

Create a Canvas Parent/Observer Account | Bishop Dwenger High School

Canvas is a powerful tool that will help students, parents, and teachers stay organized and informed. It is a way to simplify teaching and learning by connecting all the digital tools teachers and students use in one easy place. The goal of Canvas and Bishop Dwenger High School is to make teaching and learning easier.

Parents have limited permissions that allow them to see what is going on in a course without interrupting the flow of daily course communication.

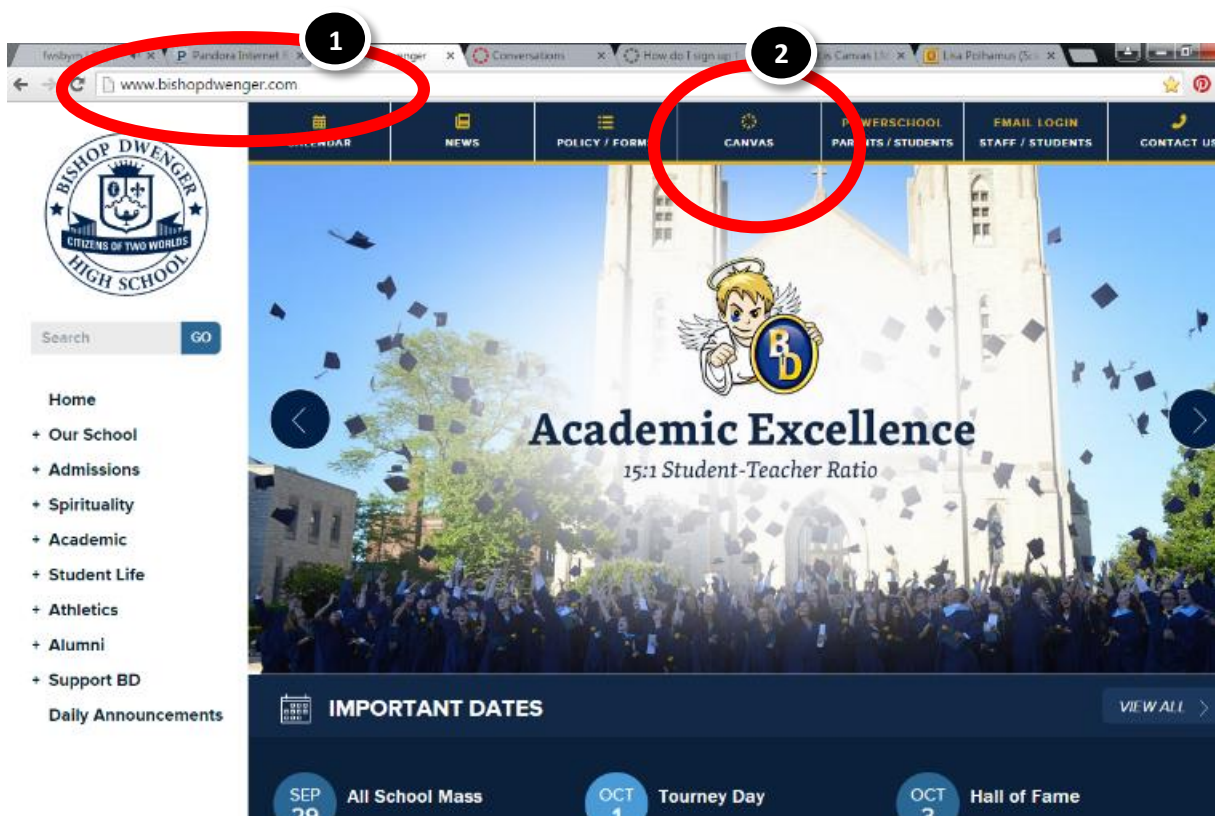
Create A Parent Account

Why: Monitor student calendars, assignments, due dates and progress

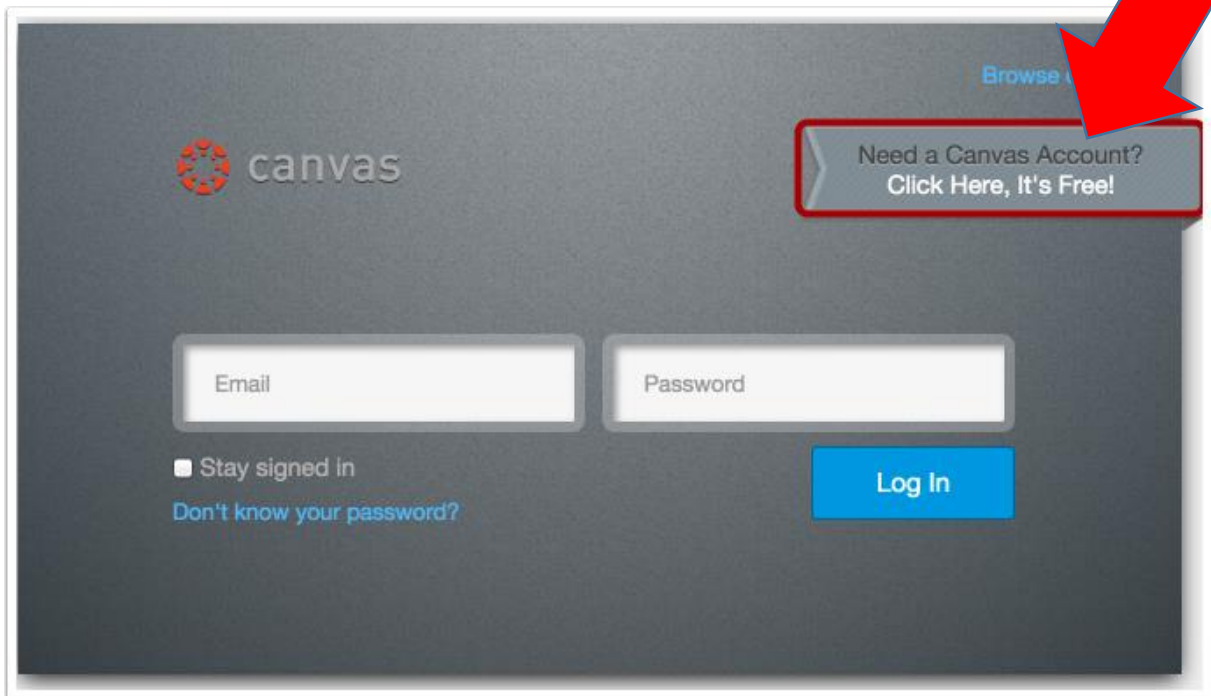
Solution: Create an Observation-only account

How-to:

1. Go to www.bishopdwenger.com [1] and click on the Canvas link [2]. (Google Chrome & Firefox support Canvas best).

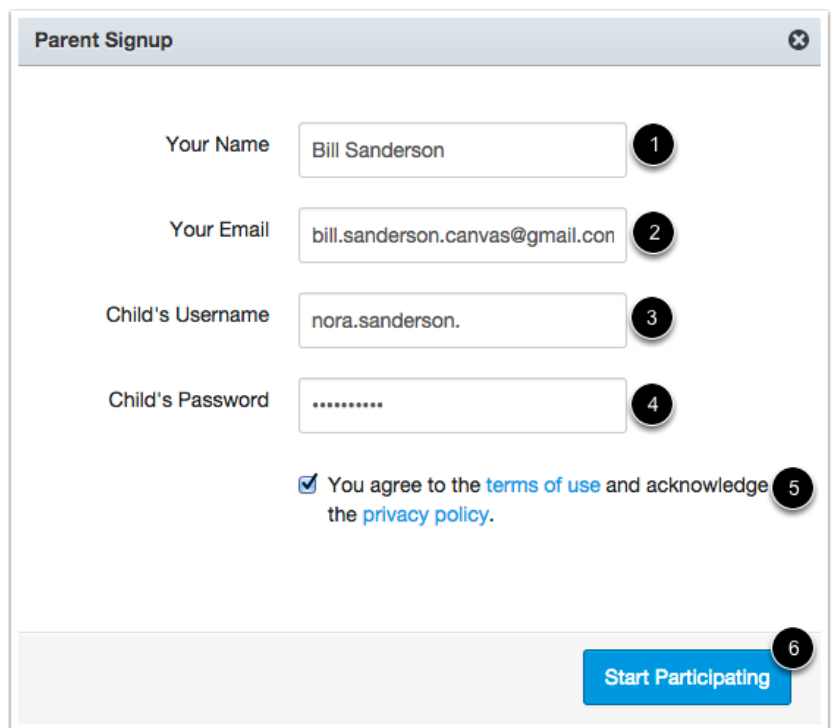


2. Click the Need a Canvas Account? Click Here, It's Free! link.



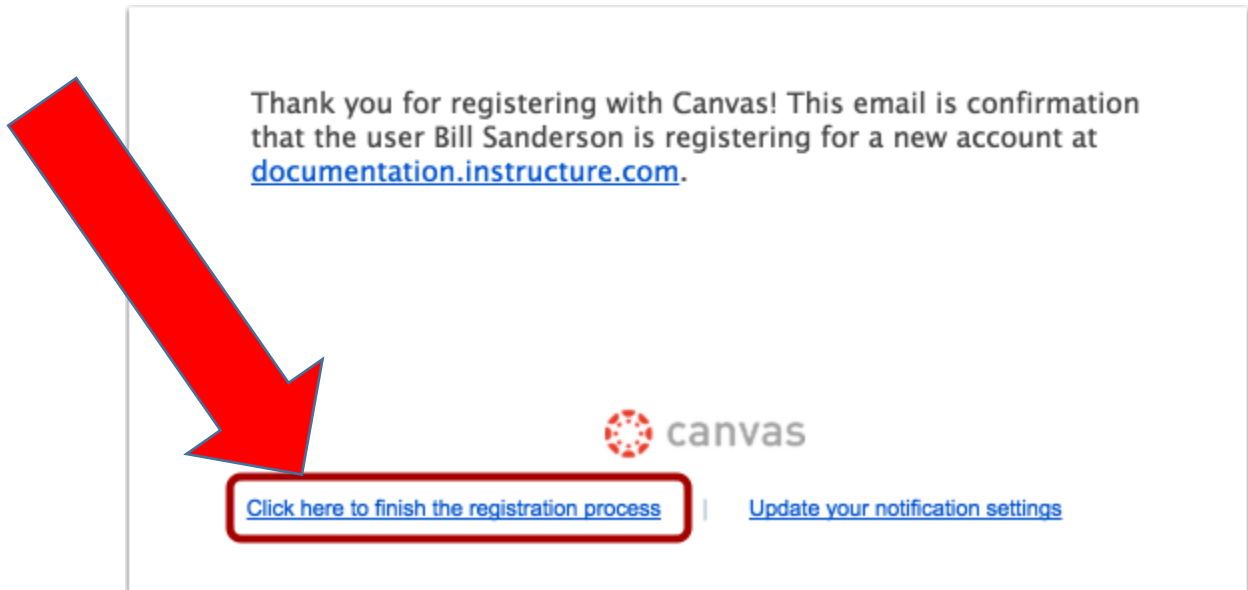
3. Enter Contact Information

- a. Enter your name in the name field. [1]
- b. Enter your email in the email field. [2]
- c. Enter your child's username in the child's username field. [3]
- d. Enter your child's password in the child's password field. [4] This is case-sensitive.
- e. Agree to the terms of use by clicking the You agree to the terms of use check box. [5]
- f. Click the Start Participating button. [6]




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4. Open the email that you receive from Instructure Canvas. Click the link provided to complete the registration process.



5. Complete the registration process.
 - a. Verify your email in the login field [1].
 - b. Set your password by typing in the password field [2].
 - c. Set your timezone by selecting the time zone drop-down menu [3].
 - d. Click the Register button. You will be redirected to the Canvas URL login page for your account [4].

Welcome Aboard! 

In order to set up your account, we'll need a little more information.

Login: 1

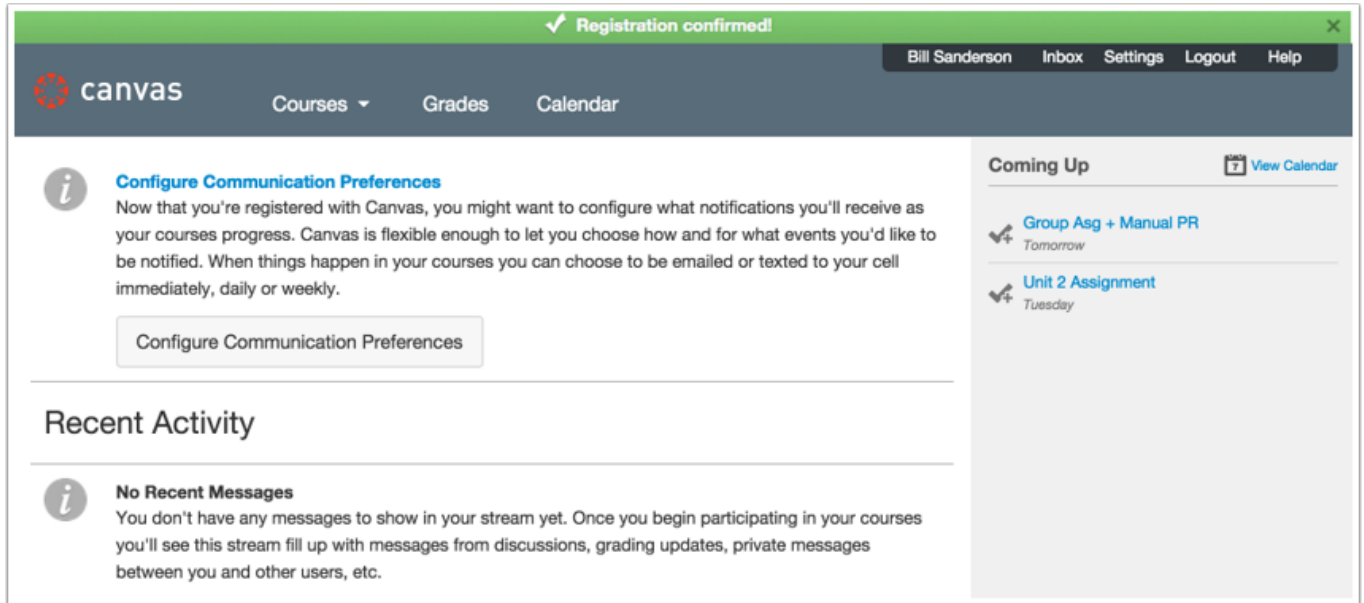
Password: 2

Time Zone: 3

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6. View the User Dashboard



7. View a Course

In Global Navigation, click the **Course** link [1], then click the name of the course [2]

