What Is Happening

The offline reading capability, which was disabled with the Courseload Offline Application on August 26, is being reintroduced on October 24 as part of Courseload for Chrome.

What Is the Cause

As described in the technical bulletin entitled Offline Application Disabled, a new browser version released this summer introduced a defect that affected the Courseload Offline Application. The defect came with a severe risk of data loss, so we disabled the Offline Application until it could be corrected or we could provide an alternate method of reading offline.

Courseload for Chrome does allow for offline reading. This new app is not subject to the defect that affected the Offline Application.

How Does this Affect You

Starting on Thursday, October 24, 2013 you will again be able to use your course material offline. All notes, annotations, and highlights created while you are offline are automatically synced with the Courseload servers by Courseload for Chrome when Internet connectivity is re-established.

Who Is Affected

Courseload for Chrome will be available for use by all Courseload users. Like the Offline Application, Courseload for Chrome requires that you use the Google Chrome browser and that you have internet access when downloading course materials and syncing with Courseload's servers.