



# Canvas Basics for Parents

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TOPIC	URL
<b>How to access Canvas</b> <i>*Firefox and Chrome work best</i>	<a href="https://wws.instructure.com">https://wws.instructure.com</a> <i>*Note: This is the URL to go directly to the Canvas login page.</i>
<b>How to create a parent Canvas account</b> <i>*First, you will need to <a href="#">generate a pairing code</a> from within your student's Canvas account. You will use this six digit code to create your observer account.</i>	Video Directions = <a href="https://youtu.be/X0n-PU9OXTI">https://youtu.be/X0n-PU9OXTI</a>  Written Directions = <a href="https://community.canvaslms.com/docs/DOC-2020">https://community.canvaslms.com/docs/DOC-2020</a>
<b>How to add additional children to your parent Canvas account</b>  <b>Ideas to <a href="#">manage multiple children</a> in Canvas</b>	Video Directions = <a href="https://youtu.be/X0n-PU9OXTI">https://youtu.be/X0n-PU9OXTI</a> <i>(Start video at 2:00)</i>  Written Directions = <a href="https://community.canvaslms.com/docs/DOC-2278">https://community.canvaslms.com/docs/DOC-2278</a>
<b>How to set up your parent notifications</b>	Step 1 Written Directions = <a href="https://community.canvaslms.com/docs/DOC-10593-4212710335">https://community.canvaslms.com/docs/DOC-10593-4212710335</a>  Step 2 Written Directions = <a href="https://community.canvaslms.com/docs/DOC-1286">https://community.canvaslms.com/docs/DOC-1286</a>
<b>See what Parent Observers can see and do inside a Canvas course</b> <i>*Set up notifications</i> <i>*View the calendar</i> <i>*Check grades</i> <i>*Send/receive Canvas messages</i>	Video Overview = <a href="http://bit.ly/CanvasParentVideo">http://bit.ly/CanvasParentVideo</a>  Written Directions = <a href="https://community.canvaslms.com/docs/DOC-2272">https://community.canvaslms.com/docs/DOC-2272</a>
<b>How to use the Canvas Parent Mobile App</b>	Canvas for Android = <a href="https://community.canvaslms.com/videos/1067-canvas-app-for-android-tablet-all-users">https://community.canvaslms.com/videos/1067-canvas-app-for-android-tablet-all-users</a>  Canvas for IOS = <a href="https://community.canvaslms.com/videos/1068-canvas-app-for-ipad-all-users">https://community.canvaslms.com/videos/1068-canvas-app-for-ipad-all-users</a>
<b>Parent Observer Guides</b>	<a href="https://community.canvaslms.com/docs/DOC-10917">https://community.canvaslms.com/docs/DOC-10917</a>
<b>STUDENT Canvas Resource</b>	<a href="http://bit.ly/Canvas4students">http://bit.ly/Canvas4students</a>

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