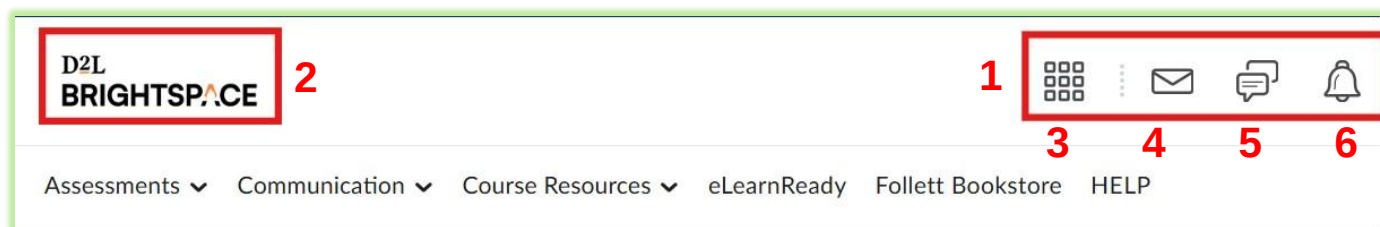
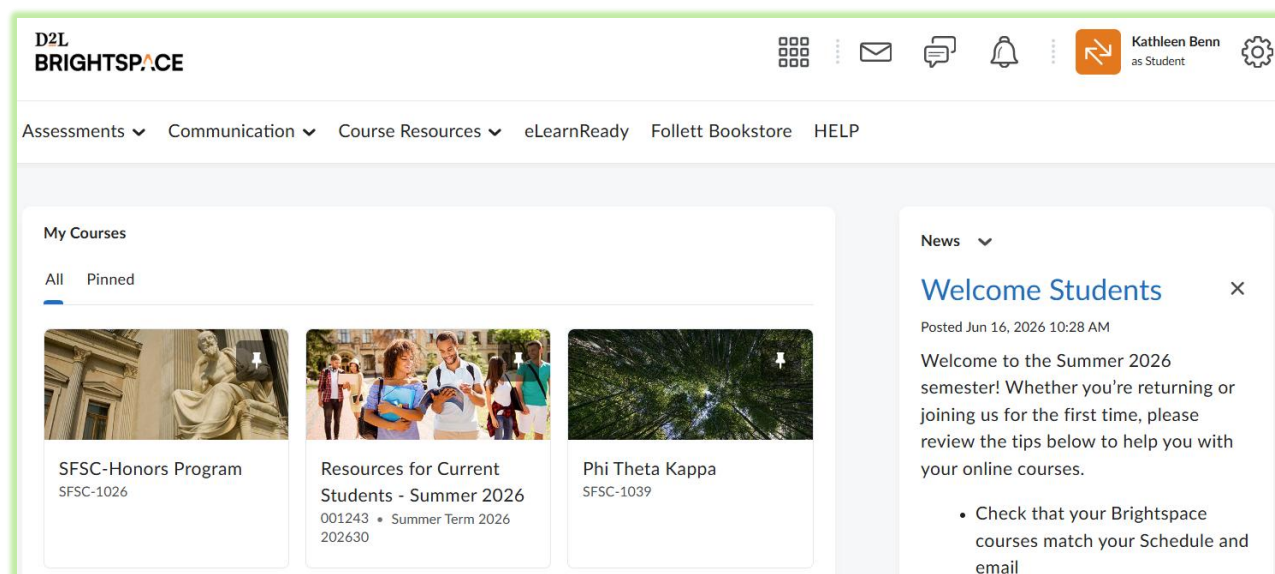


How to Navigate D2L Brightspace Learning Environment

After logging into Panther Central, click on Brightspace. The Brightspace landing page displays your current courses under the 'My Courses' title, with News on the right.

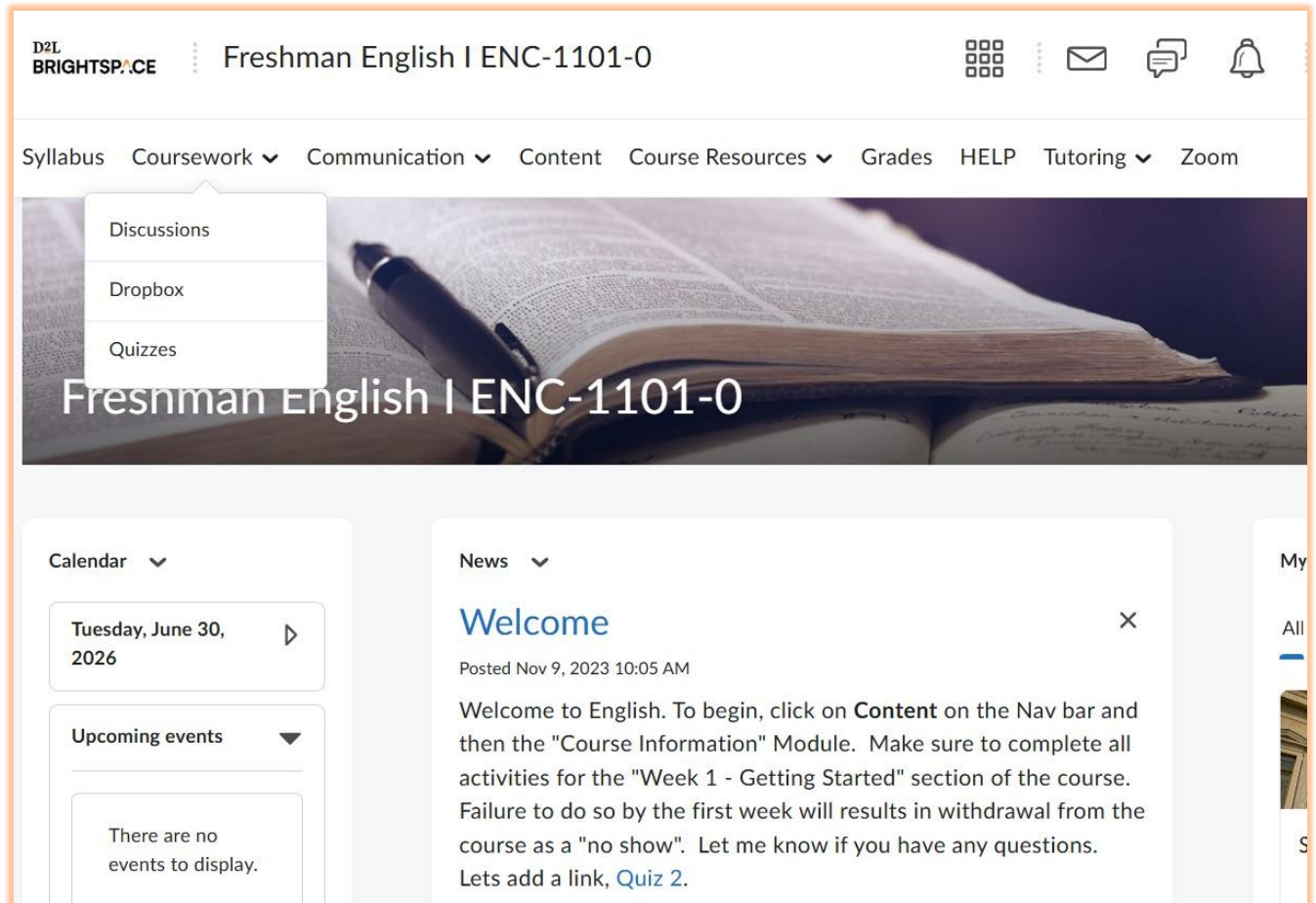


The Main Page Navigation Bar

1. **Minibar** - The minibar is always visible and helps you navigate Brightspace Learning Environment.
2. **My Home** - Returns you to the main homepage. You can usually find important information from SFSC in the News area on the homepage.
3. **Course Selector** - Use the course selector to access your courses. For easy access, you can pin your courses to the top of the list.
4. **Messages** - Notifies you about unread mail and instant messages from instructors and other students. You will see a red dot if there are new emails
5. **Subscriptions** - Notifies you about new subscribed discussion forums, topics, and threads. You will see a red dot if there are any new posts.
6. **Updates Alert** - Notifies you about new and updated announcements, due dates and end dates, and grades. The red dot indicates a new update.

To access your Course homepage, click on a course tile.

1. This will bring you to your course homepage.



2. Each Course homepage is set up the same for easy navigation.

3. The News tool is located in the middle column, the Calendar on the left, and My Courses to the right.

4. The course navigation bar includes all the elements of your course.

- The **Syllabus** link opens your course syllabus.
- From the **Coursework** drop-down menu, you can access:
 - **Discussions** - Post, reply, and interact in course discussions.
 - **Dropbox**- Enables you to upload and submit assignments directly into Brightspace.
 - **Quizzing** - Click Quizzes to review all your future, current, and past quizzes using the Quiz List.
- From the **Communications** drop-down menu, you can access:
 - **Classlist**- View course participants and their contact information for email and instant messaging.
 - **Groups** – If enabled by your instructor, this is where you'll work with other students.
- **Content**- View course materials and learning resources
- **Course Resources** – includes Honorlock, Awards, Locker, Media Library
- **Grades** –Track your progress and review feedback.