



Navigating your Canvas Parent Observer APP

If you have not yet paired with your child's Canvas account, we will be available to support you after the presentation.

Agenda

1. Observer Account
Overview
2. Viewing Student Academic
Progress
3. Resources and Additional
Support



What is Canvas?

Canvas is the Learning Management System (LMS) for LBUSD. It is used by teachers to post and collect assignments, post grades, provide feedback, and communicate with students and parents.

What is a Canvas Observer Account?

A Canvas Observer account provides parents provides an opportunity to be engaged with their child's educational experience. Parents/Guardians can have an observer account to communicate with their student(s) teacher(s), view assignments, announcements, and grades.

*A Canvas observer account is also referred to as Canvas Parent.



Observer/Parent Account Overview

Navigating the Canvas Parent App

The Canvas Parent App has 3 main sections

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Homepage

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User menu

- Inbox
- Manage your Students
- Get Support

3

Dashboard

- Courses
- Calendar
- Alerts



Homepage

Homepage

1. User Menu
2. Select a Student
3. View Student Courses
4. Student's Weekly Calendar
5. View alerts about the student's course participation

The screenshot shows a user dashboard for Bruce Jones. At the top left, a hamburger menu icon is circled with a '1'. To its right is a profile picture and the name 'Bruce Jones' with a dropdown arrow, also circled with a '2'. Below the header, a list of courses is displayed, each with a title, course ID, and a percentage: 'Basic Written Communications BWC100 96.79%', 'Basic Written Communications BWC100 82.35%', 'Biology 101 BIO101 B 85.94%', 'History 101 HIST101 A 93.33%', 'Introduction to Foods FOOD101 50%', and 'Introduction to the Solar System SCI115 A- 93.94%'. At the bottom, a navigation bar contains three icons: 'Courses' (circled with a '3'), 'Calendar' (circled with a '4'), and 'Alerts' (circled with a '5' and a red badge showing '42').



User Menu

User Menu



From the user menu you can:

1. View the Canvas inbox
2. Manage Students
3. Help

Click on your initial in your profile to add your profile image

Use a personal email account

1 Inbox

2 Manage Students

OPTIONS

Dark Mode

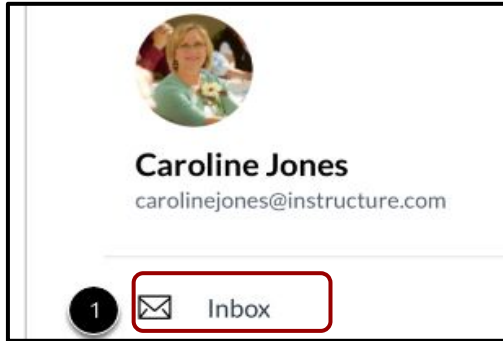
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Change User

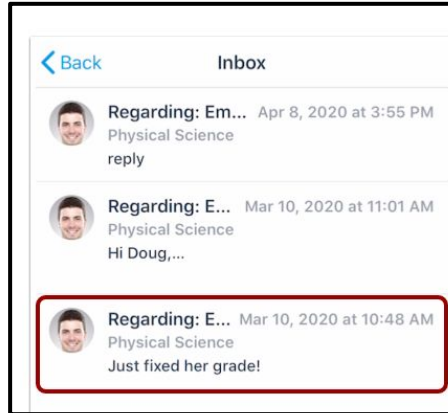
Log Out

Using your Canvas Inbox

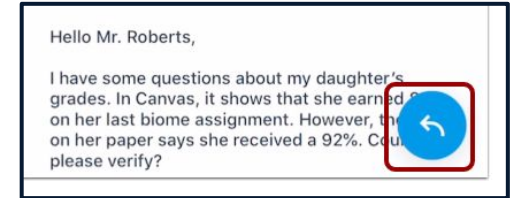
1 Select Inbox



2 Select Message



3 Reply



- Learn how to send a message in the Dashboard section of this presentation

Manage Students

Add students to your Canvas Parent Account

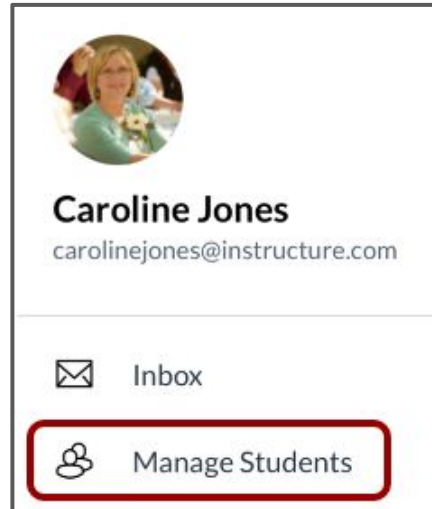
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User Menu



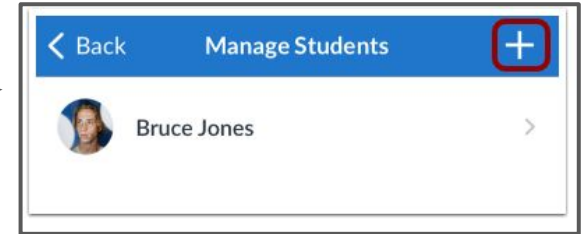
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Manage Students



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Tap the + sign

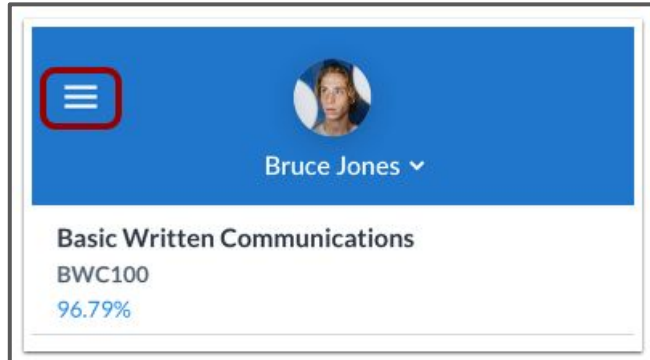


Updating Notifications

Update what type of notification alerts you wish to receive. Notifications are viewed in alerts in your Dashboard.

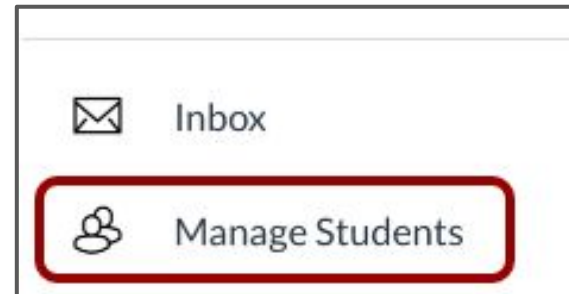
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Go to **User Menu**



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Tap **Manage Students**

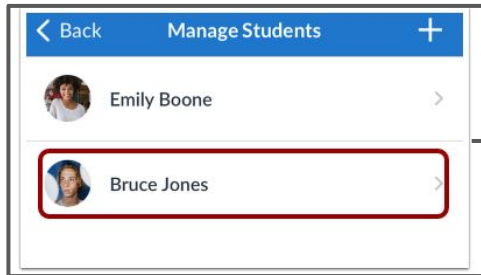


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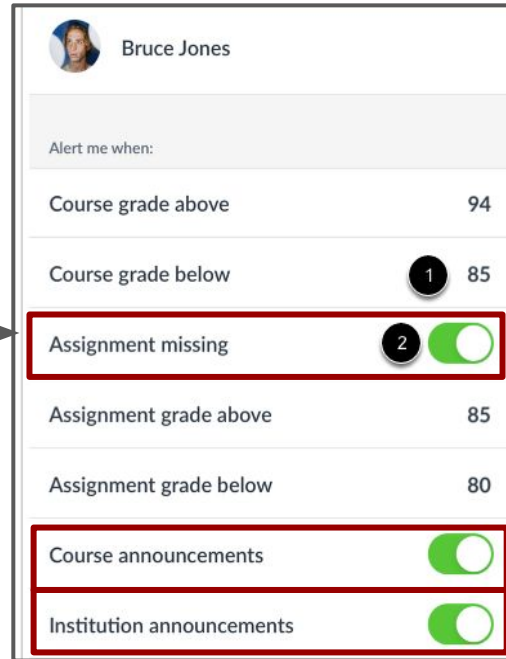
Updating Notifications

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Select a Student



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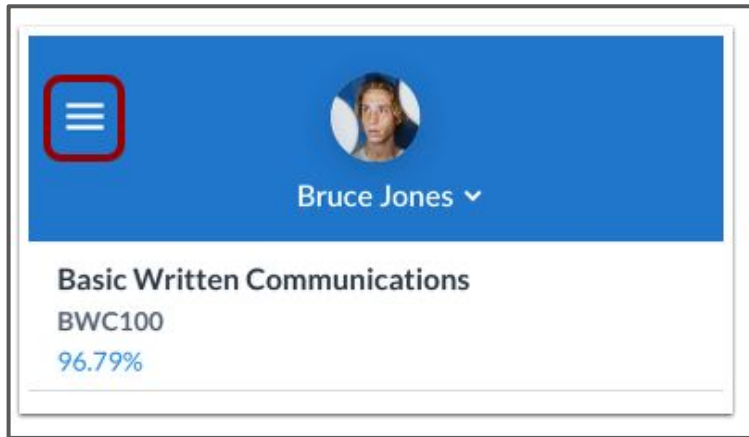
Toggle on or off which alerts you want to be alerted for:

- Assignment missing
- Course announcements
- Institution announcements

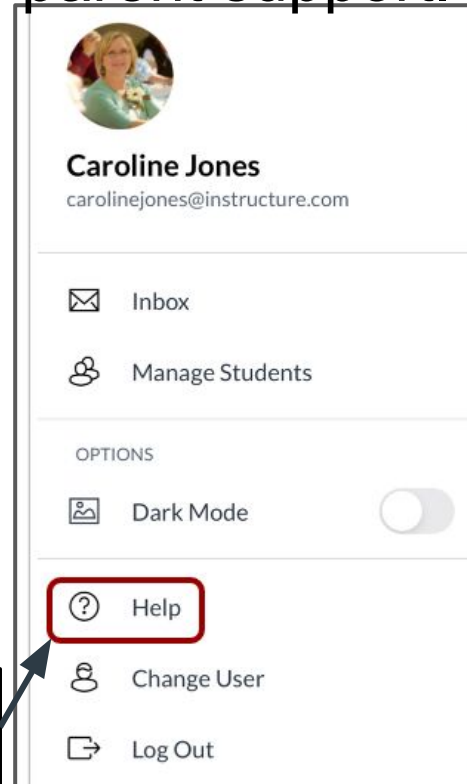
Get Help

There are multiple resources to provide parent support.

Tap the **User Menu**



Tap **Help**



Help Menu

Help Menu

Parent Guide

 CANVAS PARENT GUIDE

About this Guide:

This guide provides LBUSD parents with information on supporting your

[Versión en Español](#)

[Khmer ព័ត៌មាន](#)

Email link for direct support

[Search the Canvas Guides](#)

Find answers to common questions

[LBUSD Canvas Parent Guide](#)


Learn how to support your students with Canvas.

canvasparent@lbschools.net

Request support for your Observer account.

Search the Community

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 CANVAS LMS

Learn.

[READ THE GUIDES](#)

[ADDITIONAL RESOURCES](#)

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Explore the User Menu

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Dashboard

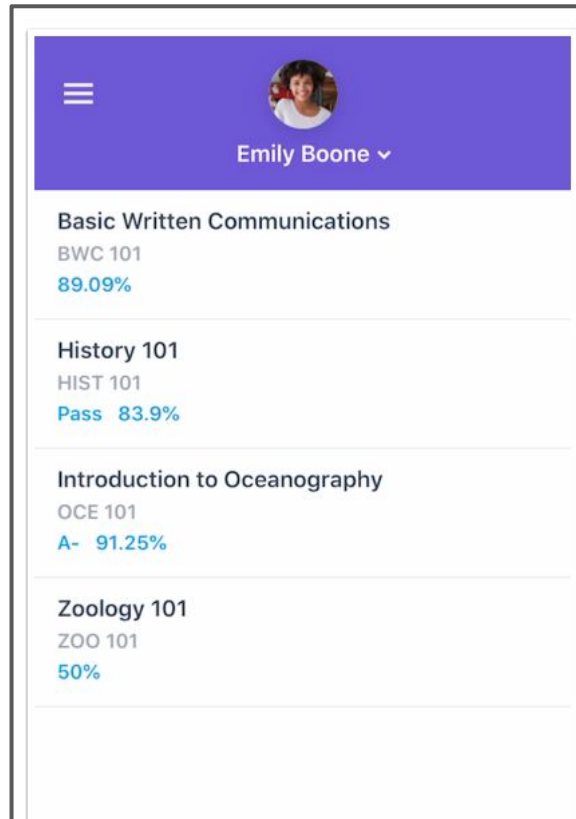
Dashboard

Your Canvas Parent Dashboard enables parents to view their student's course information including assignments, grades, and alerts/announcements. Please note that you will only see published courses. Contact your teacher if a course is missing.

Dashboard

The Dashboard includes:

- Courses
- Calendar
- Alerts



A screenshot of a user dashboard for Emily Boone. The header is purple and contains a hamburger menu icon, a profile picture, and the name "Emily Boone" with a dropdown arrow. Below the header, there are four course entries, each with a title, course ID, and a percentage value:

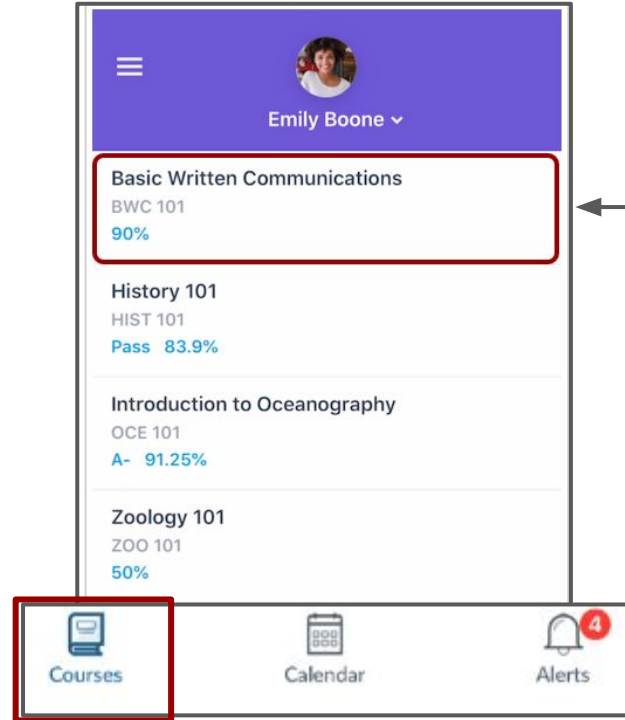
Course Title	Course ID	Percentage
Basic Written Communications	BWC 101	89.09%
History 101	HIST 101	Pass 83.9%
Introduction to Oceanography	OCE 101	A- 91.25%
Zoology 101	ZOO 101	50%



A navigation bar with three icons: a book icon labeled "Courses", a calendar icon labeled "Calendar", and a bell icon labeled "Alerts" with a red notification bubble containing the number "4".

Courses

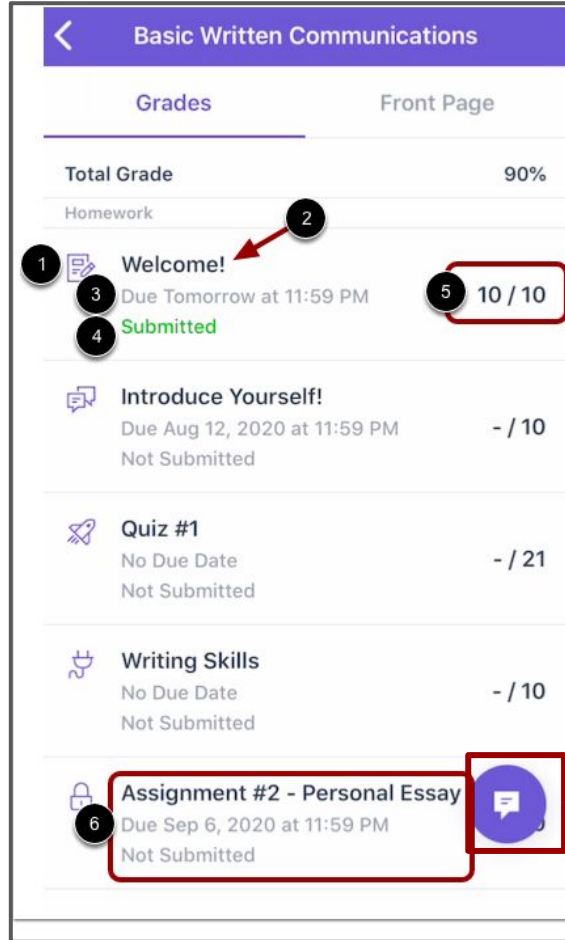
The course page displays the current courses for the student(s) you are observing.



Select a Course

Courses

1. Assignment type
2. Assignment name
3. Due date
4. Submission status
5. Assignment grade
6. Lock icon means assignment is not yet available



The screenshot shows a course page for 'Basic Written Communications'. At the top, there are tabs for 'Grades' and 'Front Page'. Below this, a 'Total Grade' of 90% is displayed. A 'Homework' section follows, listing several assignments:

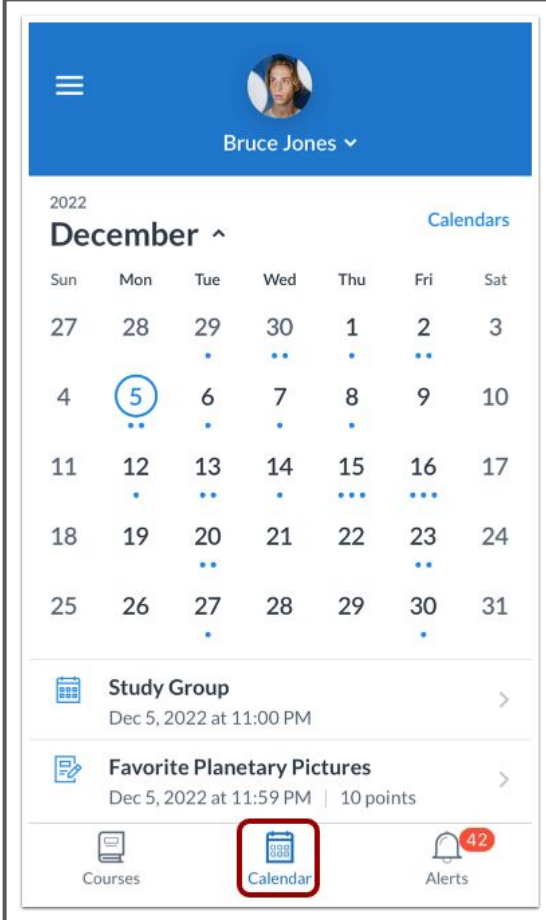
- Welcome!**: Due Tomorrow at 11:59 PM, Submitted, 10 / 10. Callouts 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5 point to the message icon, assignment name, due date, status, and grade respectively.
- Introduce Yourself!**: Due Aug 12, 2020 at 11:59 PM, Not Submitted, - / 10.
- Quiz #1**: No Due Date, Not Submitted, - / 21.
- Writing Skills**: No Due Date, Not Submitted, - / 10.
- Assignment #2 - Personal Essay**: Due Sep 6, 2020 at 11:59 PM, Not Submitted, - / 10. Callout 6 points to the lock icon on the left, and another callout points to the message icon on the right.

Tip

Select the Message icon to send a message directly to the teacher

Calendar


The Calendar page shows all Canvas assignments and events for all the student's courses







2022

December ^ Calendars

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
27	28	29	30	1	2	3
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	31

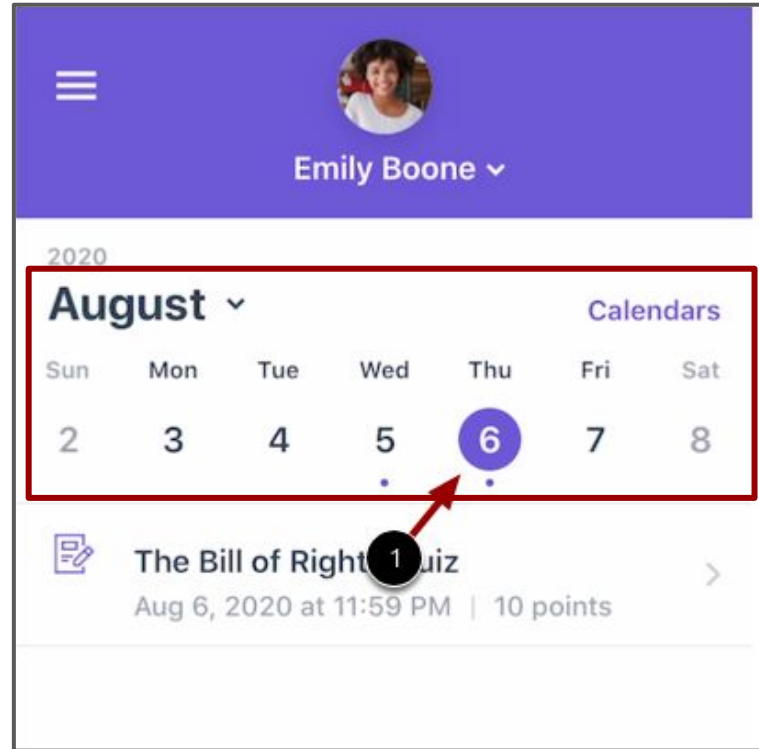
 **Study Group** >
Dec 5, 2022 at 11:00 PM

 **Favorite Planetary Pictures** >
Dec 5, 2022 at 11:59 PM | 10 points

 Courses
  **Calendar**
 Alerts 42

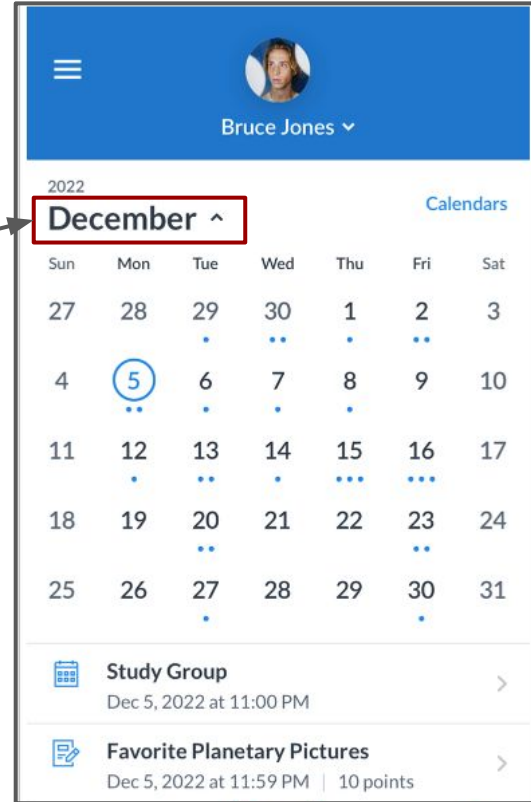
View Calendar

By default, the current date is always selected and displays events and assignments by week.



Calendar

Expand the Calendar month to view assignments and events for the entire month.



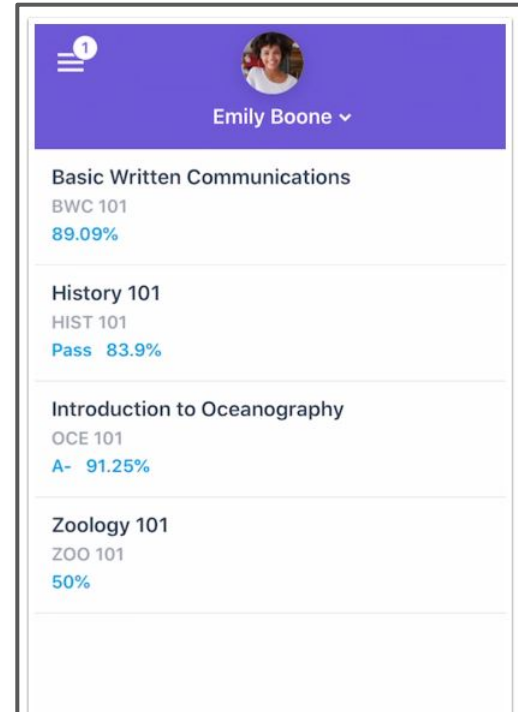
The screenshot shows a user interface for Bruce Jones. At the top, there is a blue header with a profile picture and the name "Bruce Jones". Below this, the year "2022" is displayed, followed by the month "December" which is highlighted with a red box and has a small upward arrow next to it. To the right of the month is a "Calendars" link. The calendar grid shows days from Sunday to Saturday. The date "5" is circled in blue. Below the calendar, there are two assignment cards: "Study Group" (Dec 5, 2022 at 11:00 PM) and "Favorite Planetary Pictures" (Dec 5, 2022 at 11:59 PM | 10 points).

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- Study Group**
Dec 5, 2022 at 11:00 PM
- Favorite Planetary Pictures**
Dec 5, 2022 at 11:59 PM | 10 points

Alerts

The alerts page displays assignment and grade alerts for the student(s) you are observing.



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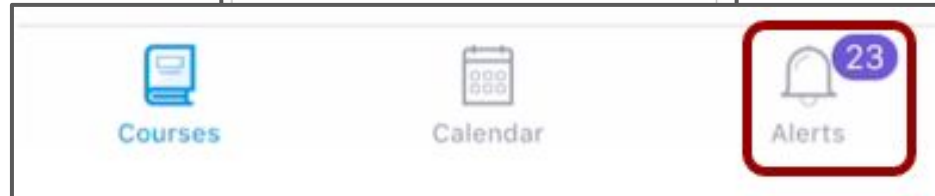
Emily Boone ▾

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Courses

Calendar

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Alerts

1. The blue dot indicates unread alerts
2. Swipe left to **dismiss** and remove an alert.



The screenshot shows a notification card for Emily Boone. At the top, there is a purple header with a hamburger menu icon and a notification badge with the number '1'. Below the header is the user's name 'Emily Boone' with a dropdown arrow. The main content area contains three alert items, each with an information icon and a blue dot indicating it is unread. The first alert is highlighted with a red box and a '1' in a black circle. The second alert is partially visible. The third alert is highlighted with a red arrow and a '2' in a black circle. At the bottom, there is a red 'Dismiss' button with a '3' in a black circle.

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Emily Boone ▾

1 *i* Assignment Grade Above 85
Assignment graded: 19 on Week 1 Field Trip Log Discussion in OCE 101
Jul 21, 2020 at 1:15 PM

i Assignment Grade Above 85
Assignment graded: 20 on Week 4 Field Trip Log Discussion in OCE 101
Jul 21, 2020 at 1:15 PM

2 *i* Assignment Grade Above 85
Assignment graded: 18 on Week 10 Field Trip Log Discussion in OCE 101
Jul 21, 2020 at 1:14 PM

Assignment Missing **3**
Assignment missing: Projects Overview Discussion in ZOO 101
21, 2020 at 1:10 PM

Dismiss

Try it Out!

Take a few minutes to explore what you have learned on your own device.



Explore the Dashboard

- Courses
- Calendar
- Alerts





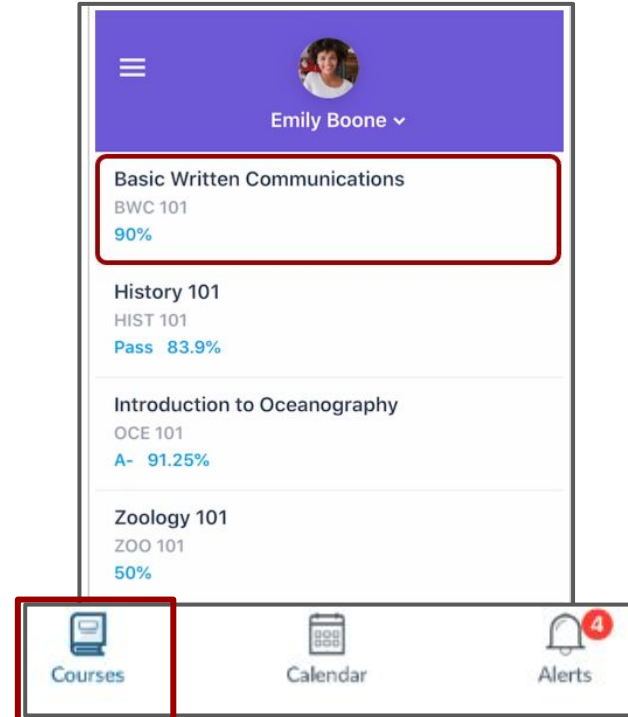
Viewing Academic Progress

Viewing Academic Progress

Monitoring the academic progress of your child provides you with information for how to best support and meet their needs.

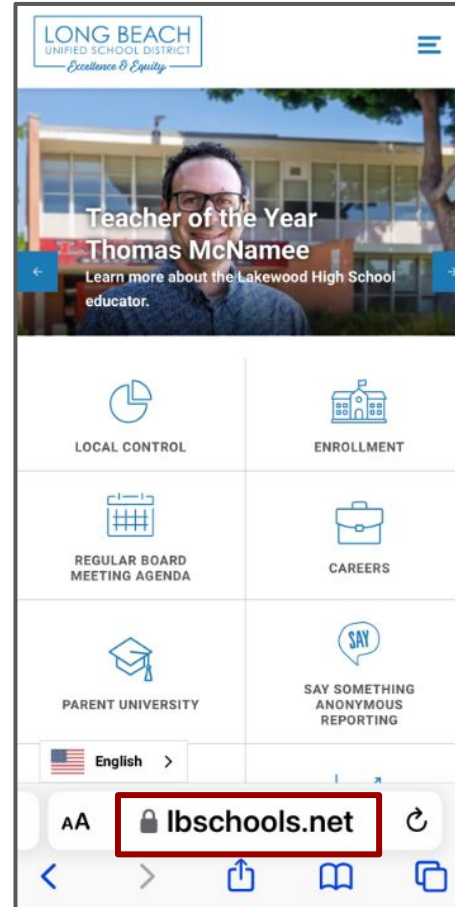
Viewing Grades on your Canvas App

Parents view grades by going to Courses in their Dashboard



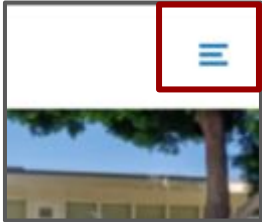
Alternatively...

Use a web browser (Safari, Chrome, etc) on a mobile device to view grades. You will no longer be using the Canvas Parent app. You will sign into your Canvas account from lbschools.net

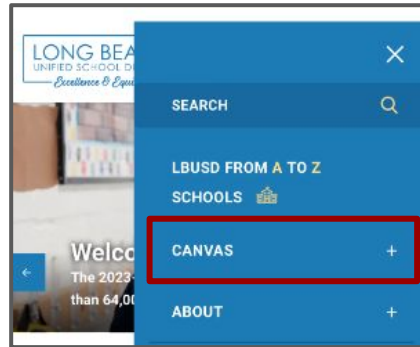


Canvas Parent Website

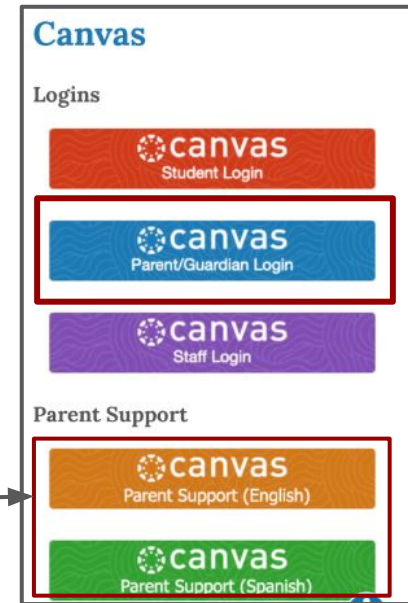
From lbschools.net,
select **User Menu**



Select **Canvas**



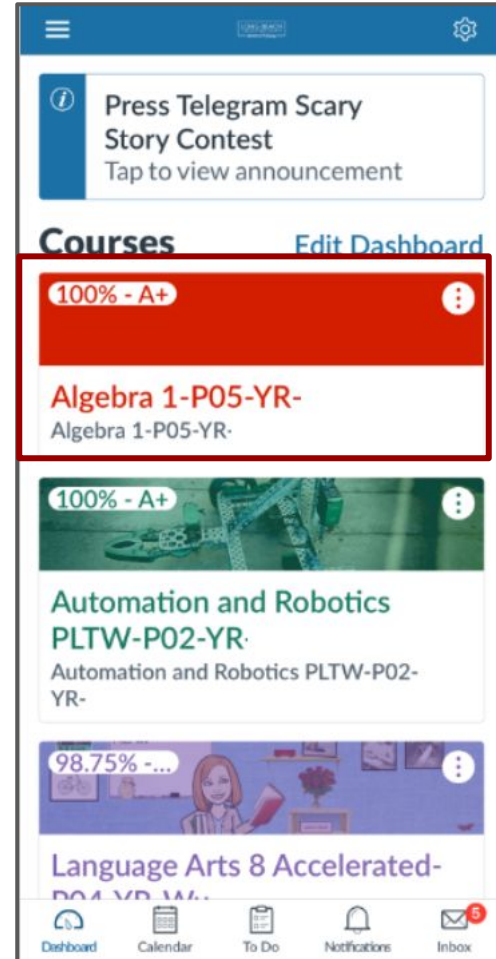
Select **Canvas
Parent Login Link**



Sidenote: Parent support
links are here as well

Canvas Parent Website

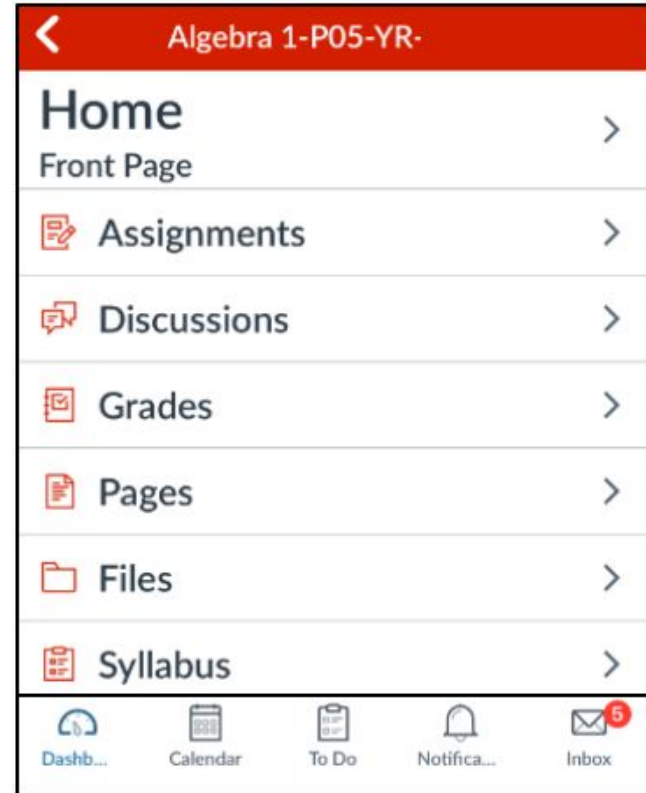
You are able to view each of your child's published courses.



Select a
Course

Canvas Parent Website

Each course will have different features available depending on what teachers have made accessible for students in their Canvas courses.

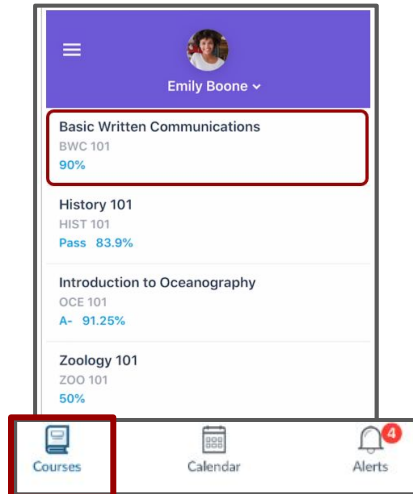


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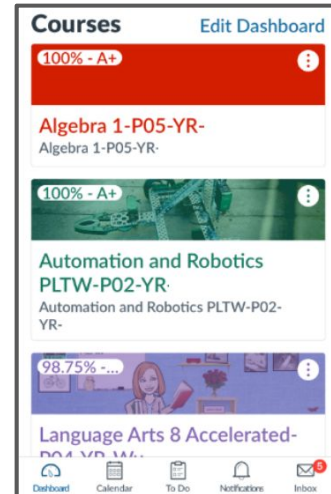
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Viewing Academic Progress

APP



Browser

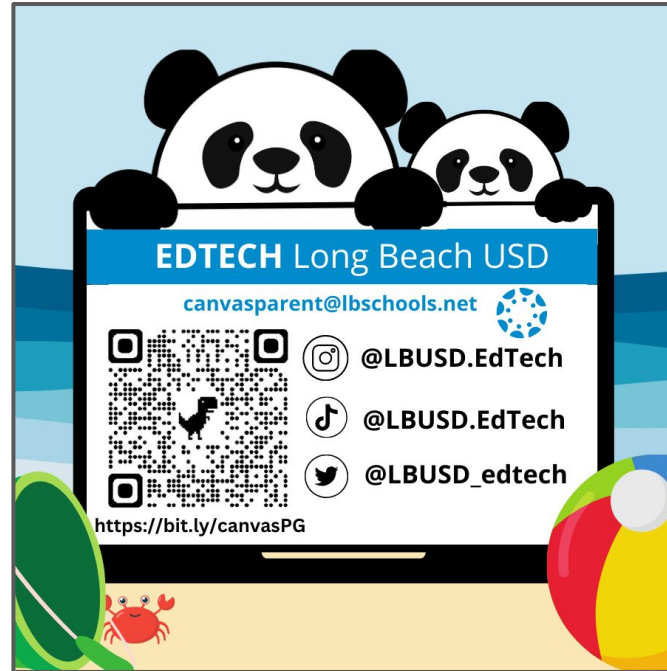




Resources and Support

LBUSD Canvas Parent Guides

- English
- Khmer
- Spanish



Canvas Observer Account



As an Observer for your child in Canvas, you can engage in your students' education, view assignments, events, grades, and communicate with teachers. Use the links below to create an account.



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Cuenta de Observador de Canvas



Como observador de su estudiante en Canvas, usted puede participar en la educación de sus estudiantes, ver trabajos asignados, eventos, calificaciones y comunicarse con los maestros. Use los enlaces que se encuentran a continuación para crear una cuenta.



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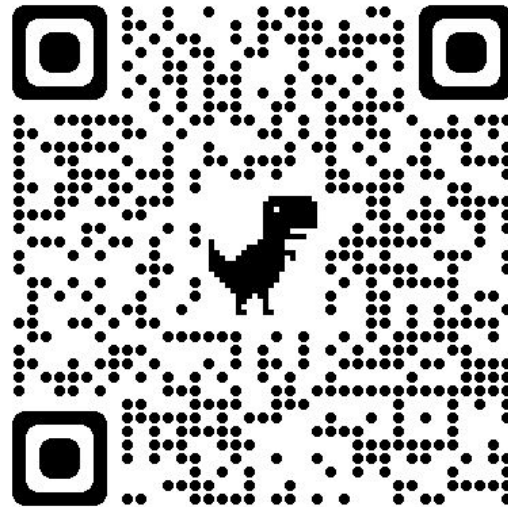


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