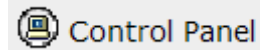


***Pronto* Management**

Pronto is instant messaging/texting software. This document shows how to deactivate or activate the software. The ***Pronto*** software is active in all courses. Instructors can manage the use of the software in their courses.

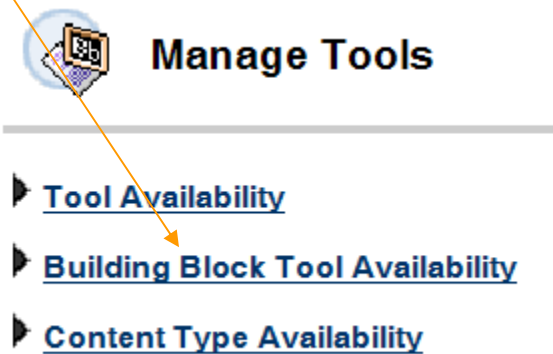
Select the **Control Panel** link from the left pane in the course menu.



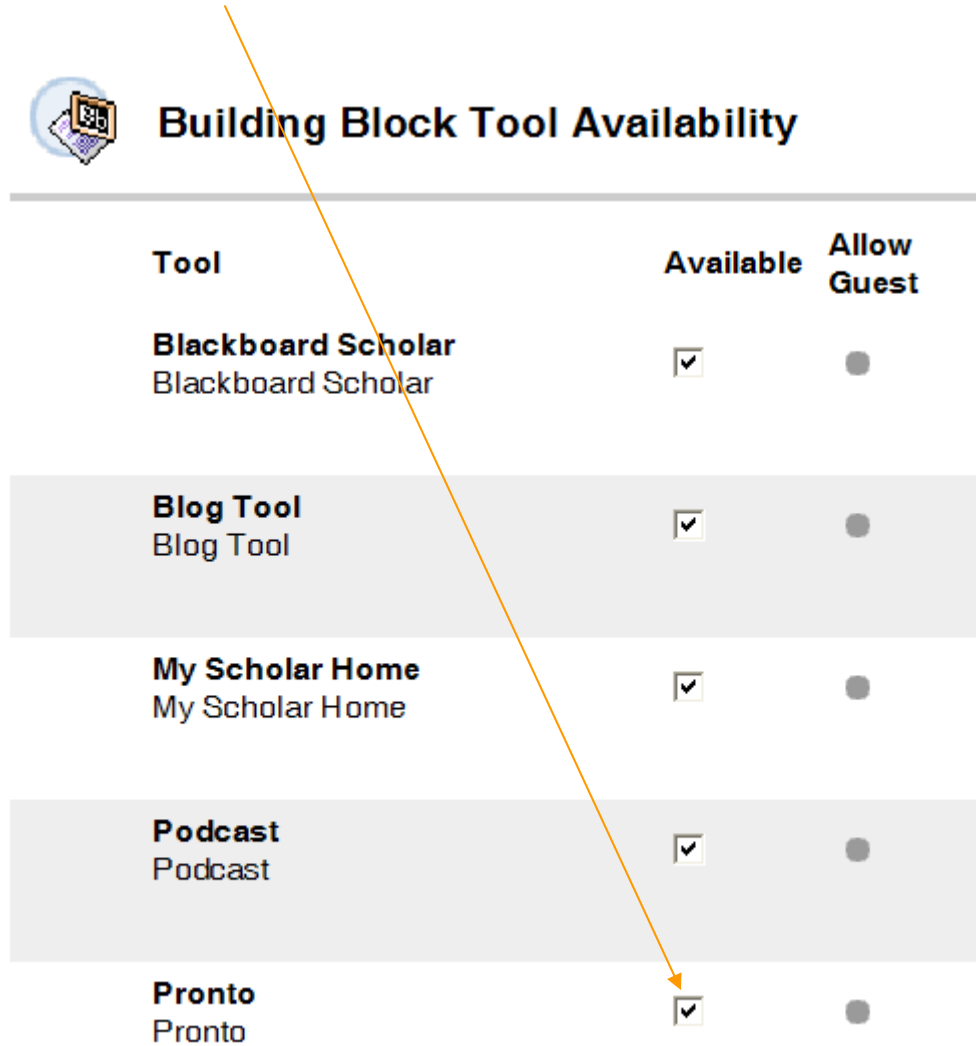
From the **Course Options**, section of the Control Panel, Select **Manage Tools**.



Select **Building Block Tool Availability**



Locate the **Pronto** Building Block and “uncheck” it. Click **Submit** at the bottom of the page.



The image shows a table titled "Building Block Tool Availability" with three columns: "Tool", "Available", and "Allow Guest". The table lists five tools: Blackboard Scholar, Blog Tool, My Scholar Home, Podcast, and Pronto. Each tool has a checked checkbox in the "Available" column and an unchecked radio button in the "Allow Guest" column. An orange arrow points from the text above to the "Available" checkbox of the "Pronto" row.

Tool	Available	Allow Guest
Blackboard Scholar Blackboard Scholar	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Blog Tool Blog Tool	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="radio"/>
My Scholar Home My Scholar Home	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Podcast Podcast	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Pronto Pronto	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="radio"/>

To turn on **Pronto** for your course, check the Pronto Building Block above.