Grade Book Aggregation

Quick Guide

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Aggregation simply means how grades are calculated

The two most commonly used aggregation types are :

- 'Simple Weighted mean of grades'
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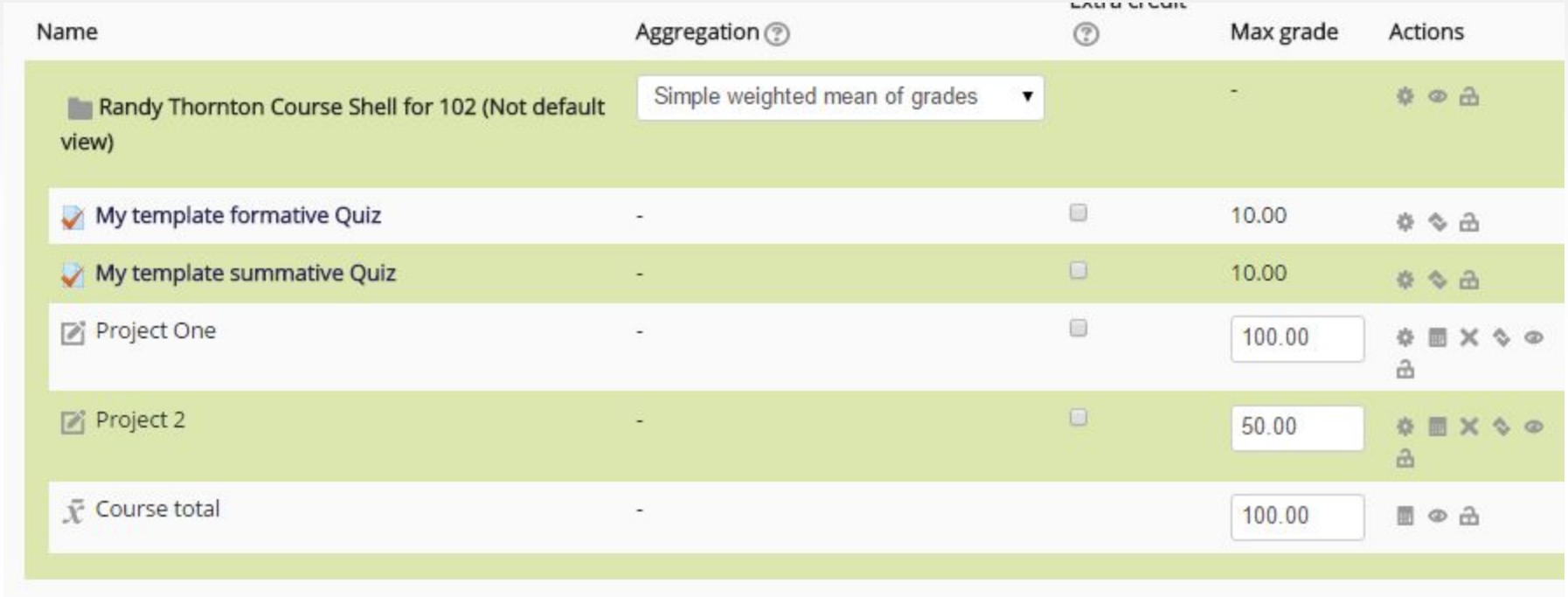
'Simple Weighted mean of grades'

Should really just be called: Evenly Divided

- If there are five items, each is worth one fifth of the total (20% = 100% / 5)
- If there are 25 items, each is worth one twenty-fifth of the total (4% = 100% / 25)
- If you add items, Moodle automatically does the math for you.



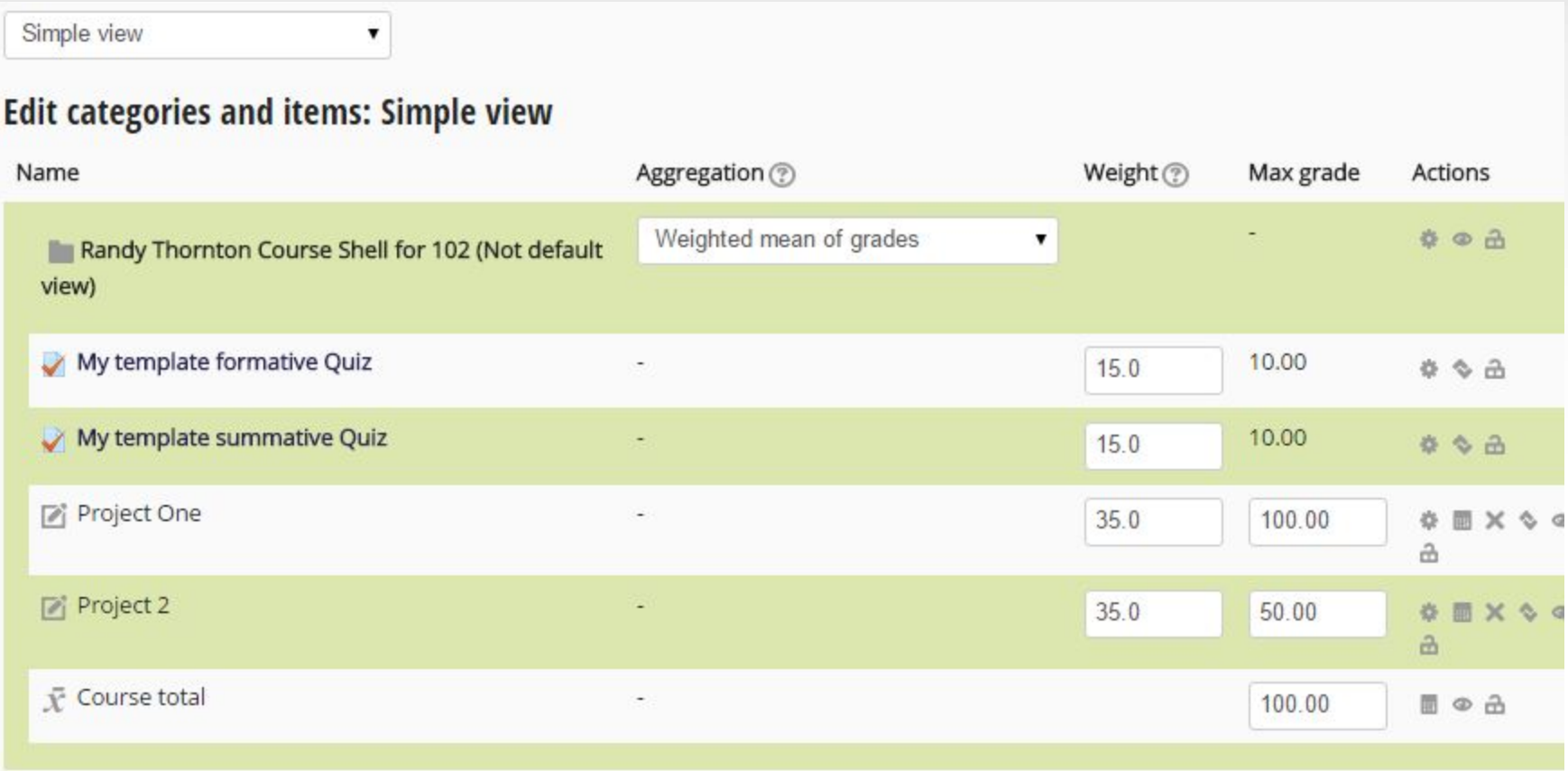
Name	Aggregation	Extra credit	Max grade	Actions
Randy Thornton Course Shell for 102 (Not default view)	Simple weighted mean of grades		-	
My template formative Quiz	-		10.00	
My template summative Quiz	-		10.00	
Project One	-		100.00	
Project 2	-		50.00	
Course total	-		100.00	

4 items so each is worth 25% of the total grade (100%/4)

'Weighted mean of grades'

Should be called: Divide It Your Way

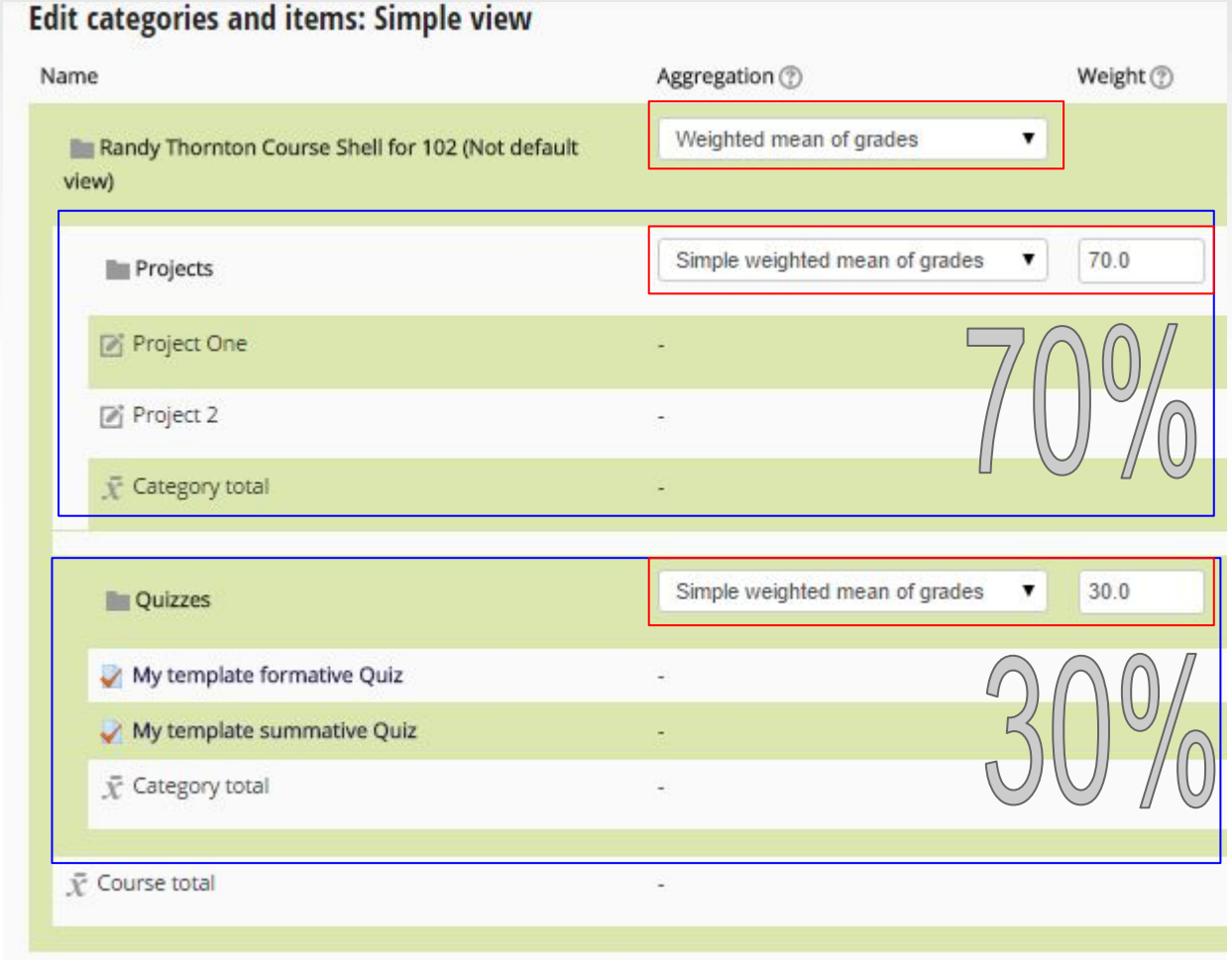
- If there are five items, you tell it what part of 100% each one is worth
- If there any number of items, you tell it what part of 100% each one is worth
- If you add items, you have to manually adjust the weightings



Quizzes are worth 30% and projects 70% of you grade

What if you want to add more quizzes or more projects? And not have to adjust the weights every time?

Answer: Use categories.
Set the course to be Weighted (divided your way) by category then set each category to be divided evenly no matter how many items you add.


Edit categories and items: Simple view
Name
Aggregation
Weight
Randy Thornton Course Shell for 102 (Not default view)
Weighted mean of grades
Projects
Simple weighted mean of grades
70.0
Project One
-
Project 2
-
Category total
-
70%
Quizzes
Simple weighted mean of grades
30.0
My template formative Quiz
-
My template summative Quiz
-
Category total
-
30%
Course total
-