

How do I set a Front Page in a course?

The Course Home Page is the first view your students will see when they enter your course. For the Course Home Page, you can customize a page from your course Pages and have it display as the Course Home Page.

If you want to [change the Course Home Page](#) to a custom page, you must first set the page as the Front Page. The Front Page is a designation that shows Canvas which page can be used for the Course Home Page. Use this page to show a welcome message, links, images, or other information for students.

Notes:

- Before setting the Front Page, the page must be published.
- You can edit the Front Page, set a different page as the Front Page, or remove the Front Page.
- Before setting a Front page, the Pages link in Course Navigation will open to the Pages Index. However, once you have selected a Front Page, the Pages link will always open to the Front Page. To return to the [Pages Index](#), click the **View All Pages** button.
- The Pages Front Page can also be set to display [recent course announcements](#).

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Open Pages

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In Course Navigation, click the **Pages** link.

View All Pages

[View All Pages](#)

If a front page has been selected previously, it will display.

To view a list of all course pages, click the **View All Pages** button.

Set Front Page in Pages List

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Locate your published page that you want to set as your Front Page [1]. Click the **Options** icon [2] and select the **Use as Front Page** link [3].

View Front Page

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The Front Page will be indicated by a gray **Front Page** tag [1].

You can change the Front Page to any other page in the course by selecting the page **Options** icon [2].

Set Front Page in Individual Page

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You can also set a page as the Front Page from any individual page in your course. Click the name of any published page that you want to set as your front page.

Use as Front Page

Click Settings Icon

Click the **Options** icon [1] and select the **Use as Front Page** link [2].

Remove Front Page

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To remove the Front Page, locate the page labeled with a **Front Page** tag [1]. Click the **Options** icon [2] and select the **Remove as Front Page** option [3].

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