

# How do I sign up for a Canvas web account as a parent?

Parents can create a Canvas account that will link to their student's account so they can see assignment due dates, announcements, and other course content.

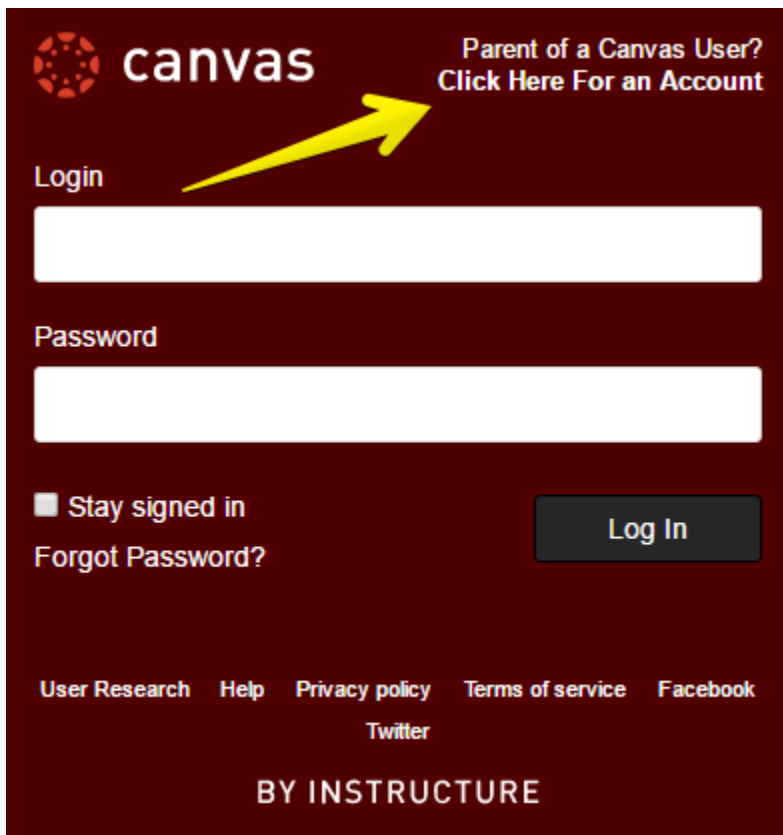
## Note:

- Parents can view student information through the Canvas Parent app also, though Canvas Parent accounts are separate from web accounts created in Canvas. Click [HERE](#) for directions on using the Canvas Parent App. Please be aware that this Parent App is still in beta and does not provide full functionality of the web browser version.

## Open Red Oak ISD's Canvas URL

<https://redoak.instructure.com/login/canvas>

## Select "Click Here For an Account" to Register



The image shows a screenshot of the Canvas login page. At the top left is the Canvas logo. To its right, the text reads "Parent of a Canvas User? Click Here For an Account". A yellow arrow points from the "Login" label to this link. Below the logo is the "Login" label, followed by a white input field for the username. Below that is the "Password" label, followed by another white input field for the password. At the bottom left, there is a checkbox labeled "Stay signed in" and a link "Forgot Password?". At the bottom right is a dark grey "Log In" button. At the very bottom, there are links for "User Research", "Help", "Privacy policy", "Terms of service", "Facebook", and "Twitter", followed by the text "BY INSTRUCTURE".

**Note:** If you already have a Canvas account, and you are linked to another student, just log in with your existing credentials.

## Enter Signup Details, select You Agree and Start Participating

Enter your name and email address then ask your child to enter his/her username and password. Select that you agree and click on Start Participating.

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Parent Signup

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Your Name

Your Email

Child's Username

Child's Password

You agree to the terms of use and acknowledge the privacy policy.

Start Participating

## Use Canvas

While your account is not entirely set up, you can begin participating in Canvas immediately by clicking the **Get Started** button.

**Welcome to Canvas!** ×

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Your account is almost set up. To finish, please check your email at **c.johnson.canvas@gmail.com** to set your password.

You can start participating now, but you must set a password before you can log back in.


[Get Started](#)

## Complete Registration Process

To finish registering for Canvas, log into your email account that you used to sign up for Canvas and open the email from Red Oak Canvas. Click the link provided to visit the provided URL and complete the registration process.

[Click here to finish the registration process](#)

Thank you for registering with Canvas! This email is confirmation that the user Conrad Johnson is registering for a new account at [canvas.instructure.com](https://canvas.instructure.com).

 **canvas**

[Update your notification settings](#)

## Register for a Parent Account

To complete the registration process fill out the requested fields and Click the **Register** button. You will be redirected to the Red Oak ISD Canvas URL login page for your account.

### Welcome Aboard!

In order to set up your account, we'll need a little more information.

Login:  1

Password:  2

Time Zone:  3

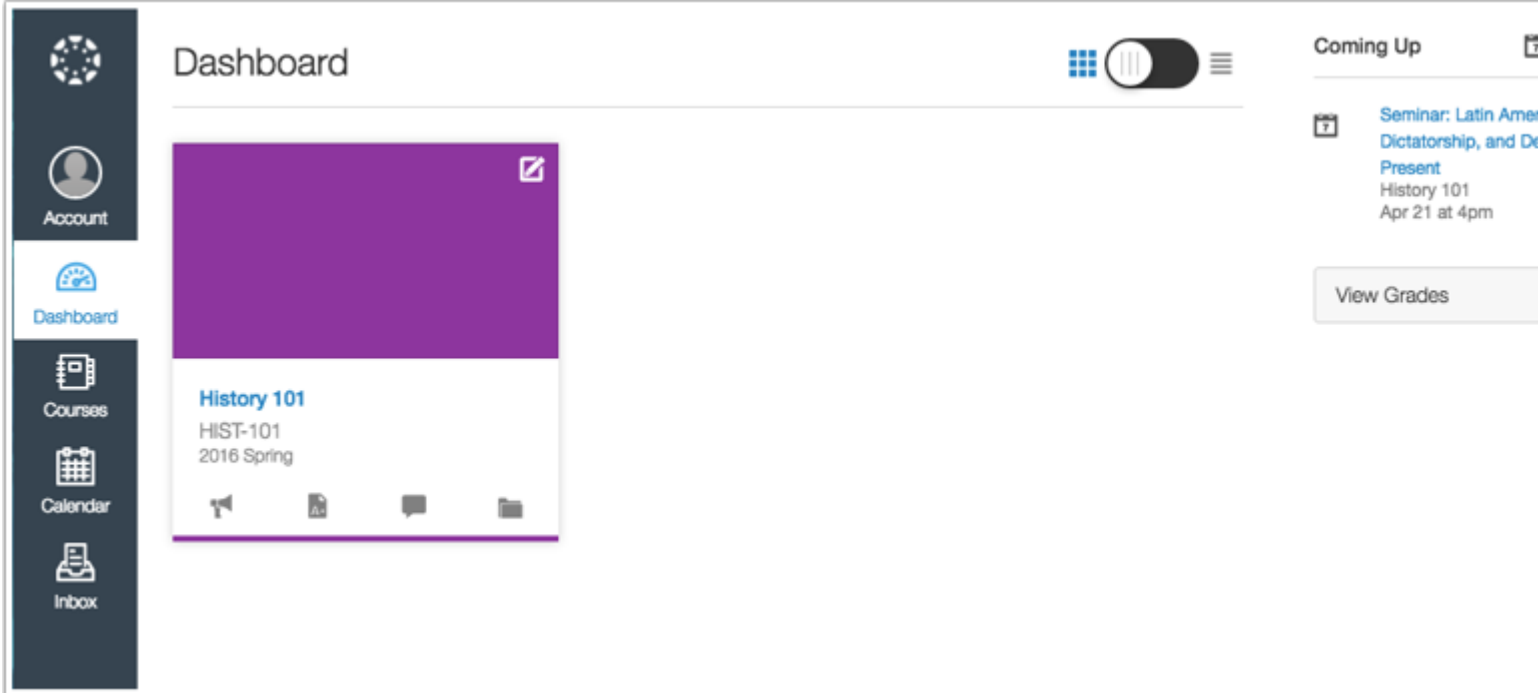
I want to receive information, news and tips from Instructure

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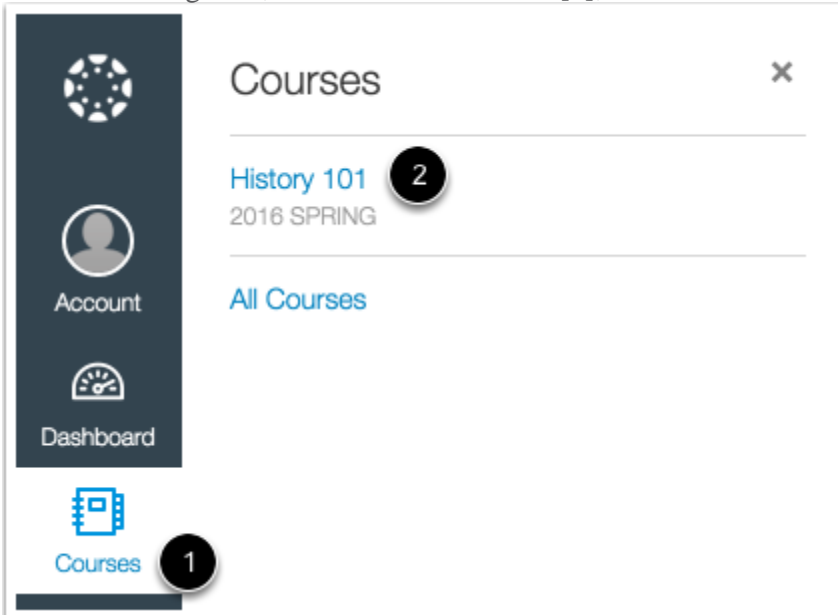
## View User Dashboard

View the user dashboard for your Canvas account.



## View Course

In Global Navigation, click the **Courses** link [1], then click the name of the course [2].



Learn how to [observe additional students](#) in your account.

# Canvas Parent App

Parents can also use the Canvas Parent app on all iOS and Android devices to review assignments, check on grades, and receive course announcements.

- What is the Canvas Parent App?
  - <https://community.canvaslms.com/docs/DOC-7997>
- How do I create an account in the Canvas Parent app on my Android device?
  - <https://community.canvaslms.com/docs/DOC-7907>
- How do I create an account in the Canvas Parent app on my iOS device?
  - <https://community.canvaslms.com/docs/DOC-8014>
- How do I log in to the Canvas Parent app on my Android device?
  - <https://community.canvaslms.com/docs/DOC-7943>
- How do I log in to the Canvas Parent app on my iOS device?
  - <https://community.canvaslms.com/docs/DOC-7945>
- How do I add a student in the Canvas Parent app on my Android device?
  - <https://community.canvaslms.com/docs/DOC-7957>
- How do I add a student in the Canvas Parent app on my iOS device?
  - <https://community.canvaslms.com/docs/DOC-8008>