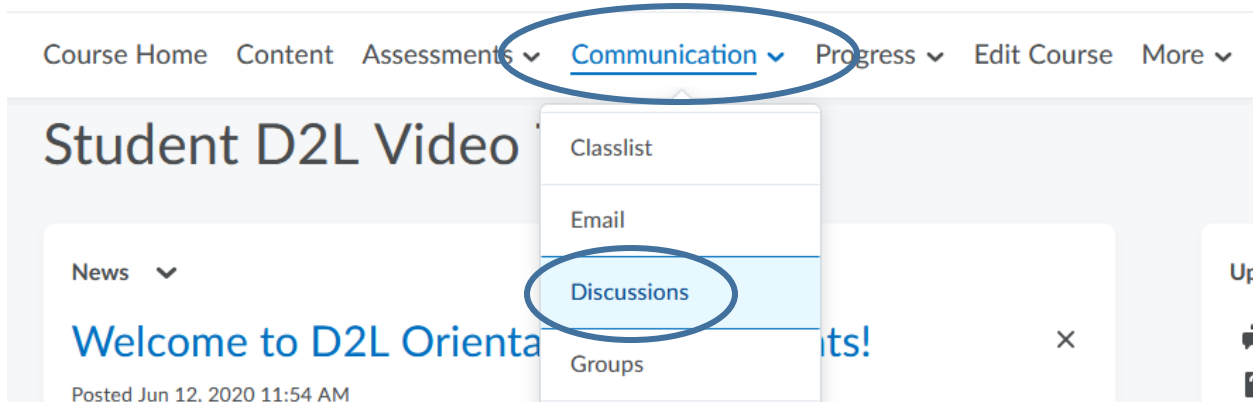



# Discussions

From your course home menu, click on **Communication** and then **Discussions**.



From here, you will see your forum and the topics within them.

## Student Orientation Practice Discussion ▾

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<b>Practice Discussion</b> ▾ This Discussion Topic will allow you to practice posting a discussion. Click "Start a New Thread" and introduce yourself! <i>Please note</i> - this is for practice only, if you have any questions for us, please email <a href="mailto:d2lhelp@msutexas.edu">d2lhelp@msutexas.edu</a> .	1	1 (1)	 Student Maxwell May 20 at 4:42 PM
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Click on a **topic name** to view and reply to threads. For this example, I clicked on Practice Discussion.

To reply to a thread, click on the **title of the post** and then click **Reply to Tread**.

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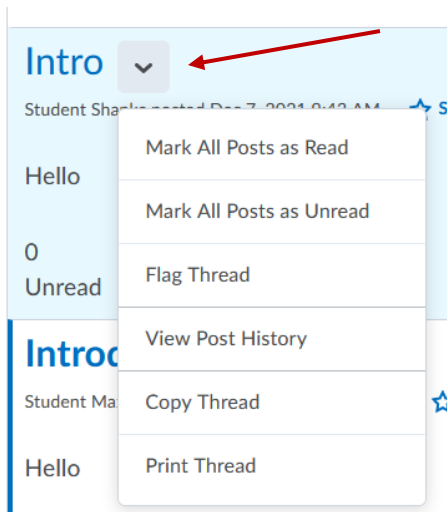
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You will enter a **title** and **the body** of your thread. You can check **Subscribe to this thread** if you want update notifications about your thread. You can **add attachments** via a file or recordings. You can save your thread as a **draft** to come back to later or click **Post** once finished.

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The screenshot shows a thread creation interface. At the top is a text input field labeled "Enter a subject". Below it is a rich text editor toolbar with options for Paragraph, Bold (B), Italic (I), Underline (U), Text Color (A), Bulleted List, Numbered List, Link, Unlink, Table, and a plus sign for more options. The font is set to Lato (Recom...) and the size is 19px. Below the editor is a checkbox labeled "Subscribe to this thread" which is checked. Underneath is a section titled "Hide attachments" containing a dashed box with the text "Drop files here, or click below!". Inside this box are three buttons: "Upload", "Record" (with a dropdown arrow), and "Choose Existing". At the bottom of the form are three buttons: "Post" (highlighted with a blue circle), "Save as Draft", and "Cancel". Red arrows point to the subject field, the rich text editor toolbar, the "Subscribe to this thread" checkbox, and the "Record" button.

The **drop down arrow** next to a posts name will give you variety of options to choose.



To subscribe to any topic or the entire forum, click the [subscribe](#) button.



A pop up will appear that will give you different notification options to choose from. Pick whichever you prefer and click [Subscribe](#).

A screenshot of a "Customize Notifications" dialog box. The title is "Customize Notifications" with a close button (X) in the top right. Below the title, it says "Customize notifications for the discussion thread 'Intro'." Under "Notification Method", there are three radio button options: "Show notifications in minibar only", "Send me an instant notification" (which is selected), and "Include in my summary of activity". Below this, it says "Emails will be sent to" followed by a list of email addresses. At the bottom, there are two buttons: "Subscribe" (blue) and "Cancel" (grey). A scrollbar is visible on the right side of the dialog box.

The star will turn blue once subscribed.

