Matching questions allow students to pair items in one column to items in another column. You may include a different numbers of questions and answers in a matching question. For example, the question may include a list of animals and a list of food they eat (herbivore, carnivore, omnivore). Students would match each animal with their diet.

Students are granted partial credit for matching questions if they answer part of the question correctly. For example, if the question is worth eight points and a student gives the correct answers for half of the matches, they will receive four points.

1. Open the canvas page for a test, survey, or pool.
2. On the Action Bar, click on Create Question and select Matching from the drop-down list.
3. Select the **Number of Questions** and type the text for each question. Optionally add partial credit.
4. Optionally, you may also Add unmatched answer choices to include to make a question more challenging.

5. Type the Correct Response Feedback that appears in response to a correct answer and the Incorrect Response Feedback for an incorrect answer.
6. If desired, add question metadata in the Categories and Keywords section. This can include categories, topics, levels of difficulty, and keywords.
7. Click Submit.

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