Oops Tokens Example
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Oops Token

Life happens. In 2020 it seemed to happen more frequently and with more disruption. Time will tell what 2021 will bring, so like any good technologist, I’m including a contingency plan for you in this course in the form of “Oops Tokens”. This idea comes from the book Specifications Grading by Linda Nilson via Flower Darby’s book Small Teaching Online. I’m giving you a total of 3 Oops Tokens to use--1 for late work and 2 for assignment redos. To keep you on track with your work and to help me manage grading, here are some parameters for their usage:

- If you don’t use any tokens, you will be rewarded. I’ll add 2 points to your final grade in the class.
- Oops Tokens can be used on Engage Discussions, Experience Assignments, or individually completed Expand assessments. They can’t be used on any group assignments (marked with an asterisk on the syllabus).
- To invoke an Oops Token just notify me by commenting on the assignment where you want to use it. I will track your tokens. You don’t have to give me any reasons, excuses, or documentation.
- Details about the two different types of Oops Tokens:
  - One (1) Late Work Oops Token: Allows you to turn in work up to one (1) week late.
  - Two (2) Assignment Redo Oops Tokens: Once an assignment has been graded, allows you to redo and resubmit it.
    - Revised work must be submitted no later than one (1) week after the grade was received for the original submission AND no later than 1 week after the week 7 due date, so that I can get grades in on time.
    - Cannot be used for work that was submitted late. (Don’t let the perfect be the enemy of the good.)
    - If you intend to redo an assignment, please let me know sooner rather than later, in case I have some additional feedback for you.