

## Publishing your Course in Canvas

Before students can access a Canvas course it must be “Published” by the instructor. All online courses should be accessible to students at least 7 days in advance of the start date of the course

### Course Visibility:

- There are a number of levels at which course and content visibility applies.
  - 1) Published/Unpublished – Any item and any items subordinate to that item will not be visible to students unless it is published.
    - If a course is unpublished nothing in the course will be visible to students
    - If a Page is unpublished that page will not be visible.
    - If a Module is unpublished nothing in that module will be visible
    - If an item within a module is unpublished it will not be visible.

The “Canvas Instructor Orientation Course”, accessible through the Help Menu in Canvas, has a module on “Finalizing and Publishing Your Course”. Here is a direct link to the page which describes how to publish your course, and how to publish individual content.

[https://rosemont.instructure.com/courses/336/pages/publish-your-course-content?module\\_item\\_id=1936](https://rosemont.instructure.com/courses/336/pages/publish-your-course-content?module_item_id=1936)