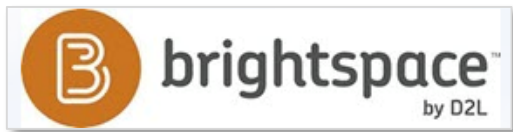# Accessing the Brightspace Learning Environment

To access your Brightspace learning environment, you will need to log into Xpress.

Your MyNICC Dashboard will display the Brightspace logo at the top right side of the page. Click on the image to access Brightspace.

Once in Brightspace, course links will be available in the My Courses area.

Note: Use the Select Semester button to view your courses in a specific semester.

Course links will not become visible until 7 days prior to the start date of the course.

The course link will not be active until the first day of the course. You will not be able to enter your course until this day.

The day and time that the course begins will appear directly under the course link.

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Note: Course access starts Jan 10, 2016 11:00 PM