

Changes to Teaching Styles



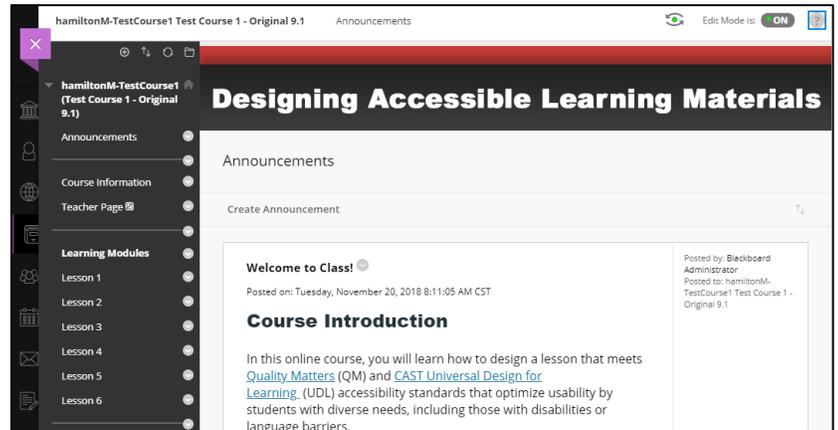
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Known Issue

As of June 2019, Blackboard will no longer support custom course menu colors.

All courses will have the standard high-contrast gray and white color scheme to meet [accessibility standards](#) defined by Section 508 of the Rehabilitation Act and Web Content Accessibility Guidelines 2.0.

At this time, faculty may add visual flair to a course by assigning a course banner to the course's Entry Point.



Setting a Course Banner Image

A course banner is an image that appears at the top of your course's Entry Point. Blackboard recommends using an image that is no greater than **480 x 80** pixels in size. You may create and edit an image using online tools like [BeFunky](#) or [Canva](#). Once you have prepared a banner image, follow these steps to apply it to your course.

1. In the course's **CONTROL PANEL**, click **CUSTOMIZATION**. In the list of options, select **TEACHING STYLE**.
2. Scroll down the page to the area called **SELECT BANNER**.
3. Click the **BROWSE MY COMPUTER** button.
4. In the pop-up window that appears, locate and select the image. Click the **OPEN** button.
5. At the bottom of the page, click the **SUBMIT** button.

SELECT BANNER

The banner appears at the top of the course's entry point page. We recommend using a banner approximately 480 by 80 pixels because users resize browser windows and use monitors of varying sizes and resolutions. If your banner exceeds the width of the page, it will be cropped.

Current Banner Image

New Banner Image

Banner Alt Text