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[Tim Roufs](#), Brisbane, Australia, 2017

**Class officially starts on Monday, 28 August 2023.**

## Canvas “Modules” and “Sunday Memos”

(General organization of stuff)

**1.0 What's  
Happening?**

**“Sunday Memos”**

**5.0 Other  
Assignments**

**9.0 (optional)  
For Fun Trivia**

**(optional)  
Live Chat  
Tuesday 7:00-8:00  
p.m.**

**Canvas  
“Modules” vs.  
“Sunday  
Memos”**

**2.0 Video  
Explorations**

**6.0 \*Exams**

**10.0 (optional)  
Extra Credit**

**(optional)  
Questions /  
Comments**

**Open Closed  
Module of the  
Week**

**3.0 Slides**

**7.0 Project**

**11.0 (optional)  
Other**


**Canvas  
Modules**

**“Simple Syllabus”**

**De-clutter  
Your Screen**

**4.0 Textbooks**

**8.0 Discussion**

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**Items DUE this week:**  
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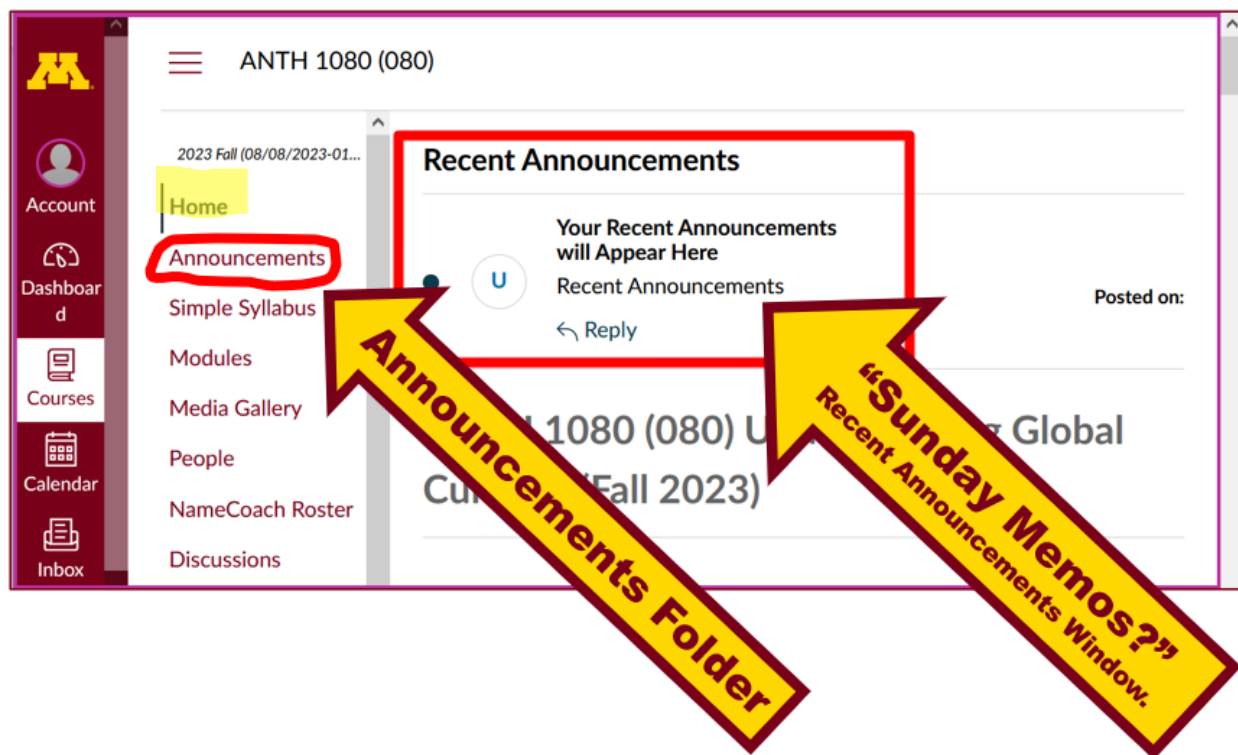
# “Sunday Memos”

The “**Sunday Memos**” are .pdf memos, like this one, that arrive by e-mail (usually, as you might expect, on Sunday).

*And* they are also featured each week in the “Recent Announcements” section at the top of your Canvas “Home Page” and in your “Announcements” folder (where Canvas keeps all of the past Announcements).

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When the semester starts the links on the memos will be “hot” (active) and they will take you to more detailed information.



It’s fine for you to select the items that interest you most from each of the “Sunday Memos” (including this one).

You do not have to read them from beginning to end.

They start with links that take you directly to the part(s) that you might be interested in.

Your “Sunday Memos” look like this . . .

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Direct Links to Canvas

Tim Roufs Inspecting Durians in Singapore Market, 2017

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Welcome!

General Information on Getting Started

1.0 <u>What's Happening?</u> Meet and Greet	2.0 <u>Video Explorations</u>	3.0 <u>Slides</u>	4.0 <u>Readings</u> Semester Readings
* 5.0 <u>Other Assignments</u> 9.0 (optional) <u>For Fun Trivia</u> (optional) <u>Live Chat</u> Tuesday 7:00-8:00 p.m.	6.0 * <u>Midterm Exams</u> 10.0 (optional) <u>Extra Credit</u> (optional) <u>Questions / Comments</u>	7.0 <u>Project</u> 11.0 (optional) <u>Other</u> "Simple Syllabus"	* 8.0 <u>Discussion</u> click links for details = leave page Items DUE this week: *enter on-line **upload file



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Anthropology of Food, Week 1, page 2

## 1.0 What’s Happening Week 1?

This week we’re off to have a look at food and culture around the world. It will be a savory adventure. This week we’ll also take a few minutes to get to know one another, and ourselves, and get to know how the course is set up and operates.

**New at UMD this year . . .  
Give it a try.**

**Canvas Simple Syllabus** (URL) t2023

**Canvas Simple Syllabus** (.pdf) t2023

**Pre-term Memos . . .**

**If you haven’t read the**

**“Greetings” Memo**  
(Textbooks)  
of Sunday, 13 August 2023

**my “Canvas ‘Modules’ / ‘Sunday Memos’”**  
(General Organization of Stuff)  
Memo of Wednesday, 16 August 2023

**and my “Using the Canvas Modules – REVIEW” Memo**  
(skip if you are comfortable using Canvas “Modules”)  
of Friday, 18 August 2023

**and the “Welcome” Memo**  
of Sunday, 20 August 2023

**please do that as they contain useful and important information  
about the course that will make your life much easier.**

**These are not required reading,  
but it would be a good idea to read them anyway.**

(That’s a lot of stuff to read, but the “stuff” lightens up after next week.)

and



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Anthropology of Food, Week 1, page 3

**Compare this “Sunday Memo” with your Canvas “Week 1 Module”**

Week 1 “Sunday Memo”



Week 1  canvas Module 1



**These are the two things to focus on for Week 1.**

**The **Canvas Module** is the basic course management platform,**

**the **Sunday Memo** contains more detailed information.**

# Canvas “Modules”

Access Your Canvas **Modules** here . . .



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...and that will take you to **your Modules folder** . . .

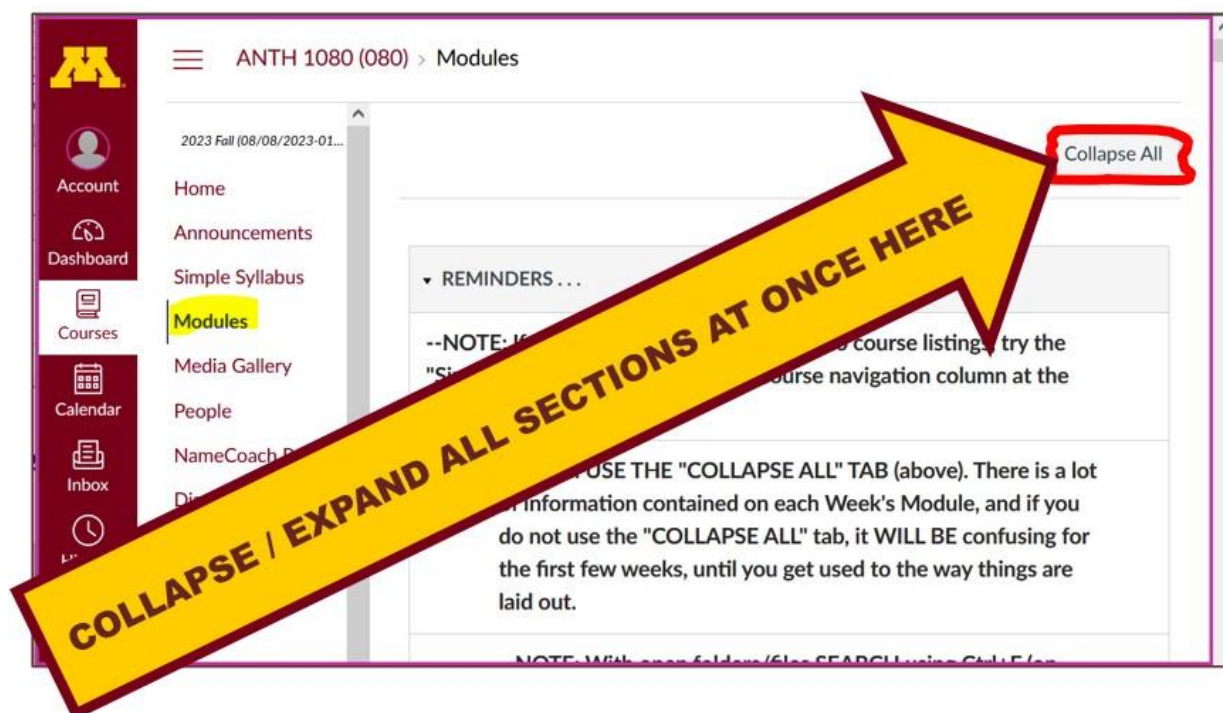
If you like a clean-looking page . . .

**click on the “Collapse All” button in the upper right-hand corner of your Modules folder to de-clutter your screen.**

That will make your life *much* easier.  
(Trust me.)

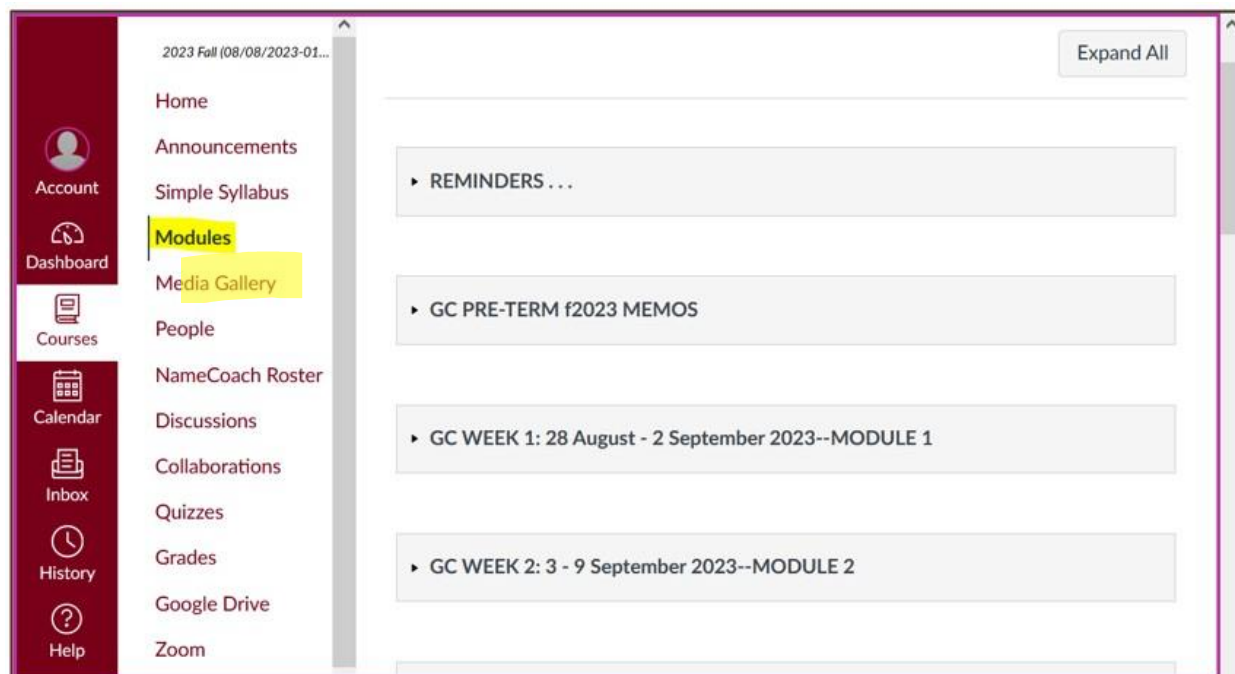
(Sorry; Canvas does not permit instructors to set the default to open with all modules closed.)

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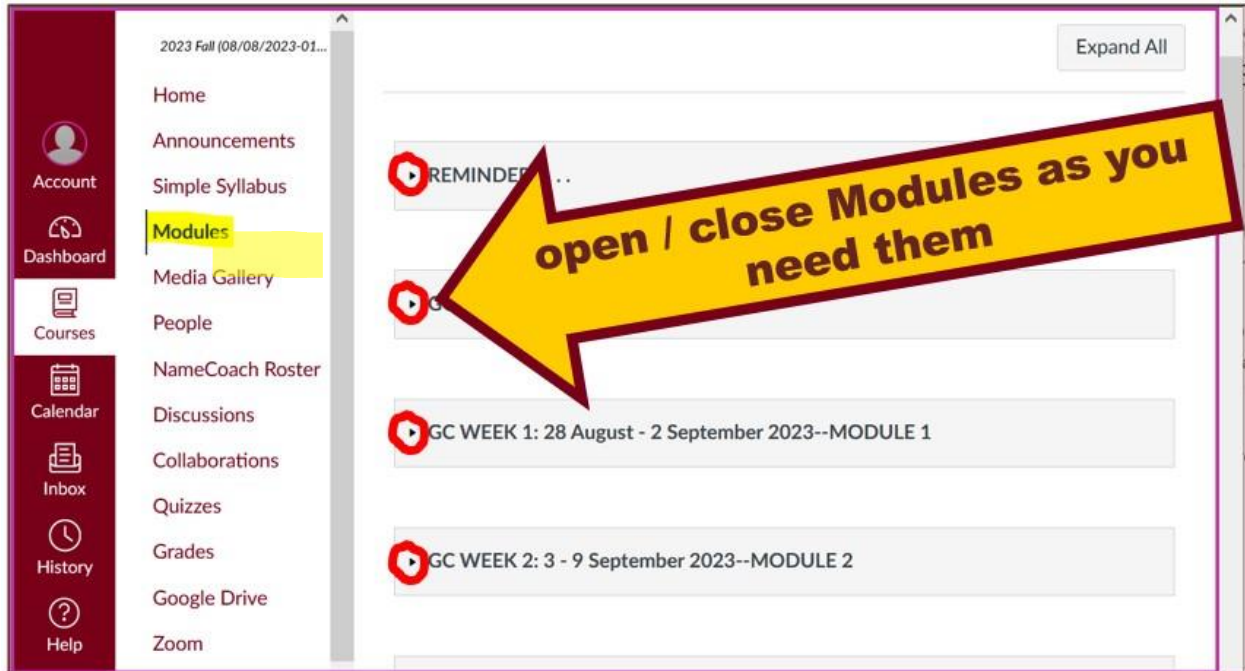
Your de-cluttered Canvas “**Modules**” folder will then look something like this . . . :

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## Then open the Module of the week that you want to look at . . . :

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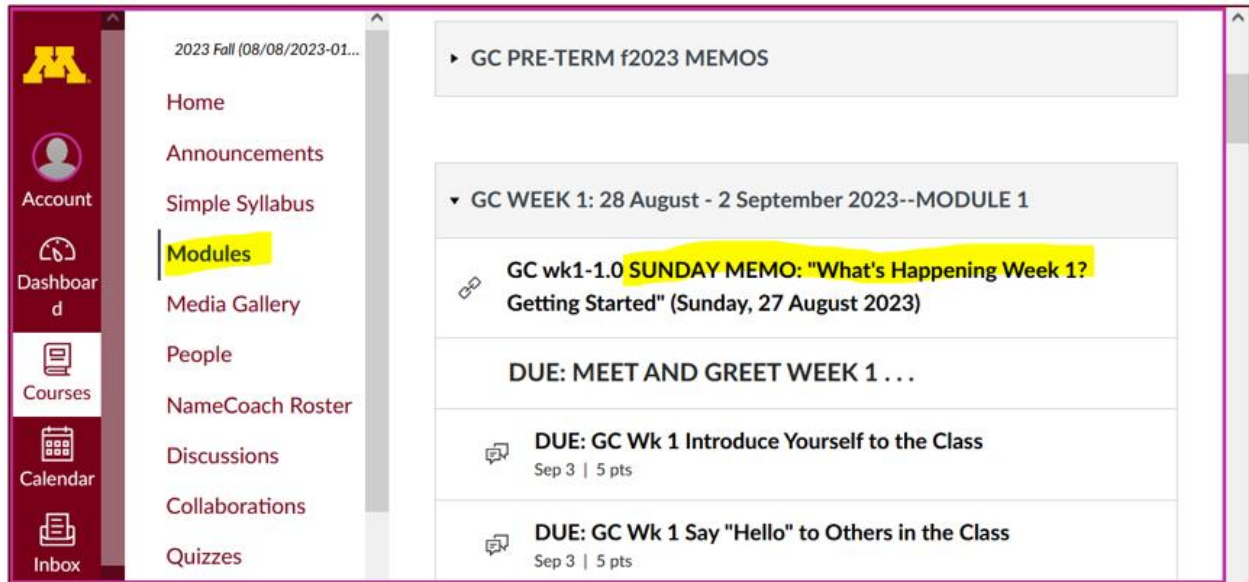
# VOILA!

**Your open Canvas Week’s Modules  
will look something like this . . .**

(The first two weeks there is always a lot of information.  
After that, it’s not so bad.)



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## Canvas “Modules” vs. “Sunday Memos”

Both the **Canvas Modules** and the **“Sunday Memos”** . . . contain the basic information, but the “Sunday Memos” have more detail, some background, some studying suggestions, and, generally, some good images.

You will see.

Both the **Canvas Modules** and the **“Sunday Memos”** . . . follow the same basic outline.



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Week 1 “Sunday Memo”

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<a href="#">*5.0 Other Assignments</a>	<a href="#">10.0 (optional) Extra Credit</a>	<a href="#">11.0 (optional) Other</a>	<a href="#">click links for details</a> <a href="#">= leave page</a>
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<a href="#">(optional) Live Chat</a> Tuesday 7:00-8:00 p.m.			

Week 1 canvas Module 1

▼ AF WEEK 1: 28 August - 2 September 2023--MODULE 1

Assignments TO HAND IN or TO COMPLETE ON LINE this week are marked "DUE" [Search for "DUE" using Ctrl+F, or Command + F on Mac]

AF wk1-1.0 "What's happening?" ("SUNDAY MEMO") . . .

- AF Memo: What's Happening Week 1? -- Getting Started (Sunday, 28 August 2023)
- AF First-Day Handout
- AF The Course In a Nutshell
- AF Course Structure

All of the weeks will follow **an outline** like this . . .



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▼ CANVAS MODULE -- Weekly Outline AF
AF wk1-1.0 "What's happening?" ("SUNDAY MEMO") . . . (Week's Highlights, and General Comments and Background)
<a href="#">AF Memo: What's Happening Week 1? -- Getting Started</a>
AF wk1-2.0 VIDEO EXPLORATIONS . . .
<a href="#">(optional) AF List of VIDEOS for the Entire Seseession (useful for reviewing for the exams)</a>
AF wk1-3.0 SLIDES . . .
<a href="#">(optional) AF List of SLIDES for the Entire Seseession (useful for reviewing for the exams)</a>
AF wk1-4.0 READINGS . . .
<a href="#">(optional) AF List of READINGS for the Entire Session (useful for reviewing for the exams)</a>
AF wk1-5.0 DUE: OTHER ASSIGNMENT INFORMATION . . .
<a href="#">AF Due Dates for Main Items</a>
AF wk1-6.0 EXAM INFORMATION . . .
AF wk1-7.0 PROJECT INFORMATION . . .
AF wk1-8.0 DISCUSSION . . .
AF wk1-9.0 (optional) FOR FUN TRIVIA . . .
AF wk1-10.0 (optional) EXTRA CREDIT . . . also check Home Page "Anouncements" . . .
AF wk1-11.0 OTHER (optional)

These are the information categories **for the semester . . . .**

**Not all weeks have all of this information.**

For e.g., “Midterm Exam Information . . .” appears only at the relevant point in the semester.

Try the  canvas **“Simple Syllabus”** for a first look . . .

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f2023 [Canvas Simple Syllabus](#) (URL)

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## Questions / Comments

If you have any **questions or comments** right now, please do not hesitate to post them on the  canvas “Discussions”, or e-mail [troufs@d.umn.edu](mailto:troufs@d.umn.edu), or ZOOM <https://umn.zoom.us/my/troufs> (E-mail is fastest, and most generally best as quite often URLs need be sent.)

Best Wishes,

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