

Canvas Help

Welcome to the SMS Canvas Help webpage. We will continue to add items to the page as we adopt and use the Canvas program.

FAQs

What is Canvas?

Designed specifically for K-12 teachers and students, Canvas is an easy-to-use, cloud-based learning management system (LMS) that connects all the digital tools and resources teachers use into one simple and secure on-line location. This platform can be found at the URL below or the student Google Drive.

How do students log on to Canvas?

Using the Canvas link on the SMS webpage, students use their FCPS email and password to log into their Canvas accounts. These are the same credentials as if they are logging onto a computer or Chromebook at school. They can also click the “waffle” icon in the right corner of their Google Drive to log in.

What is the URL for logging onto Canvas

CANVAS URL: <https://fcps.instructure.com/>

What if my child cannot see a particular course?

If the course is not appearing in Canvas, the teacher of that course has not published the course for posting on the web.

Can I log in as a Parent into Canvas

Yes. You can log into Canvas as an "Observer" by using your student's credentials. Details on how to do so can be found at the link below:

<https://community.canvaslms.com/docs/DOC-10913>