Below is the tutorial of how to poll in Blackboard Collaborate.

There are several choices in polling on Blackboard Collaboration:

- Yes/NO
- A…C Multiples Choices
- A…D Multiple Choices
- A…E Multiple Choices

1. Click on “Polling Response” button and it will show default option:
   - Yes
   - No
To change the polling type:

1. Click on the drop down menu.

2. Move cursor to “Polling Type” and it will show all the options. Select “A…C Multiple Choices.”
The following image shows the polling option changed to “A….C Multiple Choices.”

Forexample: Here you can see question is appeard with a, b, and c options on whiteboard.
How student can poll on the blackboard.

- This is Student B screen view.
  Polling button shows three options; a, b and c

- Student B chooses option “b” as right answer.
• Now the chosen option is going to appear right next to the Student B name on the main room.

![Diagram showing the chosen option next to the student's name]

- This is instructor's view.
  Answers can be shown to the instructor which is next to the student’s name.

![Diagram showing the instructor's view with answers]
Here is the Instructor’s View and Student’s View. Students can see other responses on the participant panel under the main room.
To hide the responses in participant’s panel:

1. Click on the “Global Permission” right next to the Participants.
2. Move cursor to “Make Responses Visible” and uncheck the “Make Responses Visible” by clicking on it.

3. Now student is not able to see others responses.

Note: The instructor can make the answers visible by checking it again on the “Make Responses Visible” through the “Global Permission”.

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eLC faculty resources are available in CougarWeb.
Under the Faculty Tab, click on eCollin Learning Center.
To Publish the Polling Result:

1. Click on “Global Permission”
2. Click on “Publish Responses to Whiteboard”

3. Now all the students can see the polling result.

The number of individual choices picked is also shown here.
4. To clear the polling results from the participant’s panel, click on the “clear” link.

![Clear Polling Results](image.png)

To clear the polling results from the whiteboard:

1. Click on the “Clear Page” link.

![Clear Page](image.png)
2. Click “Yes” on the dialogue box.

Now all the polling results are cleared from the participant’s panel and whiteboard.