What is Canvas?



Canvas is an Online Learning Management Software Program. It is available through any web browser or as an app on your smartphone or mobile device. It streamlines classroom work to one location where teachers can post and grade assignments, and students can complete work and receive feedback from teachers. Canvas was adopted by the State of North Carolina in 2014 for all public school districts. UNCC (University of North Carolina at Charlotte), CPCC (Central Piedmont Community College), and NCVPS (North Carolina Virtual Public Schools) have also adopted the use of Canvas.

To find out more about Canvas: https://www.canvaslms.com/k-12/

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Step 1: Student Generates a Pairing Code

- 1. Student logs into Canvas
- 2. Click
- 3. Click
- 4. Click
- 5. Write down pairing code



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Step 2: Create a Parent Account & Pair Student

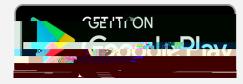
- 1. Go to https://cms.instructure.com/login/canvas
- 2. Click
- 3. Complete the form
- 4. Enter the pairing code from Step 1
- 5. Click

Canvas Parent App

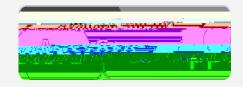


Available for smartphones and mobile devices and found in the Google Play and Apple App Store.

Install the Canvas Parent App on Android Devices (Android smart phones or tablets)



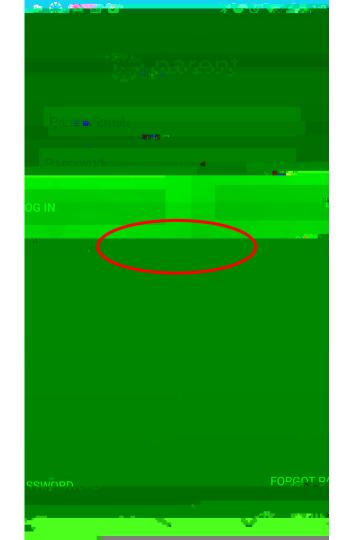
Install the Canvas Parent App on iOS Devices (iPhone or iPad)



First Time Accessing The Parent App

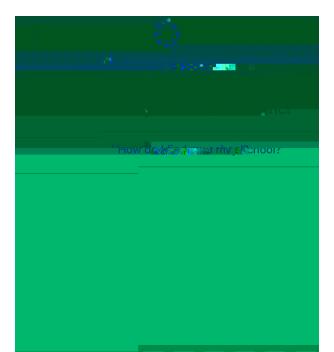
Select "CREATE ACCOUNT" the first time you access the app.

Once you have created your account, you can log into the parent app from any device.

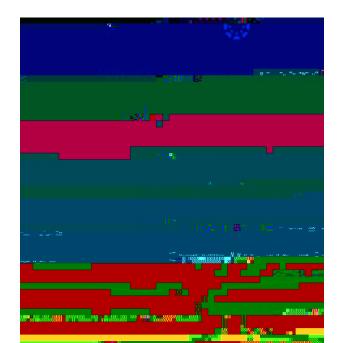


Enter student's institution

Enter "cms" in the "student's institution" field.



Choose Charlotte-Mecklenburg
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Once you have set up your Canvas Parent Account on a computer, then you can set up the app on your phone.

Note under Notifications you can set up how often you would like to notified of your student work both on the app and on the computer.