



Quizzes – 3.2 – Setting Safe Exam Browser

Why Do This

Safe Exam Browser is a customized web browser that reduces the possibility of cheating by restricting the students' ability to access other websites or use certain computer functions while taking a CC quiz.

- Students will only be able to attempt the quiz if they are using Safe Exam Browser.
- The browser window will be full screen (no navigation) and cannot be closed until the test is submitted.
- Shortcut keys such as Ctrl+Paste, copy, paste and the context menu are disabled.
- Switching to other applications or surfing to other websites is disabled.

Safe exam Browser must be downloaded and installed on the computer that the student uses to attempt the quiz. **It is installed on all computers in the CSUSM computer labs.**

1. Log onto Cougar Courses and go to the main page of your course.
2. Turn on editing.
3. In the section you wish to add a quiz, select **Add an activity or resource** and choose **Quiz**.
4. Scroll down to the **Extra restrictions on attempts** section.
5. Select **Show more...**

▼ Extra restrictions on attempts

Require password ? [Click to enter text](#)

[Show more...](#)

6. Change the *Browser security* field dropdown to **Require the use of Safe Exam Browser**.

▼ Extra restrictions on attempts

Require password ? [Click to enter text](#)

Require network address* ?

Enforced delay between 1st and 2nd attempt minutes ? Enable

Enforced delay between later attempts minutes ? Enable

Browser security* ? ▼

7. Scroll to the bottom and click **Save and return to course** button.

Provide students instructions for using Safe Exam in the labs

1. On the desktop of the lab computer select the icon labeled **Safe Exam Browser**.
2. Login to Cougar Courses and select your course.
3. Click on the exam link and begin your exam.
4. To exit out of Safe Exam Browser, use the password csusm123.

If students are using Safe Exam Browser on their own computer, point them to

- Cougar Courses > Student Help > Quizzes
- Here, they can find
 - Safe Exam Browser 2.1 Install File for Mac
 - Safe Exam Browser 2.1 Install File for PC
 - Safe Exam Browser 2.1 Instructions for Mac
 - Safe Exam Browser 2.1 Instructions for PC