Student Explanation

D **Impending War**
Answer is worth 0 points and is the correct response. ✖
Teacher Explanation | Student Explanation

[\[add new answer choice\]](#)

Tools and Manipulatives
 Enabled

Formula Reference Sheet
None Selected

Passage

▾

- Passages on this Test
 - Religious Beliefs
- New Passage
- Search for Passage

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3. Add your passage

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Test Stage: **Private Draft** | Public Draft | Ready To Schedule | Scheduled | In Progress | Completed

SUBJECT: Social Sciences and History ADMINISTRATION DATES: Not Scheduled
GRADE LEVEL: 07 COLLECTION STATUS: Not Started

Passage Information

Title *

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Passage Content

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Based on the passage below, respond to the following question.

“Our nation also needs a clear strategy to confront the threats of the 21st century -- threats that are more widespread and less certain. They range from terrorists who threaten with bombs to tyrants in rogue nations intent upon developing weapons of mass destruction. To protect our own people, our allies and friends, we must develop and we must deploy effective missile defenses. ”

George W. Bush, State of the Union Address, February 27th, 2003

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Online Layout Thesaurus Word count: 85 Manually Enter Number

4. When finished, scroll to the bottom and select **Save**

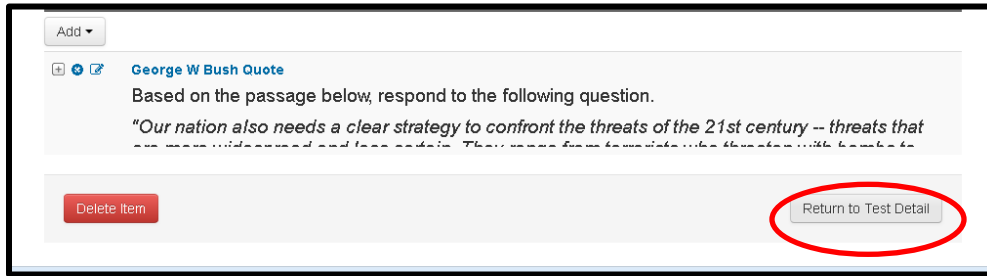
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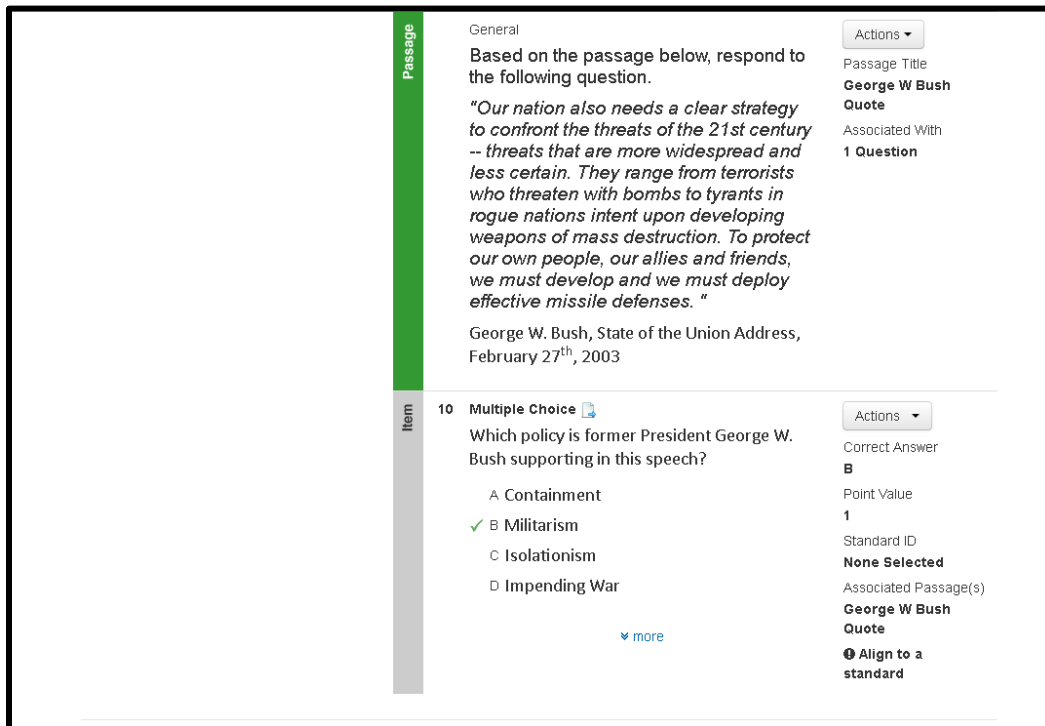
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5. Return to Test Detail



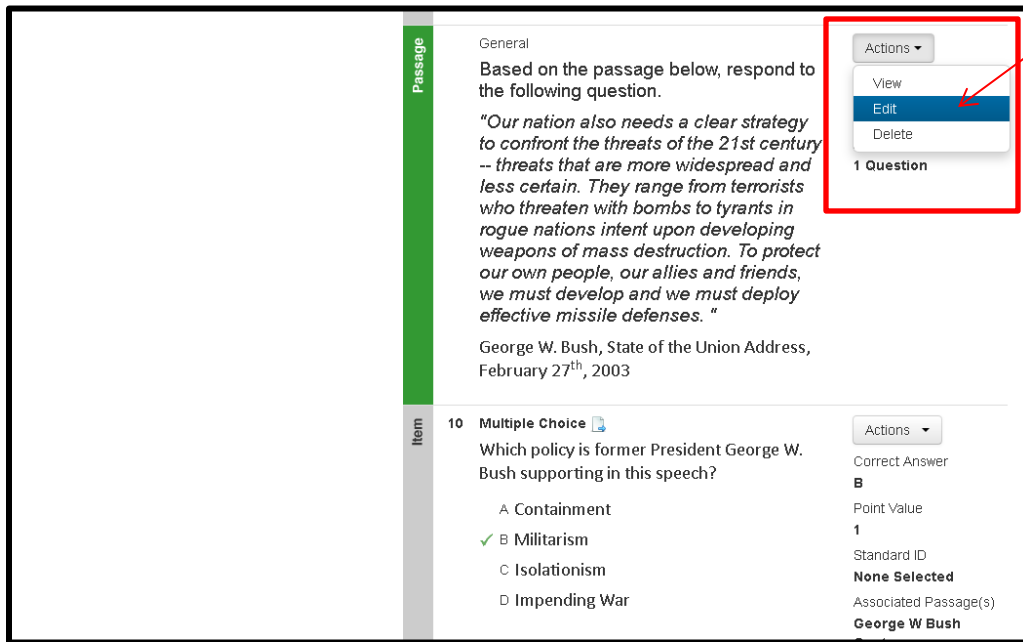
The screenshot shows a test item editor interface. At the top left, there is an 'Add' dropdown menu. Below it, the item title is 'George W Bush Quote'. The main content area contains the text: 'Based on the passage below, respond to the following question.' followed by a quote: *"Our nation also needs a clear strategy to confront the threats of the 21st century -- threats that are more widespread and less certain. They range from terrorists who threaten with bombs to tyrants in rogue nations intent upon developing weapons of mass destruction. To protect our own people, our allies and friends, we must develop and we must deploy effective missile defenses."* At the bottom of the editor, there are two buttons: a red 'Delete Item' button on the left and a grey 'Return to Test Detail' button on the right, which is circled in red.

6. The passage will display with the first set of questions you add below it.



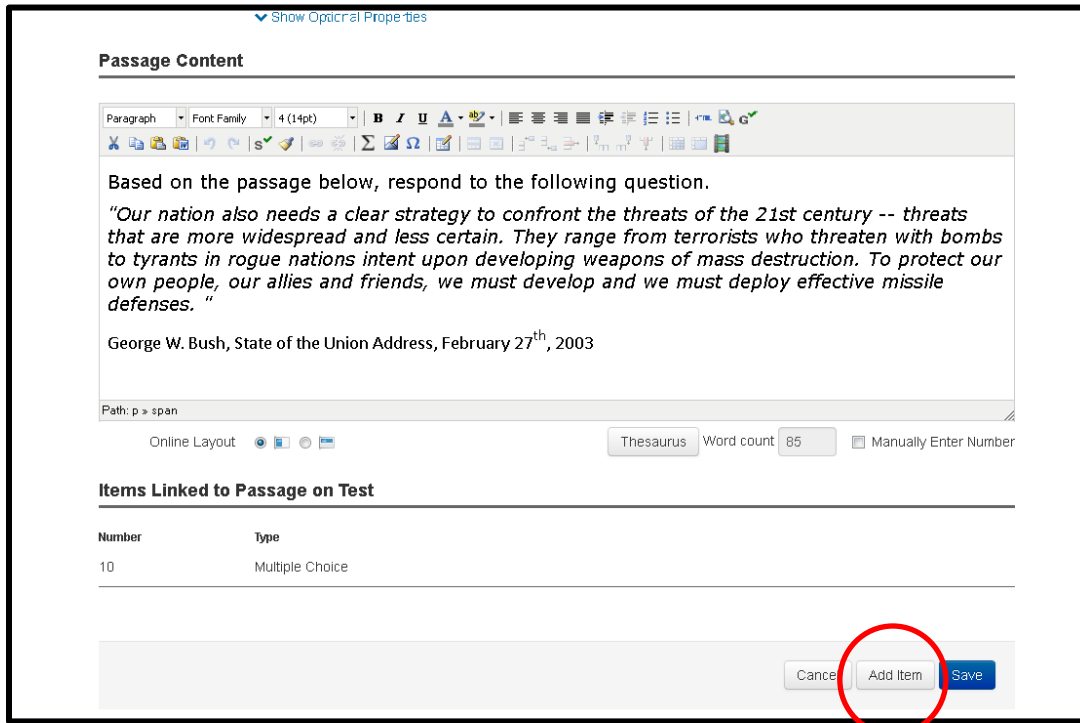
The screenshot shows a test item editor interface with two sections: 'Passage' and 'Item'. The 'Passage' section has a green header and contains the following text: 'General', 'Based on the passage below, respond to the following question.', the same quote as in the previous screenshot, and 'George W. Bush, State of the Union Address, February 27th, 2003'. The 'Item' section has a grey header and contains a multiple-choice question: '10 Multiple Choice', 'Which policy is former President George W. Bush supporting in this speech?', and four options: 'A Containment', 'B Militarism' (which is selected with a green checkmark), 'C Isolationism', and 'D Impending War'. There is a 'more' link below the options. On the right side of the 'Item' section, there is an 'Actions' dropdown menu and a list of metadata: 'Correct Answer B', 'Point Value 1', 'Standard ID None Selected', and 'Associated Passage(s) George W Bush Quote'. At the bottom of the metadata list, there is a link 'Align to a standard'.

7. Go back to the passage and under **Actions** , use the pull-down and select **Edit**



The screenshot shows a test editor interface. On the left, there is a vertical green bar labeled 'Passage' and a grey bar labeled 'Item'. The main area displays a passage titled 'General' with the text: "Based on the passage below, respond to the following question. 'Our nation also needs a clear strategy to confront the threats of the 21st century -- threats that are more widespread and less certain. They range from terrorists who threaten with bombs to tyrants in rogue nations intent upon developing weapons of mass destruction. To protect our own people, our allies and friends, we must develop and we must deploy effective missile defenses.' " George W. Bush, State of the Union Address, February 27th, 2003". Below the passage is a question labeled '10 Multiple Choice' with the text: "Which policy is former President George W. Bush supporting in this speech?" and four options: A Containment, B Militarism (checked), C Isolationism, and D Impending War. On the right side, there is an 'Actions' dropdown menu with options 'View', 'Edit', and 'Delete'. The 'Edit' option is highlighted in blue, and a red box surrounds the entire 'Actions' menu. A red arrow points from the top right towards the 'Edit' option. Below the question, there are fields for 'Correct Answer' (B), 'Point Value' (1), 'Standard ID' (None Selected), and 'Associated Passage(s)' (George W Bush).

8. The passage will display, scroll to bottom and select Add Item



The screenshot shows the 'Passage Content' editor interface. At the top, there is a 'Show Optical Properties' link. Below it is the 'Passage Content' section with a rich text editor toolbar. The passage text is: "Based on the passage below, respond to the following question. 'Our nation also needs a clear strategy to confront the threats of the 21st century -- threats that are more widespread and less certain. They range from terrorists who threaten with bombs to tyrants in rogue nations intent upon developing weapons of mass destruction. To protect our own people, our allies and friends, we must develop and we must deploy effective missile defenses.' " George W. Bush, State of the Union Address, February 27th, 2003". Below the passage, there is a 'Path: p > span' field and a 'Thesaurus' button. The 'Word count' is 85, and there is a 'Manually Enter Number' checkbox. Below this is the 'Items Linked to Passage on Test' section with a table:

Number	Type
10	Multiple Choice

At the bottom of the editor, there are three buttons: 'Cancel', 'Add Item', and 'Save'. The 'Add Item' button is circled in red.

9. Add your next question and answers. If you have more questions that apply to the passage, continue by scrolling to the bottom and selecting **Return to Test Detail** and repeat steps 6-8. If finished, scroll to the top and select **+add item** and continue on with the test.

To make sure that your questions were associated with your passage, you can return to test detail and double check.

The screenshot displays a test interface with a sidebar on the left containing 'Passage' and 'Item' labels. The main content area is divided into three sections:

- Passage Section:** Labeled 'General', it contains a passage titled 'George W Bush Quote' with the text: "Our nation also needs a clear strategy to confront the threats of the 21st century -- threats that are more widespread and less certain. They range from terrorists who threaten with bombs to tyrants in rogue nations intent upon developing weapons of mass destruction. To protect our own people, our allies and friends, we must develop and we must deploy effective missile defenses." The source is cited as 'George W. Bush, State of the Union Address, February 27th, 2003'. To the right, a dropdown menu shows 'Associated With' and '2 Questions' (circled in red).
- Item 10 Section:** A 'Multiple Choice' question: 'Which policy is former President George W. Bush supporting in this speech?' with options: A Containment, B Militarism (checked), C Isolationism, and D Impending War. To the right, a dropdown menu shows 'Associated Passage(s)' and 'George W Bush Quote'.
- Item 11 Section:** A 'Multiple Choice' question: 'Saddam Hussein led Iran into which of the following conflicts?' with option A 'Iran-Iraq War'. To the right, a dropdown menu shows 'Associated Passage(s)' and 'George W Bush Quote'.