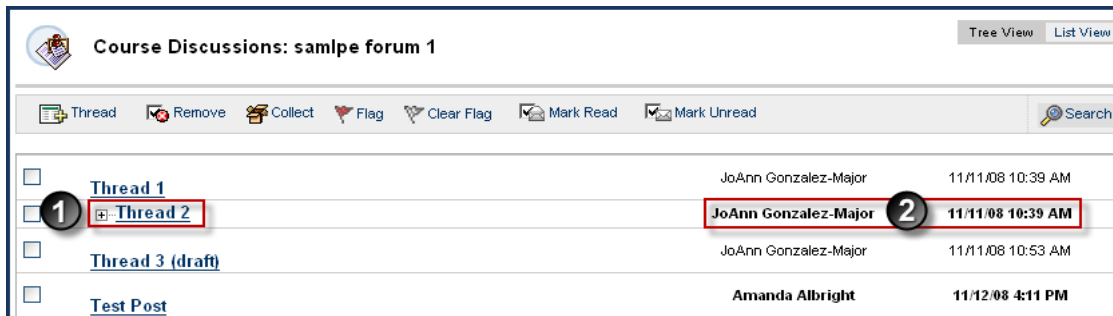


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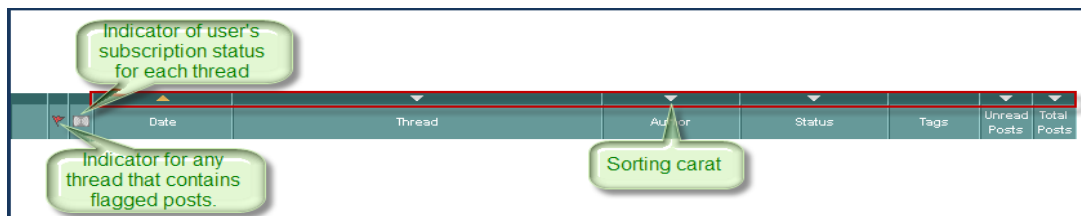
The Forum view lists the threads in the Forum and includes several options for displaying and managing threads. The Forum can be viewed in one of two contexts: Tree View or List View. This choice remains in effect until the user changes it; it can be changed at any time.



The Tree View presents the thread starter messages and their responses messages.



1. Response messages can be expanded and collapsed by using the plus/minus icon next to each starter message.
2. Unread threads and posts are displayed in bold type; if a thread starter message has unread responses, then the thread starter message is displayed in bold if the response messages are collapsed.



The List View presents the list of threads in a tabular format. The threads can be sorted by clicking the carat at the top of each column.