Canvas Parent App - Parent Instructions

Canvas has enhanced the ability for parents to be involved in their child's education. Parents can review upcoming or past assignments, check on grades, and receive course announcements. To complete your account registration, you will need your child's district username and password that he/she uses to access their Canvas account. **Important:** Please have this information ready before you begin.

Accessing Canvas through the Parent App

You will need your child's user name which is the district Student ID# and his/her district LAPD password to complete the set up. This information would be the same as their Canvas login info.
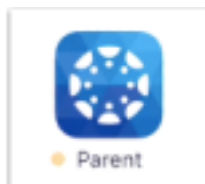
App Store

Search the App Store or Google Play store on your device for the Canvas Parent App and install on your device. It looks like the icon below.

Open App

Tap the Canvas Parent icon on your device.

You may be asked to set notification preferences for this app on your mobile device.

Create Account

Tap the **Create Account** link.

Create Account Details

Enter your first name [1], last name [2], and email address [3]. Enter a password [4] and confirm the password [5]. Tap the Create Account button [6].

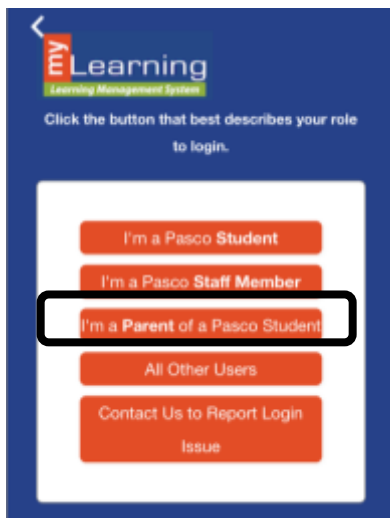## Add Student

Tap the **Add Student** button.

Enter Institution

Enter *District School Board of Pasco County*.
Tap the Go button.

Enter Student Login
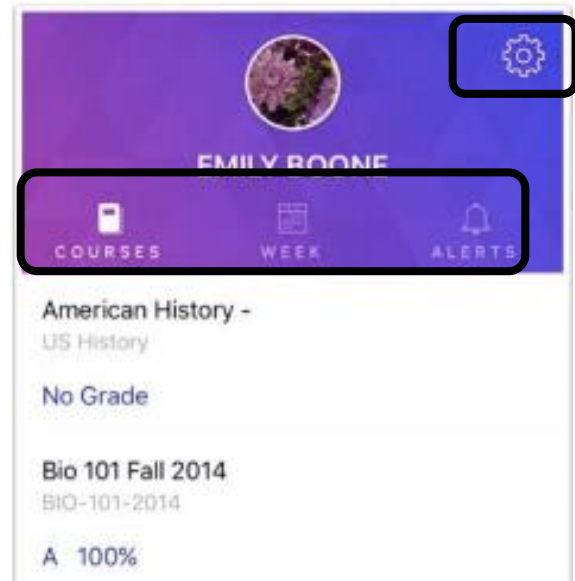
Click on "*I'm a Parent of a Pasco Student*"

Enter your student's Username (district Student ID#) [1] and password (student's district LAPD password)[2] (same as their canvas login). Tap the Log in button [3].

Dashboard View

Use the Dashboard to check and monitor student progress

Courses: check grades and progress
Week: check calendar and events
Alerts: check alerts
Gear icon: set alerts and **add additional students**

Need to add additional students

Go to the gear icon and click on the + symbol and repeat steps to enter student's info
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For more information:

Go to https://community.canvaslms.com/docs/DOC-7884 for more info on using the app.