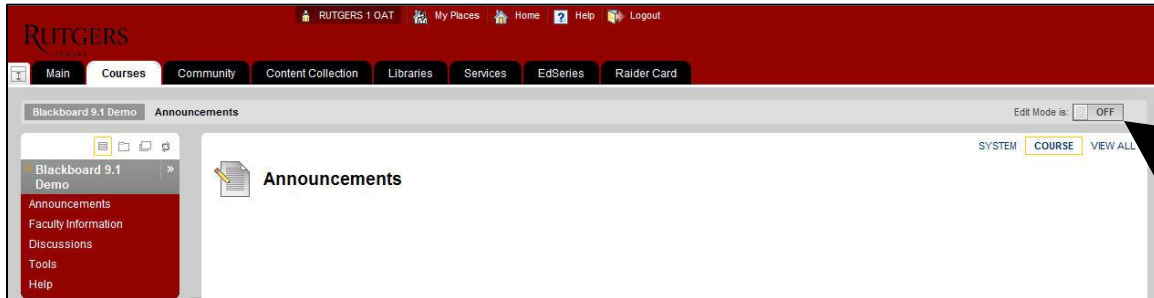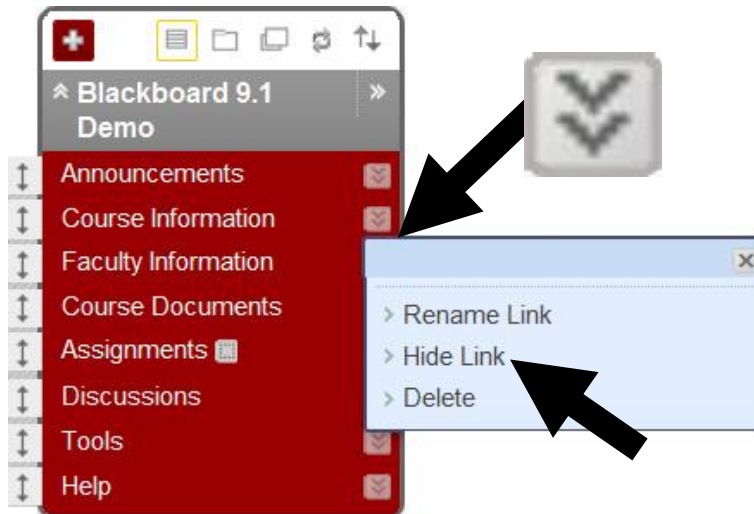# Hiding an Area from the Course Menu

Each course is provided with a default course menu which can then be customized by the instructor. However, you may not want your students to see all of the areas in the course right away. For example, if you are using Units in your course menu you may only want your students to access the current units.

- Change **Edit Mode** to **On** if it is not already by clicking on the option at the top right of the window.

- Click on the **Contextual Menu** (double arrow) to the right of the menu and select **Hide Link**.

- The window will refresh and then you will see an icon (square with a slash through it) to the right of the menu area indicating that the area is not visible to students. The empty square indicates that there is no content in the menu area.