

## Activate the High Contrast Color Setting

### Overview

This tutorial will show you how to activate the **High Contrast Color Setting**. The High Contrast Color Setting overwrites Blackboard themes and styles to deliver a more accessible user experience for individuals with visual impairments by increasing the contrast between backgrounds, icons, and text.

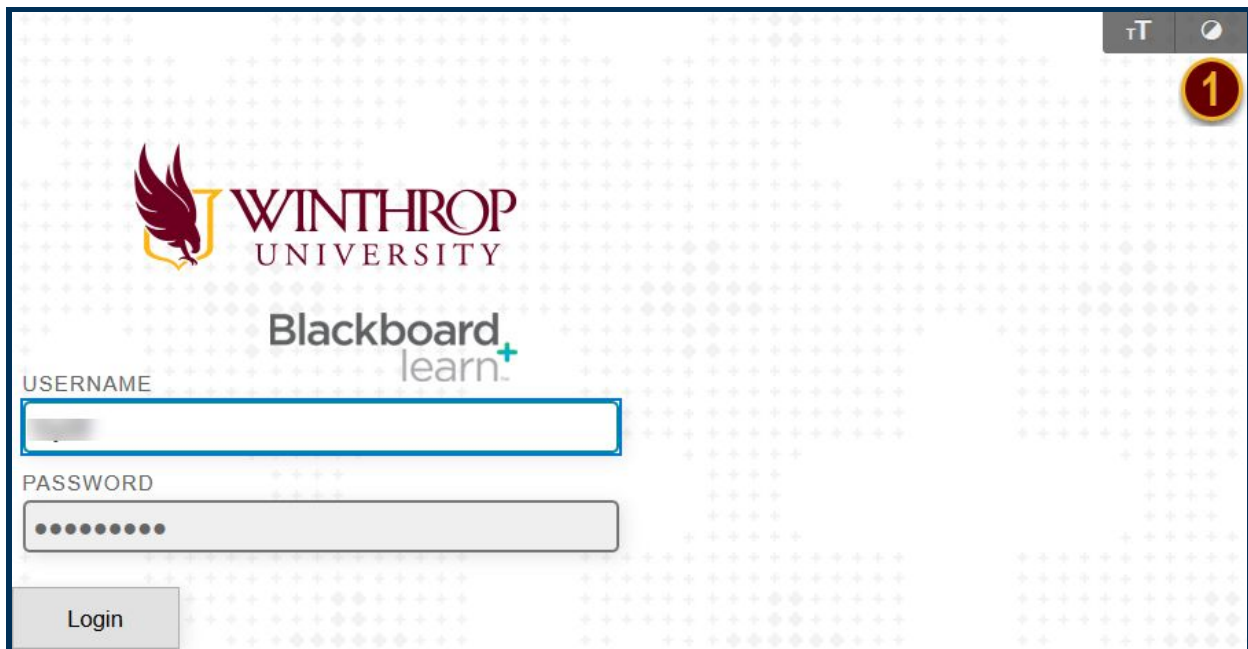
### Before Logging in to Blackboard

#### Quick Steps

Blackboard Login page > High Contrast Icon > "Yes" option > Submit

#### Step 1

Click on the High Contrast Icon [1] on the Blackboard Login page.



#### Step 2

The High Contrast Setting page will open in a new window. Select the radio button, "Yes, I will use Operating System styles to overwrite Blackboard styles" [2].

### High Contrast Setting

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**CONTRAST**

**2** *Indicate whether you will use your operating system's High Contrast settings.*

Yes, I will use Operating System styles to overwrite Blackboard styles

No, I will use Blackboard styles

*Click **Submit** to proceed.*

**Cancel** **Submit**

### Step 3

Click the *Submit* button.

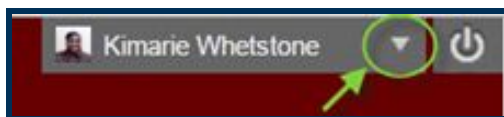
## After Logging in to Blackboard

### Quick Steps

Global Navigation Menu > Settings > High Contrast Setting > “Yes” option > Submit

### Step 1

Open the Global Navigation Menu by using the dropdown arrow following your name.



### Step 2

From the Global Navigation Menu, select the *Settings* tab [3].



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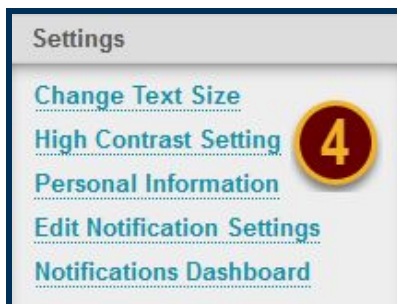
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Settings **3**

Home ?

### Step 3

Click *High Contrast Setting* [4].



Settings

- [Change Text Size](#)
- [High Contrast Setting \*\*4\*\*](#)
- [Personal Information](#)
- [Edit Notification Settings](#)
- [Notifications Dashboard](#)

#### Step 4

The High Contrast Setting page will open in a new window. Select the radio button, "Yes, I will use Operating System styles to overwrite Blackboard styles" [5].

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**CONTRAST**

**5** *Click whether you will use your operating system's High Contrast settings.*

Yes, I will use Operating System styles to overwrite Blackboard styles

No, I will use Blackboard styles

*Click **Submit** to proceed.*

**Cancel** **Submit**

#### Step 5

Click the *Submit* button.