NMU EduCat™ Course Homepage Overview

The EduCat screen contains boxes in a three column layout with a navigation menu on the left. The other boxes in the left and right columns are referred to as “Blocks,” and the boxes in the center column are referred to as “Sections.” Course content is organized in the center column using a topic or weekly outline.

- **Bread Crumb Trail**: Indicates your current location in the course - used for navigation.
- **Corsge Icon**: Used for course administration. Here you will find links to change overall course settings as well as setup your gradebook, question bank, and student groups.
- **Course Title and Section Information**: Details about the course and section.
- **Latest Announcements**: Lists the most recent items from the “Announcements” forum. As you add more announcements, the “Latest Announcements” block is automatically updated to display the most recent items.
- **Upcoming Events**: Lists items from your calendar, assignments, quizzes, and other items with associated dates. As you add more items to your calendar, the “Upcoming Events” block is automatically updated.
- **Activities**: Filters your course contents to only display links for the specific type of activity selected.
- **Week One - August 25-August 31**: Content for the first week of the course.

The “Navigation” menu can be used to access any of your courses by clicking on the course short name. The “Dashboard” sorts all of your courses into categories: “in progress,” “future,” and “past.” The “Grades” link will take you to the gradebook in this course. Students only see their own grade.