MBA AVENUE TO LEARN

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Teaching and Learning Services

A2L MAIN USE CASES IN MBA:

01 Content Delivery (E.g., lecture slides, recordings, and readings).

03 Quizzes/Exams + Assignment and Quiz grades/feedback.

02 Assignment information and dropboxes for submitting deliverables.

04 Communication via announcements and discussion boards.

HOW TO:

To access Avenue to Learn (A2L), please click on the **main Avenue link**. For any questions on how to find and use A2L features, please visit the comprehensive **Brightspace Learner Guides** as needed. The following highlighted guides can assist you with getting started in A2L. Before classes begin, please make sure to <u>find</u>, <u>pin</u>, and explore the <u>content</u> and structure for all of your A2L courses!

- **General Guide to A2L**: If you are a student that is new to Avenue to Learn or Brightspace and are looking for the basics to help you navigate through Avenue to Learn, then this documentation is for you.
- **Announcements Notifications**: You can sign up to receive immediate text or email notifications when new and updated Announcements items appear. This ensures you don't miss any important notices!
- **Submit an Assignment**: The Assignments tool enables you to submit assignments in A2L, eliminating the need to email your work to instructors. Simply upload your submission to the appropriate dropbox.
- **Take a Quiz**: Use the Quizzes tool to take a quiz and review your quiz results (if they're made available).
- **View your Grades**: Use the Grades tool on the navbar to check your grades on assignments and tests. You can see your individual grades, as well as the grade formula used to evaluate you.
- **Discussion Threads and Replies**: The Discussions tool is a collaboration area to post, read and reply to threads on different topics, share thoughts about course materials, ask questions, share files, or work with your peers on assignments and homework.
- **Calendar Tool**: Use the Calendar tool to arrange and visualize course events in multiple views and enable integration of course content and your Calendar.

A2L SUPPORT AND GENERAL UTS SERVICES:

University Technology Services (UTS) supports a range of technologies at McMaster University. For extra information on A2L support and UTS-supported technologies, please visit the **UTS Student Catalogue** and make sure you check out these **Top Tech Tips for McMaster Students**. For questions related to your specific A2L course content, please email your instructor and/or TA (as per the course outline instructions).