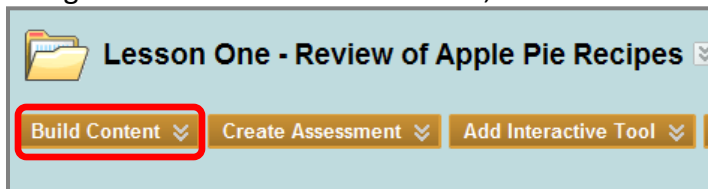


## Adding a YouTube Video

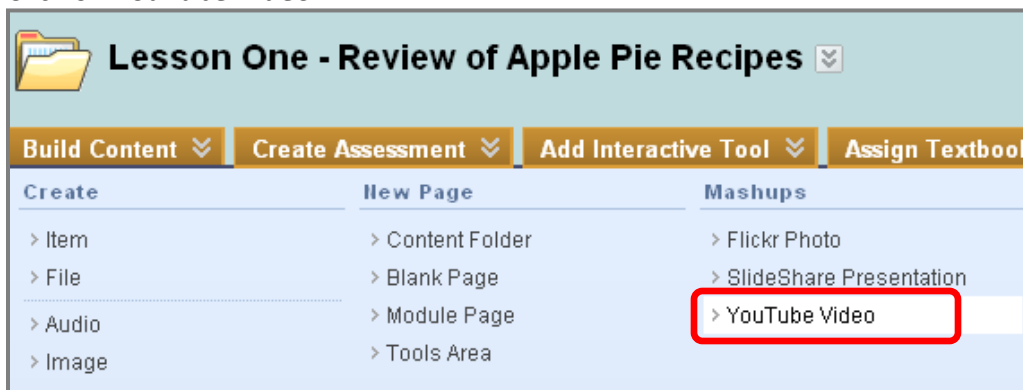
**YouTube** has hundreds of educational videos available in nearly every content area, and it can be a free, easy way to add more engaging content to your course. **YouTube Videos** can be directly embedded or linked directly within your Blackboard course site using Mashups.

Follow these step-by-step instructions to add a **YouTube Video**:

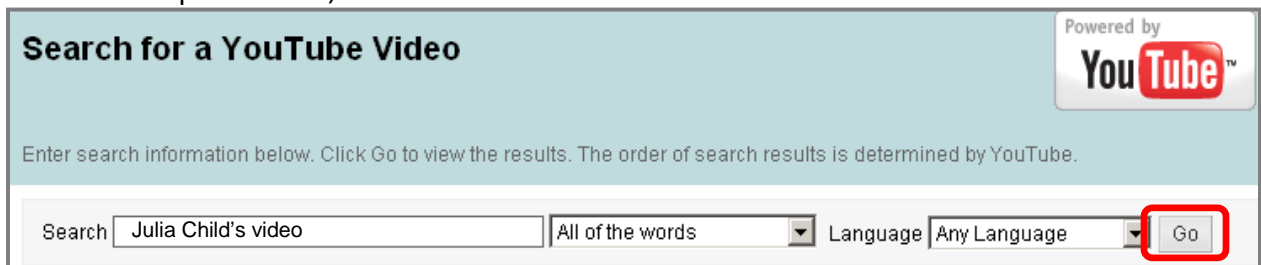
1. Navigate to the desired content area, such as *Lessons*. Hover over *Build Content*.



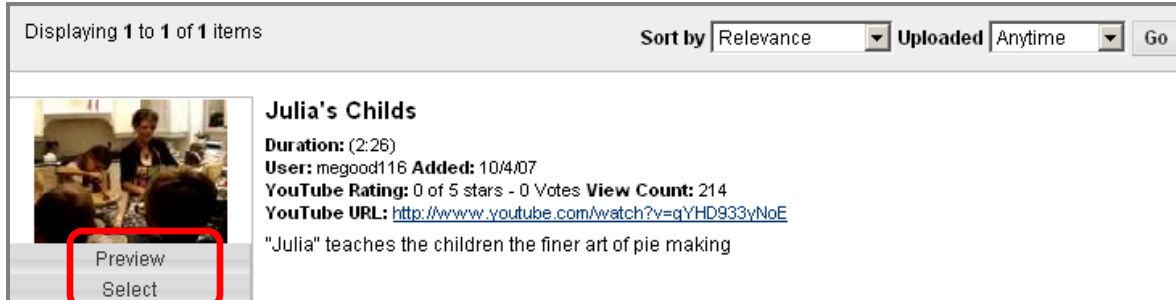
2. Click on **YouTube Video**.



3. Enter Search parameters, and click *Go*.



- Click Preview to view the video, which will open in a new window.

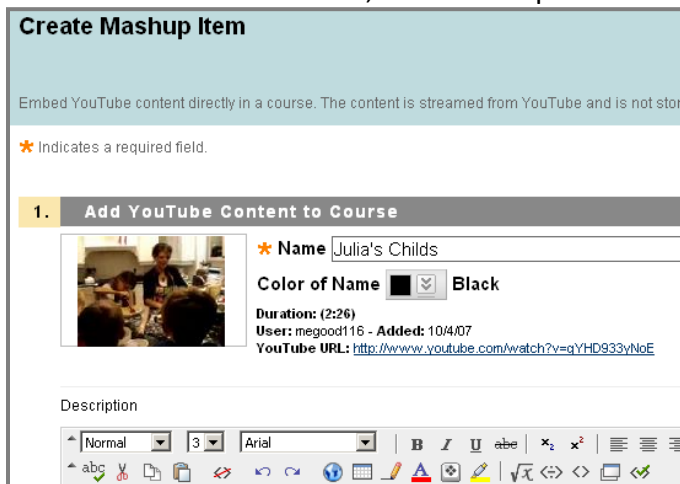


Displaying 1 to 1 of 1 items      Sort by     Uploaded     Go

**Julia's Childs**  
 Duration: (2:26)  
 User: megood116    Added: 10/4/07  
 YouTube Rating: 0 of 5 stars - 0 Votes    View Count: 214  
 YouTube URL: <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=qYHD933yNoE>  
 "Julia" teaches the children the finer art of pie making

Preview  
Select

- Click *Select* to use the video, which will open the Create Mashup Item page.



**Create Mashup Item**

Embed YouTube content directly in a course. The content is streamed from YouTube and is not stored on our servers.

\* Indicates a required field.

**1. Add YouTube Content to Course**

**\* Name**   
 Color of Name   
 Duration: (2:26)  
 User: megood116 - Added: 10/4/07  
 YouTube URL: <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=qYHD933yNoE>

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- Enter a Name for the video in the Name Field.

**\* Name**

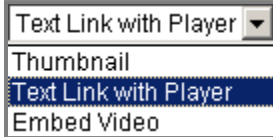
- Enter a Description of the video in the Description textbox.

Description

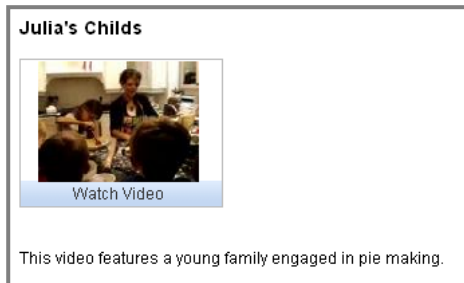
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This video features a young family engaged in pie making.

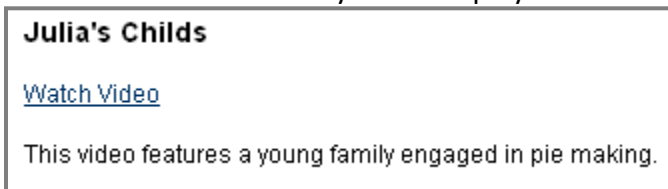
8. Mashup Options include display options for the **YouTube Video**.



- a. Display as a Thumbnail will appear as a small picture of the video, which the user can click to start.



- b. The Text Link with Player will display as text.



- c. The Embed Video choice will display a video player in the center frame of Blackboard.



9. Choose if you want the YouTube URL or information to display to students.



10. Attach any files the students may need to the **Item** by clicking *Browse My Computer*.

**2. Attachments**

Attach a file from a local drive, Course Files, or the Content Collection. All attached files are saved in Course Files. Click **Do Not Attach** to remove the attachment. The file itself is not deleted.

Attach File  **Browse My Computer**  Browse Content Collection

11. Select **Yes** to make the **Item** visible to students.

Permit Users to View this Content  **Yes**  No

12. You may choose to select *Date and Time Restrictions*. Use the *Display After* and *Display Until* checkboxes to set display dates.

Select Date and Time Restrictions

Display After

Enter dates as mm/dd/yyyy. Time may be entered in any increment.

Display Until

Enter dates as mm/dd/yyyy. Time may be entered in any increment.

13. Click the *Submit* button.

14. Blackboard displays a Success message at the top of the screen.

**Success: Julia's Childs Added**

15. The link to the **YouTube Video** now appears in the content area.

 **Julia's Childs** ▾



Watch Video

This video features a young family engaged in pie making.