Safe Exam Browser is a web-browser-environment to carry out online-exams safely. The software changes any computer into a secure workstation. It regulates the access to any utilities and prevents students from using unauthorized resources.

Features

- Web-browser-environment to carry out online-exams safely.
- Fullscreen or browser window mode (without any navigation elements).
- Disables shortcuts and operating system functions like Task Manager (Ctrl-Alt-Del / Cmd-Alt-Esc), program switcher (Alt-Tab, Win-Tab / Cmd-Tab), Print Screen / Screenshot etc. which should not be available during an exam.
- Prevents students from surfing the internet during an exam.
- Possibility to permit controlled use of additional external applications or accessing specific web sites/pages/resources.
- Current versions supports Windows 7, Windows 8.1, Windows 10, Mac OS X 10.7 up to macOS 10.13 High Sierra and iOS 9.3.5 to iOS 11.

Video - Safe Exam Browser in Moodle
https://youtu.be/ytztYguXixk

Safe Exam Browser settings
https://docs.moodle.org/310/en/Safe_Exam_Browser

Instructions for Students

(Instructors - please post the following link in your course in Moodle for students)

How to download and use Safe Exam Browser for taking quizzes in Moodle
The **Safe Exam Browser** is now available for the quizzes created in Moodle.

You are recommended to choose “**Yes – Configure manually**”.

If there are any websites that you want to allow students to use during taking the quiz on the Safe Exam Browser, you can **enable the URL filtering** and enter those website URL links in the “**Expressions allowed**” box:

Besides the allowed website URL links, **you also have to** enter our Moodle site URL.

**Here is an example:**

If I want to allow my students to use the Desmos website during taking the quiz on the Safe Exam Browser, I will have to put the following URL links in the box:

helenacollege.mrooms.net
desmos.com/calculator
In addition, the allowed website URL links have to be included in one of the question texts, see the example below:

Please also make sure that the **URL links are active** and open in new window:

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