When you logon to D2L and click on one of your courses you will be sent to the course home page. There are two main components areas on this page to emphasize the navigation bar and the organizational widgets on this page. In order to maintain consistency this page will not be editable by each instructor.

**Course Home (1):** This link will take redirect you back to the course home page, which is similar to the example above.

**Assessments (2):** This menu lists all the items classified as assessments and provides a quick link to those tools.
Communication (3): This menu lists all the items classified as communication tools and provides a quick link to those tools.

Resources (4): This menu lists all the items classified as resources and provides a quick link to those tools.

Edit Course (5 or 14): This link takes you to all the tools you have as an instructor to edit the course from creating content to viewing classlists (rosters), Grades, etc.

ePortfolio (6): This link provides access to the ePortfolio tool (both your own and ePortfolios shared with you).

Admin Tools (7): This link provides access to tools that apply to your account (rather than individual courses), such as Competencies and ePortfolio tools.

Help (8): This link opens the Desire2Learn Resource Center in its own window. Click the Learning Environment link at the top of the window to display the instructor-level help guides.

Course Updates (9): This tool provides you information such as ungraded quizzes, new forum posts, new drop box submissions, etc.

Course News (10): This tool allows you to post course news.

Course Content Browser (11): This section presents content modules in your course. You can access the content of a specific item by clicking the link to it.

Tasks (12): This tool allows you to make a task list for yourself.

Bookmarks (13): This tool allows you to bookmark specific course content in D2L.

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Role Switch (15): This tool allows you to switch your role temporarily to a student view.