Making Your Blackboard Course Available to Students

A course must be made available before students enrolled in the course will be able to view or access the course and its content. However, you may want to make a course unavailable during the building process or after a scheduled course has finished.

1. Enter the Blackboard course you want to make available.
2. On the Control Panel, expand the Customization section and click Properties.

- **Customization**
  - Enrollment Options
  - Guest and Observer Access
  - Properties
  - Quick Setup Guide
  - Teaching Style
  - Tool Availability

3. In the Set Availability section, click Yes or No.

4. Optionally, when making a course available, you can choose one of the following options in the Set Course Duration section:
   - **Continuous** (default) to leave the course available without a specified start or end date.
   - **Select Dates** to choose a start and/or end date. The start and end times are set automatically. The start time is midnight and the end time is 11:59:59.
     - You can alter these dates for specific course needs:

- **Days from the Date of Enrollment** to specify a specific length of time users have to access the course after enrolling. This is the best option for self-paced courses.
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