Blackboard 9: Understanding the Course Menu

By default, every course in Blackboard has the following default Course Menu. Course content areas that are empty, do not display to students.

Welcome: A course content area where content can be loaded (A welcome item for students).

Home Page: Here you will find What’s New in the Course, Course Announcements, To Do’s, Needs Attention, Alerts, Tasks and Calendar.

Your Instructor: A course content area where information regarding the instructor can be found.

Syllabus: A course content area where content can be loaded (i.e. Syllabus).

Course Schedule: A course content area where content can be loaded (i.e. Course Schedule).

Learning Units: A course content area where content can be loaded based. (i.e. course material-reading, lecture, discussion forum, assignment).

Additional Resources: A course content area where content can be loaded (additional course material/resources).

Discussion Forum: Discussion Forums that have been created by the instructor to discuss course work.

Academic Tools: Announcements, email, journal, blogs, wikis, iTunesU, voice authoring and more.

Tech Help: A place where faculty can build content related to technical help.