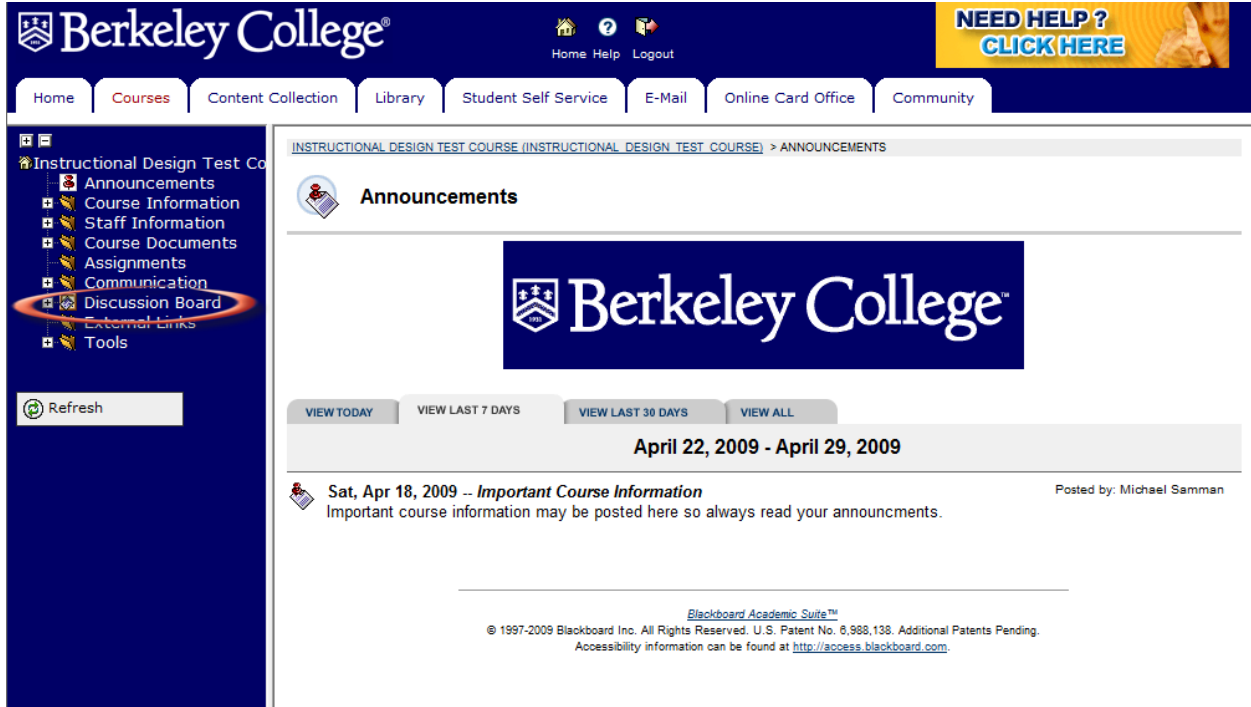


Using the Discussion Board Subscription Feature

Go to your Blackboard Course and click on the Discussion Board folder in the Navigation Panel.



The screenshot displays the Blackboard interface for a course. At the top, the Berkeley College logo is visible on the left, and navigation links for Home, Help, and Logout are in the center. A yellow banner on the right asks "NEED HELP? CLICK HERE". Below the top navigation is a secondary menu with links for Home, Courses, Content Collection, Library, Student Self Service, E-Mail, Online Card Office, and Community. The left navigation panel lists various course folders: Instructional Design Test Co, Announcements, Course Information, Staff Information, Course Documents, Assignments, Communication, Discussion Board (highlighted with a red circle), External Links, and Tools. A Refresh button is located below the navigation panel. The main content area shows the breadcrumb "INSTRUCTIONAL DESIGN TEST COURSE (INSTRUCTIONAL DESIGN TEST COURSE) > ANNOUNCEMENTS" and a heading "Announcements". A large Berkeley College logo is centered in the main area. Below the logo are tabs for "VIEW TODAY", "VIEW LAST 7 DAYS", "VIEW LAST 30 DAYS", and "VIEW ALL". A date range "April 22, 2009 - April 29, 2009" is displayed. A single announcement is shown, dated "Sat, Apr 18, 2009 -- Important Course Information", posted by Michael Samman. The announcement text reads: "Important course information may be posted here so always read your announcements." At the bottom, there is a copyright notice for Blackboard Academic Suite, dated 1997-2009, with a link to accessibility information.

Next: Click on a top level forum and enter a thread, select a post and click on the Subscribe icon. If there are any new posts in the thread you subscribed to you will be notified by email.

The screenshot shows the Berkeley College website interface. At the top, there is a navigation bar with the college logo and various utility links like Home, Courses, Content Collection, Library, Student Self Service, E-Mail, Online Card Office, and Community. A 'NEED HELP? CLICK HERE' button is also present. On the left, a sidebar menu lists categories such as Announcements, Course Information, Staff Information, Course Documents, Assignments, Communication, Discussion Board, External Links, and Tools. The main content area displays a 'Thread Detail' for a discussion board. The thread title is 'Post 1' and it has 5 total posts and 0 unread posts. A list of posts is shown with columns for checkboxes, subject lines, authors, and dates. The first post in the list is selected, indicated by a red arrow and the text 'First select a Post'. The 'Subscribe' button at the top of the thread is also highlighted with a red arrow and the text '2nd Click Subscribe'. Below the post list, the details for the selected post are shown, including the subject 'Post 1', author 'Student 01', posted date, last modified date, total views, and your views. The post content is 'Taking an online course is right for me.' At the bottom right, there is an 'OK' button.

INSTRUCTIONAL DESIGN TEST COURSE (INSTRUCTIONAL DESIGN TEST COURSE) > DISCUSSION BOARD > DISCUSSION BOARD.1 > THREAD DETAIL

Thread Detail

Collect Flag Clear Flag Mark Read Mark Unread **Subscribe** Search

Thread: [Post 1](#) Reply

Total posts: 5 Unread posts: 0

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Refresh Select All Go

Subject: Post 1 Reply Quote Set Flag

Author: Student 01
Posted date: Saturday, April 18, 2009 12:52:05 PM EDT
Last modified date: Saturday, April 18, 2009 12:52:05 PM EDT
Total views: 35 Your views: 30

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Overall rating: ☆☆☆

Taking an online course is right for me.

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