Text Activity

Like all activity widgets, the Text Activity widget offers the same functionality as the Text Activity in the Assignments wizard. The widget has no use outside of setting assignments.

It's included in the widgets pane because you can assign a site or a page. Adding the text activity widget to a page, then assigning it will activate the widget and allow students to fill in their answer.

You can add success criteria and mark against these, and visually they serve as a prompt to the students.

As a student, when using the widget, there is a Save button. Every time the student clicks this button, a new copy of their work is saved to the assignment. This is particularly useful should you need to return the assignment to the student to be reworked, as it will track the changes made.