## EXTRA CREDIT IN POWERTEACHER

One of the "improvements" to PowerTeacher 6.0 was to prevent the accidental awarding of too many points for an assignment. I'm sure we have all given a student 115 points for a 15 point assignment. While it may please the student and parents, it's going to mess up our confidence in the grade calculation process. It is designed as a feature rather than a fault.

Several users have been distressed by their inability to award deserving students more than the maximum number of points for the assignment. There is a way to do this properly.

In the New Assignment pane, there is a window right next to the Points Possible in which you may designate the number of extra credit points you may want to award. If you wanted to offer 15 points of extra credit on the 100 point assignment, you would enter "15" in the box. The program would then make 100 points 100%, but you could give up to 15 more points/percent. If you accidentally made it 120, It would not allow the entry.

