Moodle 1.9 – Preventing Students from Posting in the News Forum

If you are looking to prevent students from creating new threads in the News Forum, take the following steps:

1. Update your News forum. Go to 'Override Permissions'.

   ![Update: Forum](image1.png)

2. Select 'Student'

   ![Non-editing teacher: Student](image2.png)

3. Change the permission for 'Add news' to 'Prohibit'

   ![Capability: Forum](image3.png)

4. Save Changes.

   The students will now be able to only *reply* to the thread created by the instructor.