



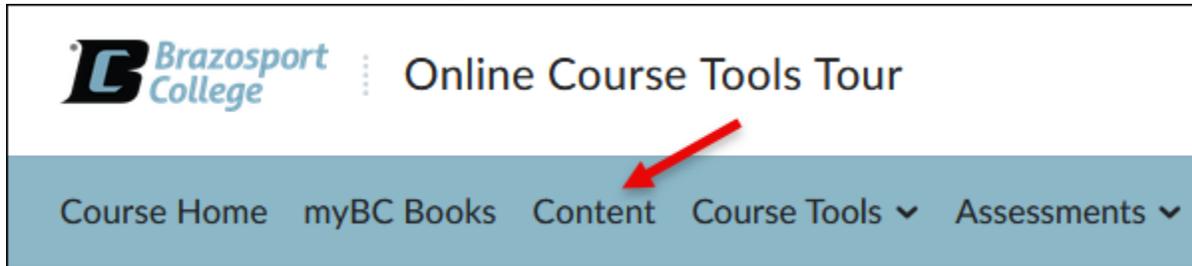
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## Viewing Content Pages

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Course-related material (syllabus, lecture notes, required reading, etc.) are typically located in the content area. The content area is comprised of various modules that contain related course materials, often referred to as topics.

1. Click on Content from the navigation bar (navbar).



2. To access course materials, **click** on a module from the Table of Contents sections (located on the left-side of the page) (1) and then **click** on the course material topic you would like to access (2).

A screenshot of the course content area. On the left is a sidebar with a "Table of Contents" section. The "Start Here/Course Information" link is highlighted with a red circle and the number 1. The main content area shows a "Download" button and a progress indicator "0% 0 of 8 topics completed". Below this are three expandable sections: "Video | Course Orientation", "Course Introduction &amp; Navigation", and "Course Syllabus". The "Course Syllabus" link is highlighted with a red circle and the number 2.

3. The topic will open like the one shown below.

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# Course Syllabus

## ECON 2301 (Online): Principles of Economics I

### Course Description

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### Course Objectives

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3. Define economic growth and identify sources of economic growth. Construct the aggregate demand and aggregate supply model of the macro economy and use it to illustrate the macroeconomic problems and potential fiscal policy solutions.
4. Define money and the money supply; describe the process of money creation by the banking system and the role of the central bank. Illustrate monetary policy solutions to macroeconomic problems.
5. Explain the mechanics and institutions of international trade and their impact on the macro economy.

4. Once the topic is open, use the Content navigation menu to move back/forward through topics (1), create bookmarks (2). Use the drop-down menu next to the topic's name to leave feedback on the topic, or to download it (3).

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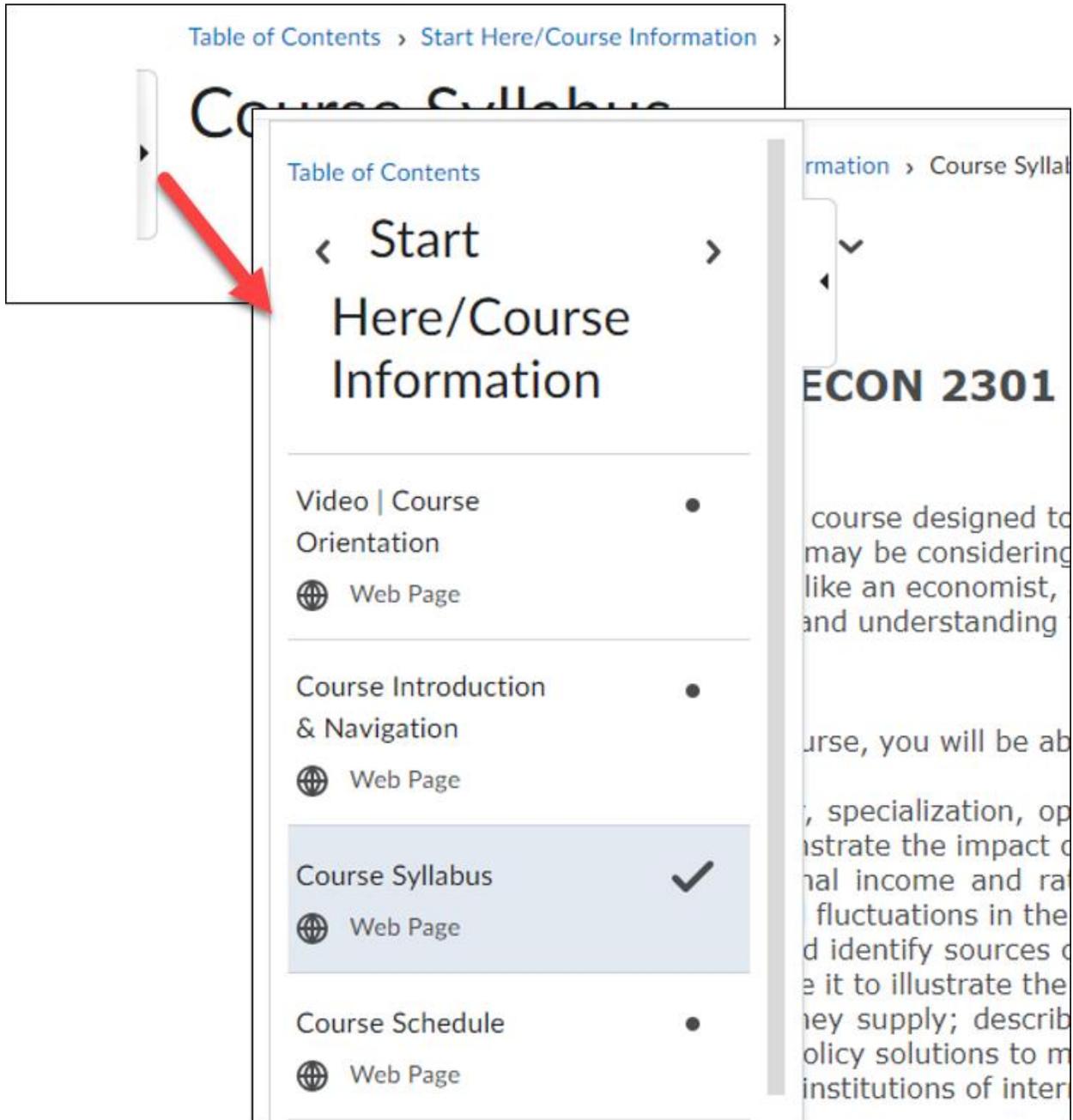
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5. Use the Side Panel (when viewing a topic) to jump quickly to another topic. Use the previous or next arrows to navigate between modules.



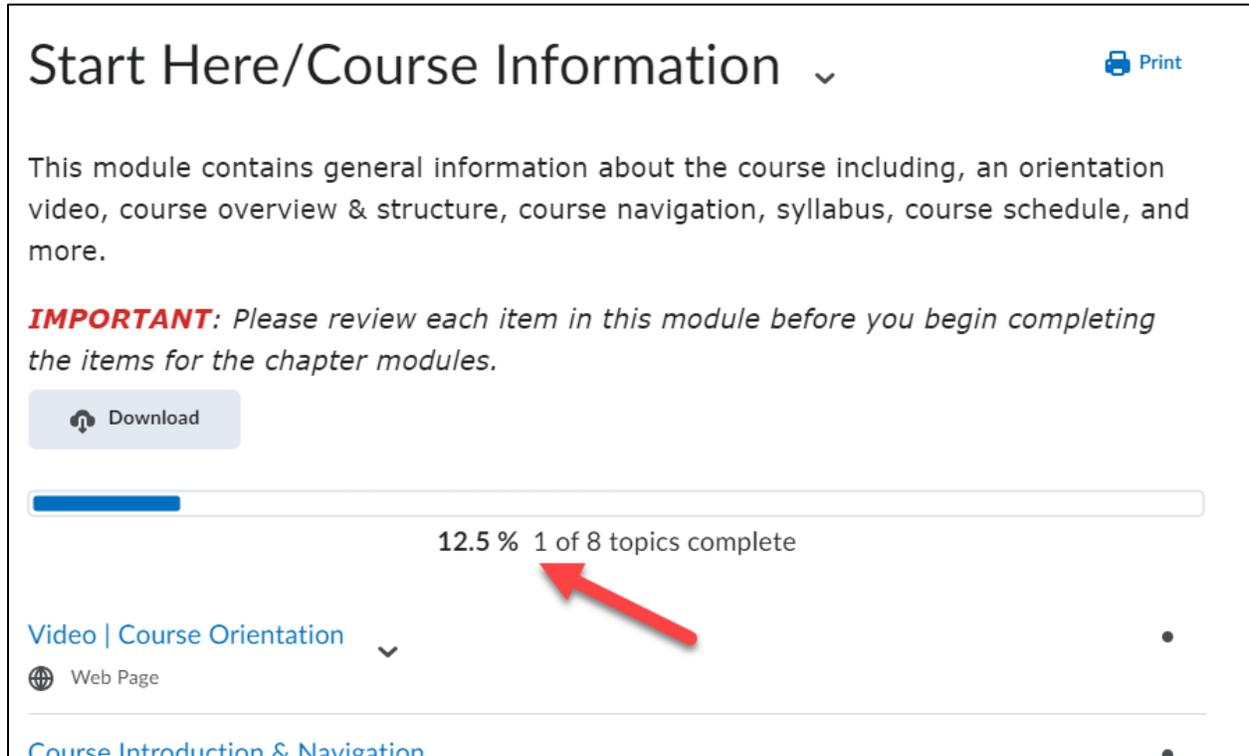
6. If you need to print a topic, click on the Print button located near the bottom of the page.



## Progress Tracking

If applicable, D2L will keep track of the number of topics you have viewed in the content section of the course.

The progress bar shows your completion rate towards viewing all topics within a module.



The screenshot shows a course module titled "Start Here/Course Information" with a "Print" button in the top right. Below the title is a paragraph of introductory text. A red **IMPORTANT** notice follows, advising students to review items before completing chapter modules. A "Download" button is visible. A progress bar indicates "12.5 % 1 of 8 topics complete". Below the bar is a list of topics: "Video | Course Orientation" (marked as complete with a dot) and "Course Introduction & Navigation" (marked as incomplete with a dot). A red arrow points to the "1 of 8 topics complete" text.

## There are two types of tracking:

### Automatic Tracking

Any topic you have not visited will be marked as incomplete (until you view it).



The screenshot shows the same course module page as above. The "Video | Course Orientation" topic is now marked as complete with a dot, and the "Course Introduction & Navigation" topic is marked as incomplete with a dot. A red arrow points to the dot next to "Video | Course Orientation".

## Manual Tracking

If your instructor chooses to use manual tracking, you will need to manually check completed for any topic you view and/or complete. To do so click the completion box next to content topic to mark it as completed.

**Unit 2 Quiz**

 Quiz

 Starts Jul 6, 2023 12:01 AM Ends Jul 31, 2023 11:59 PM

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