Additional Features of the Discussion Board

The Discussion Board offers various tools that enable different ways to view and post responses.

Tree View vs. List View

1. Navigate to a weekly Discussion Board and click on Week 1 Discussion Board.

2. By default, discussion threads will appear via the List View, showing only the subjects of each thread in a list and the initial author.
3. Clicking on **Tree View** will display the nested replies for each thread as well as the corresponding author.

**Viewing the Parent Post**

1. Click on the subject of a reply in order to read the response.
2. Click on the link **Parent Post** in order to view both the initial post and the reply.

3. The **Parent Post** will then appear within the reply post, allowing you to view both entries at the same time.
Using the Quote Button

1. If you would like to include the text of the original message in your reply, click the Quote button.

2. This will automatically add the text from the original post into your reply.
Collecting Threads: Viewing Selected Threads

1. In order to view only certain selected posts, click on the check boxes to the left of the desired posts. Click the Collect button.

2. You can now view the content of all selected posts at the same time.