

Option-Specific Feedback for Incorrectly Answered Multiple-Choice Questions

Introduction

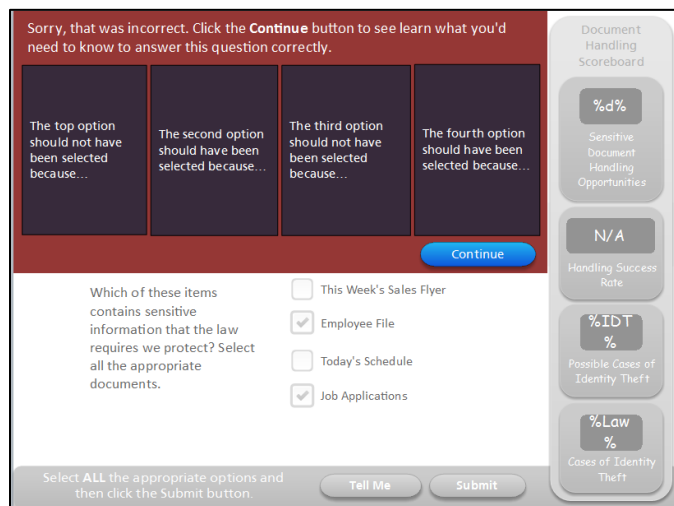
This document will show you how to create specific incorrect feedback for each incorrectly selected, or incorrectly not-selected, option in a multiple-choice question.

The Incorrect Feedback

On the question slide's Incorrect layer create a textbox for each answer option, and name the textboxes Option1Incorrect, Option2Incorrect, Option3Incorrect, and Option4Incorrect. Place the feedback for each option in the correlating text box.

In this example there are four textboxes.

Remember there are two feedback possibilities for each option. One, the learner **didn't** select a correct answer - or two - the learner **did** select an incorrect answer.



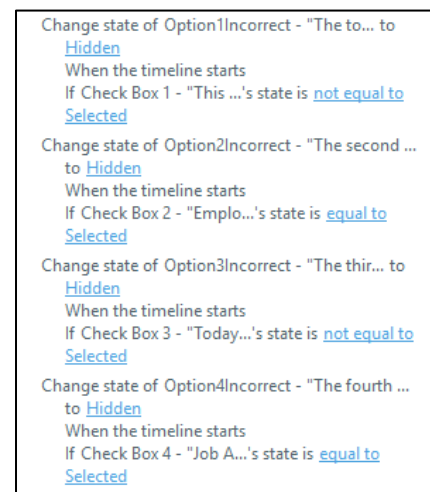
The Triggers

On the Incorrect layer add four triggers, one for each incorrect feedback text box. Use each trigger to hide the incorrect feedback text box based on whether the checkbox for that option is or is not selected correctly.

- The trigger hides the text box if the checkbox for the related option is selected and it is a correct option.
- The trigger hides the text box if the checkbox for the related option is not selected and it is an incorrect option.

If the checkboxes are selected or not selected incorrectly, the incorrect feedback for those options remain visible.

The design as it is would leave a blank space for options selected correctly. An upgrade to this design would be to add an additional text box for each answer option indicating the option was selected, or not selected, correctly. You would use similar triggers to hide these text boxes as needed.



Conclusion

I've included all you need to know about creating specific feedback for each incorrectly selected, or not selected, option in a multiple-choice question. If you have any questions, drop me a line!