

Parents' Registration Guide to CANVAS

As a Parent, you are able to become an "Observer" by creating a Canvas account using MRA's Canvas Login Tab at the Parental Portal located at www.MRApats.org

The following steps will allow you to use the self-registration banner on the Canvas tab.

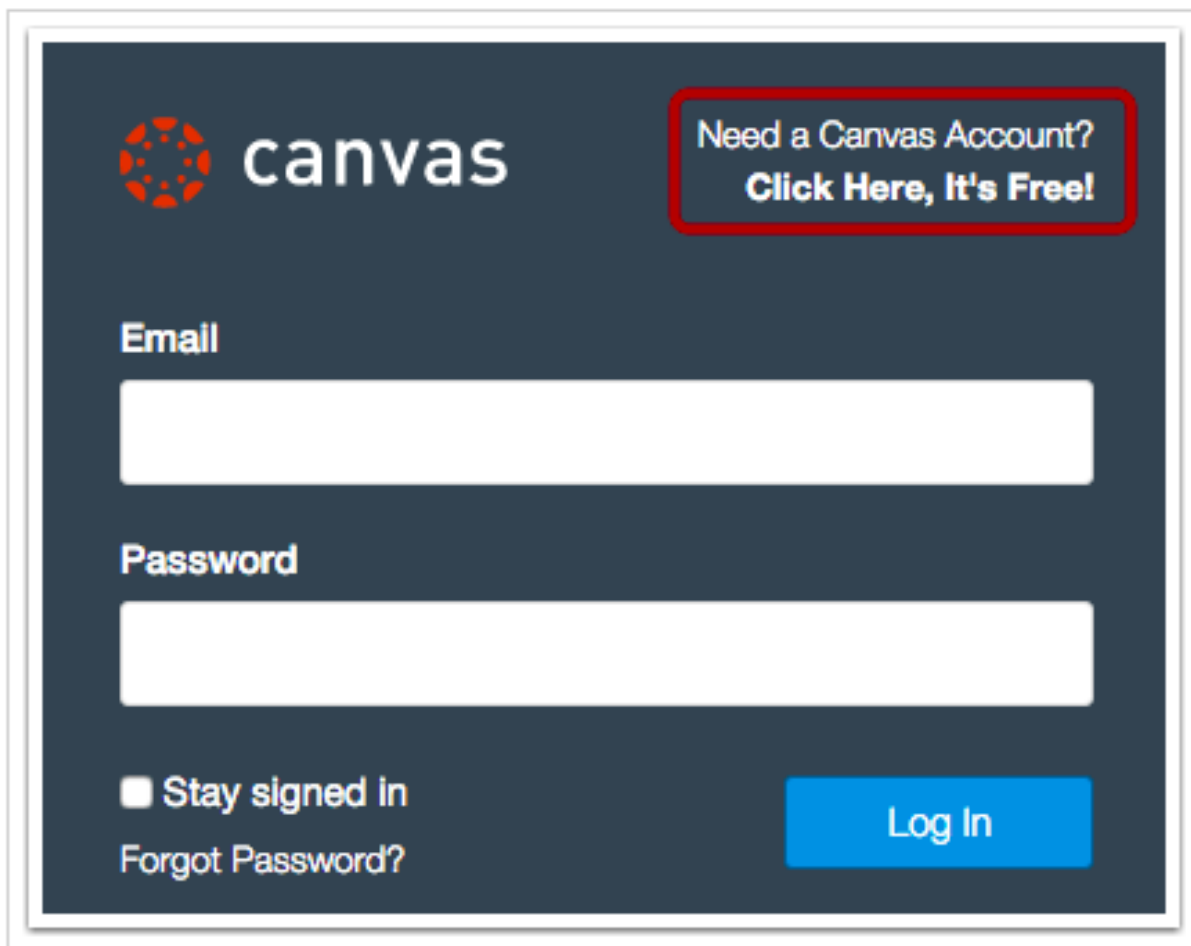
To observe your student's courses, you must know your student's Canvas username and password.

If you receive an *invalid username or password* message during the signup process and the student's credentials are correct, check with the student to verify that he or she is actively enrolled in the Canvas course.

Parent-Observers will be able to view student information once they have created their own account. Simply follow the steps below to create your Canvas account.

STEP #1

Click to Register

The image shows a dark blue banner for the Canvas learning management system. In the top left corner is the Canvas logo, which consists of a red circular icon with white dots and the word "canvas" in white lowercase letters. In the top right corner, there is a red-bordered box containing the text "Need a Canvas Account? Click Here, It's Free!" in white. Below the logo, there are two white input fields. The first is labeled "Email" in white text. The second is labeled "Password" in white text. At the bottom left, there is a white checkbox followed by the text "Stay signed in" in white. Below that is the text "Forgot Password?" in white. At the bottom right, there is a blue button with the text "Log In" in white.

Click the account link at the top of the page.

STEP #2

Enter Signup Details

Parent Signup

Your Name

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Your Email

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Child's Username

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Child's Password

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☒ You agree to the [terms of use](#) and acknowledge the [privacy policy](#).

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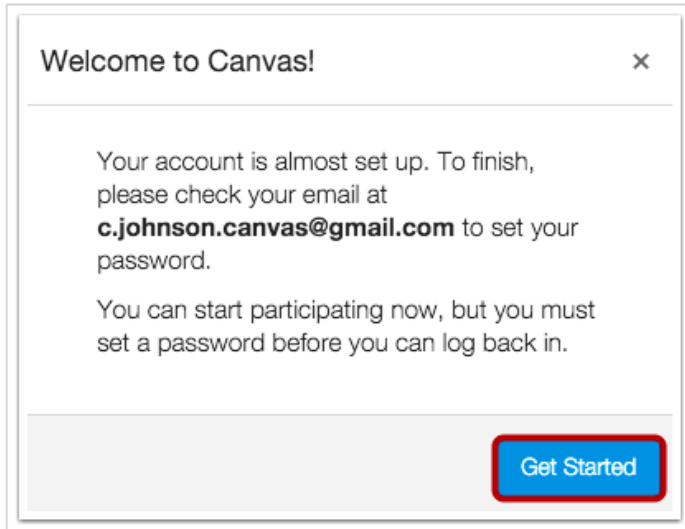
Start Participating

Enter the following information:

1. Enter your name in the name field.
2. Enter your email in the email field.
3. Enter your child's username in the child's username field.
4. Enter your child's password in the child's password field.
5. Agree to the terms of use by clicking the **You agree to the terms of use** check box.
6. Click the **Start Participating** button.

STEP #3

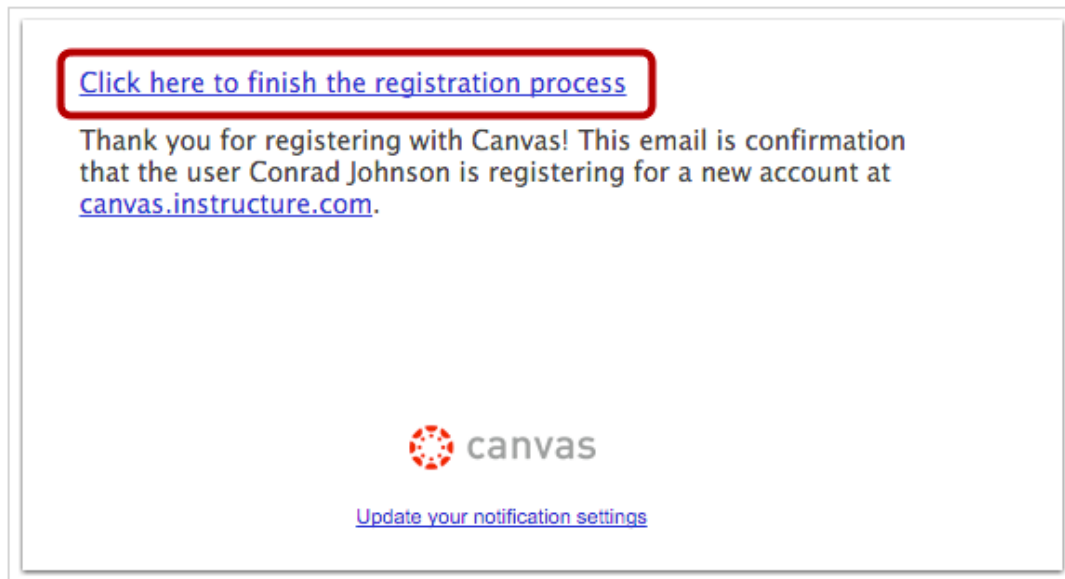
Use Canvas



While your account is not entirely set up, you can begin participating in Canvas immediately by clicking the **Get Started** button. To finish registering for Canvas, log into your email account.

STEP #4

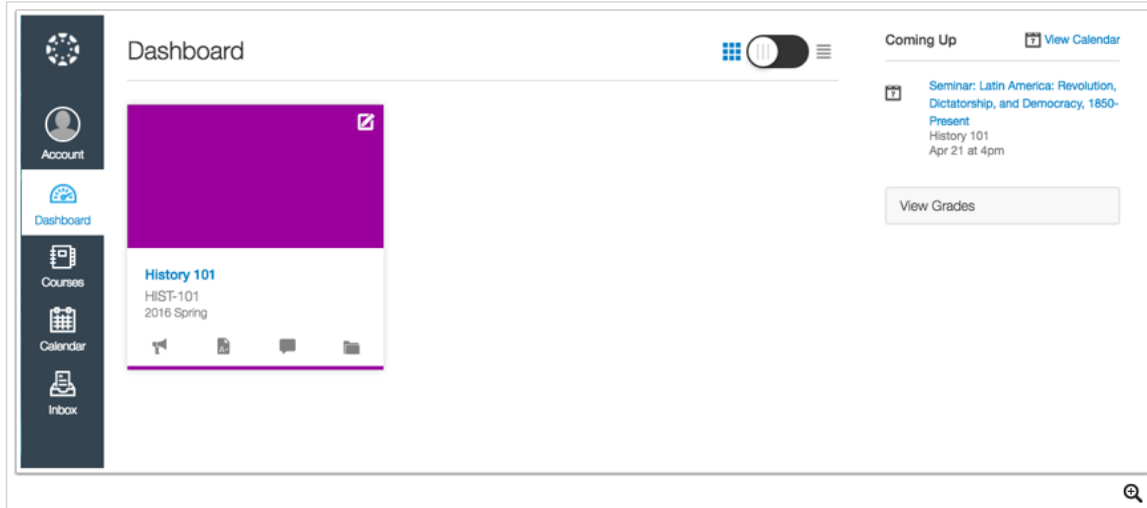
Complete Registration Process



Open the email from Instructure Canvas. Click the link provided to visit the provided URL and complete the registration process.

STEP #5

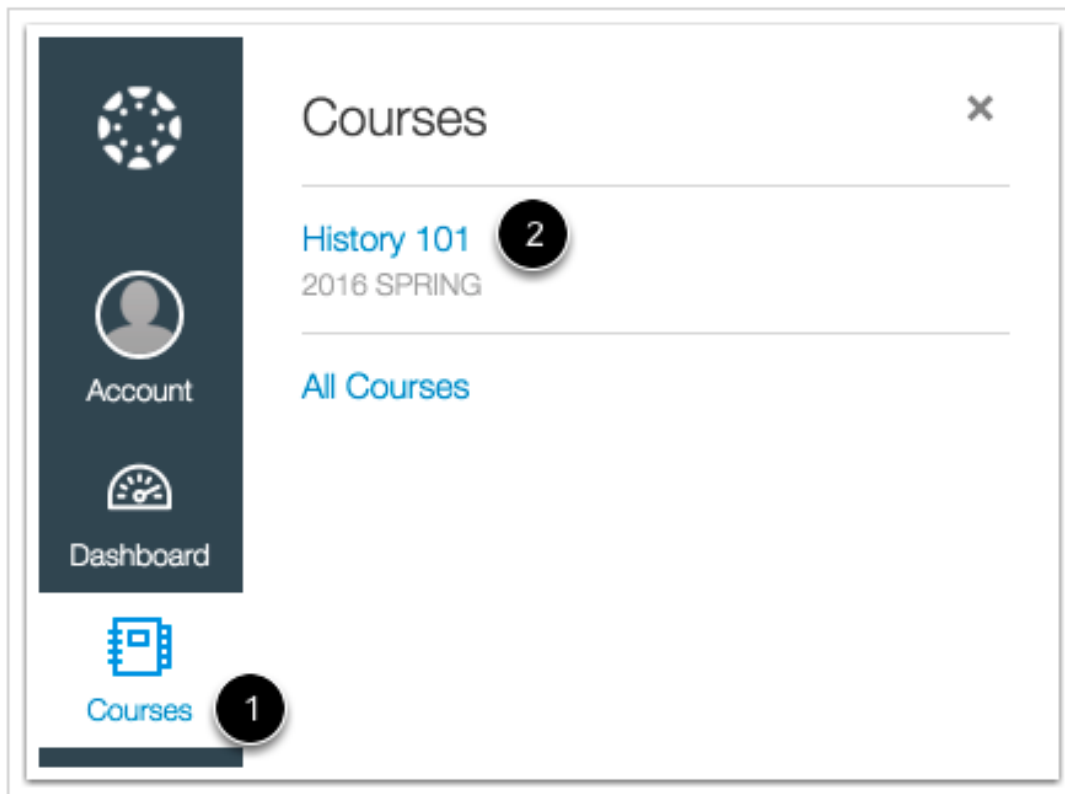
View User Dashboard



View the user dashboard for your Canvas account.

STEP #6

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.