eLearning @ Manchester
What is Blackboard?

• Blackboard is an online learning system that you can use to view course material for any units that you are taking. It might be used to:
  - complete and submit coursework
  - monitor your progress using online tests and quizzes
  - communicate and collaborate with your lecturer or other students.

• How Blackboard is used will depend on your course.
My Manchester
my.manchester.ac.uk
Courses vs. Communities

**Courses**
- The ‘Course List’ shows the courses you are enrolled on.
- You may not see everything you are expecting to. Before asking for help, remember:
  - Any changes to your course enrolments may take up to 48 hours to be effected.
  - Second semester courses will not be available until 2017.
  - You will not see courses from the previous year.

**Communities**
- Programmes and other Organisations are listed in ‘My Communities’.
A view of Blackboard

This represents the standard course structure, although some courses may appear slightly different.
Some tools you may use

- Tests/Quizzes
- Discussion board
- Blogs
Turnitin can be used to:

**STUDENTS**
- Submit coursework
- View marks
- Read tutor feedback

**STAFF**
- Mark coursework online
- Give feedback
- Check for plagiarism

Not all courses will use Turnitin. Some may use other methods of online assessment.
Seeing your courses

Make sure you have completed IT sign-up and have a username and password: iam.manchester.ac.uk

If you can’t see the courses you expect to see you should check the Student System (on My Manchester)
Student System
Seeing your courses in Blackboard

If you are unable to see the expected course(s), you should contact your tutor. But please note the following conditions:

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Stay connected wherever you are by downloading iManchester to your Smartphone or Tablet

Learn more: www.manchester.ac.uk/student/gettingstarted/imanchester
Blackboard Mobile App

Access your Blackboard courses and notifications
Available through iManchester or through iTunes, Google Play etc
Getting Help

For general information on Blackboard and access to support information:

www.manchester.ac.uk/studentnet/blackboard

The IT Services web pages can help with connections, accessibility and details of the walk up help desks:

www.itservices.manchester.ac.uk/help