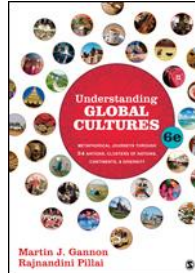


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Direct Links  
to Canvas



Available on-line in your  canvas folder at

s2022 [Canvas Modules](#)

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Using the

## Canvas Modules to keep track of your assignments

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# ***AVISO!***

**One of the main complaints regarding Canvas is that it is difficult to find and keep track of assignments.**

**Right now, before you do anything else, do this to fix that problem . . .**

**Go to your <sup>s2022</sup> "Modules"  Section**  
[click  here]

or use the Course Navigation Panel  
in your  **canvas** folder  
@ <http://canvas.umn.edu>  . . .

## **Canvas “Modules” Basics**

Your **“Home Page”** is the first Canvas page you see when you open your Canvas folder.

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The screenshot shows a Canvas LMS interface. On the left is a dark red navigation sidebar with icons for Account, Dashboard, Courses, Groups, Calendar, Inbox, History, Commons, and Help. The main content area has a white background. At the top, there is a 'Subject Index' with a grid of letters from A to Z. Below that is a large heading 'Welcome to Anthropology of Europe' followed by 'Greetings!' and several announcements: 'Canvas "Modules" and "Sunday Memos"', 'Using "Modules" to Keep Track of your Assignments', and 'Welcome to Anthropology of Europe Class!'. A photo of a man in a red jacket stands next to a gold sign that reads 'TIMHOTEL TOUR EIFFEL'. Below the photo is the caption 'Tim Roufs at the TimHotel Tour Eiffel, Paris' and a link 'Meet Your Professor' with a note 'Slides: ( pptx )'.

From your  **Home Page**,  
click on the **Modules** feature to start out . . .



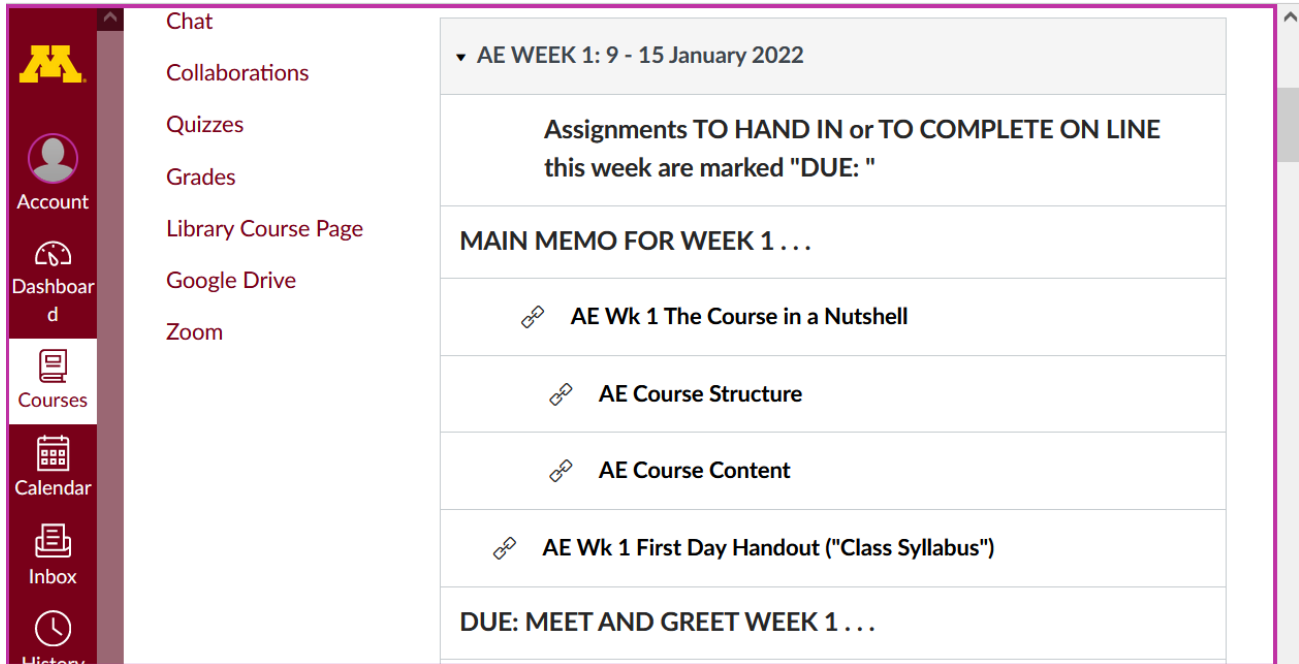
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... and that will take you to **your Modules folder**, which looks something like this ...



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## De-clutter Your Screen

To de-clutter your screen  
use the “Collapse All” feature in Modules . . .

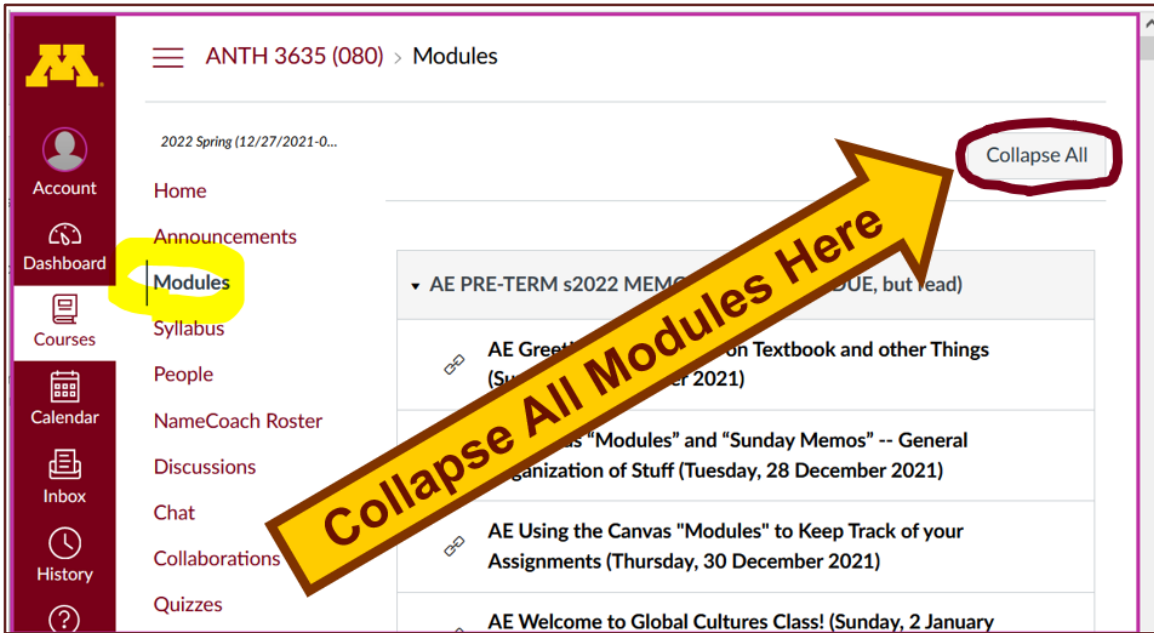
**It’s generally a good idea to collapse your Modules  
before each time you sign on to a specific week.**

**Doing that will make your life much easier!**

(Sorry but Canvas does not permit a default opening to Collapsed Folders.)



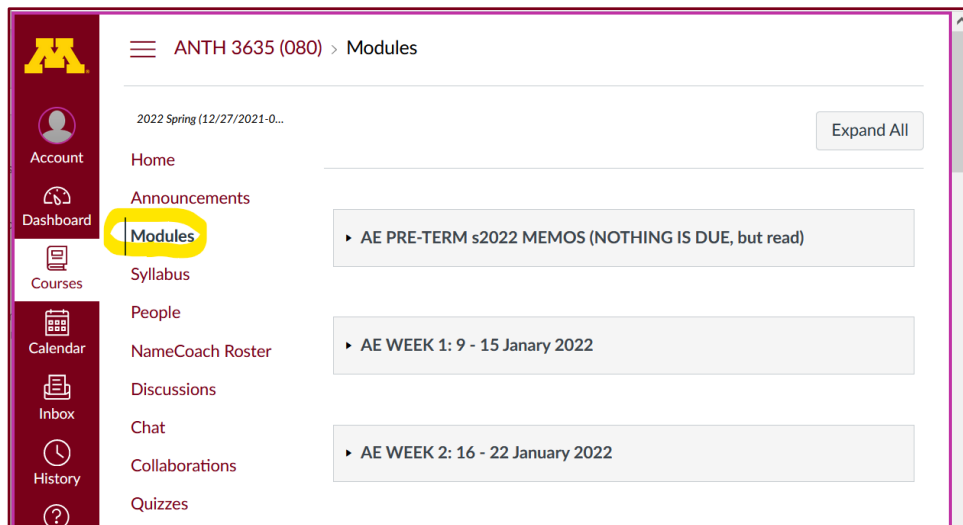
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And your de-cluttered Modules page will look like this . . .



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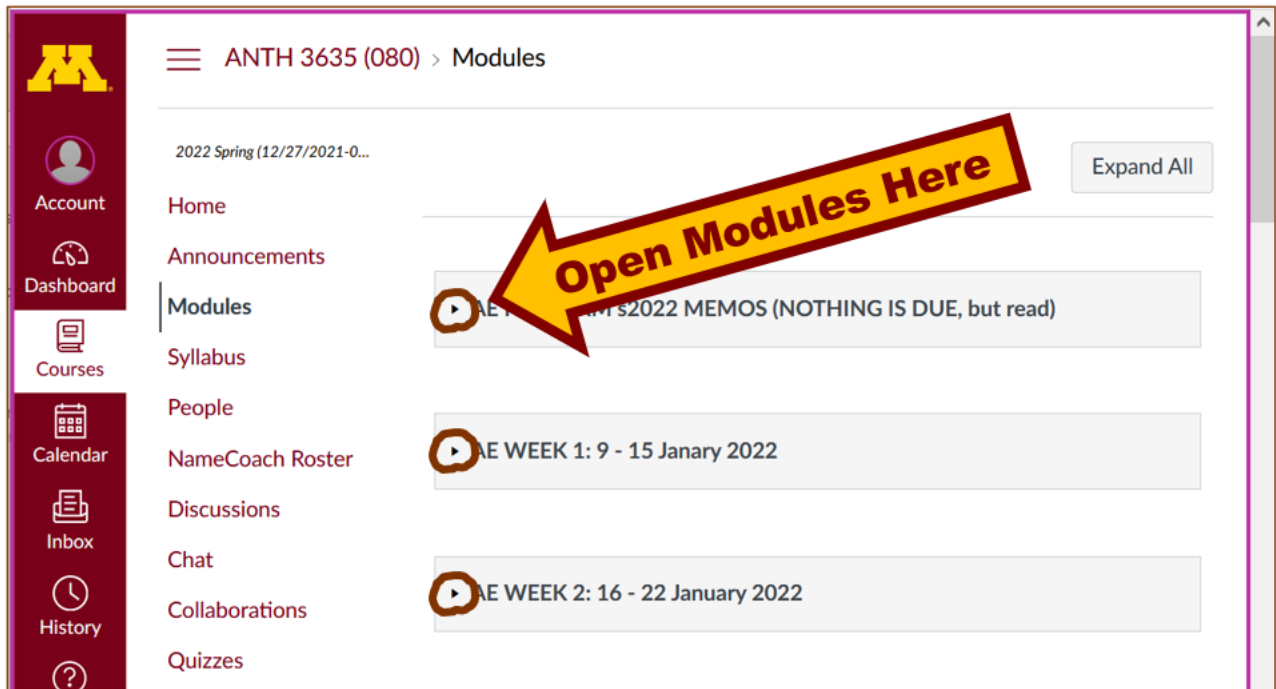


# How to Open Closed Modules

**Open each Module one-by-one** as you want to look at it . . .



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**And the open Modules will look something like this . . .**



(The first two weeks there is always a lot of information; after that it's not so bad.)

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## Other Helpful Canvas Information is Available

REM: The Canvas Student Guide / Overview / Tour can be very helpful.

**Student Guide** -- written guides with step-by-step instructions for Canvas tools [🔗](#)

**Canvas Student Overview** (6:47 min) [🔗](#)

## Questions / Comments

If you have any **questions or comments** right now, please do not hesitate to e-mail [troufs@d.umn.edu](mailto:troufs@d.umn.edu), or ZOOM <https://umn.zoom.us/my/troufs> (E-mail is fastest, and most generally best as quite often URLs need be sent.)



Best Wishes,

Tim Roufs

30 December 2021

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