



## How do I sign up for a Canvas account as a parent?

### Open Canvas URL

In a browser window, enter the institution's Canvas registration URL (e.g. [galt.instructure.com](https://galt.instructure.com)).

### Create Canvas Account

1. Click the **Parent of a Canvas User?** link.

The screenshot shows the Canvas login interface. At the top left is the Canvas logo. In the top right corner, a red box highlights the text: "Parent of a Canvas User? Click Here For an Account" with a link icon, and "Browse courses" below it. Below this are input fields for "Username" and "Password". There is a "Stay signed in" checkbox and a "Log In" button. At the bottom, there are links for "Help", "Privacy Policy", "Acceptable Use Policy", "Facebook", and "Twitter". The word "INSTRUCTURE" is at the very bottom.

### Enter Signup Details

2. Enter the following information:

Enter your name in the **Your Name** field.

Enter your email in the **Your Email** field.

Enter your password in the **Password** field.

Re-enter your password in the **Re-enter Password** field.

Enter a pairing code to link your account to your student in the **Student Pairing Code** field.

Agree to the terms of use by clicking the **You agree to the terms of use** checkbox.

Click the **Start Participating** button.

**Note:** Students can [generate pairing codes](#) from their User Settings. Depending on institution permissions, admins and instructors may also be able to generate pairing codes.

The image shows a 'Parent Signup' form with the following fields and callouts:

- 1**: Your Name
- 2**: Your Email
- 3**: Password
- 4**: Re-enter Password
- 5**: Student Pairing Code (with a link 'What is a pairing code?')
- 6**:  You agree to the [terms of use](#) and acknowledge the [privacy policy](#).
- 7**: Start Participating button

Buttons: Cancel, Start Participating

## Begin Observing

The image shows the Canvas Dashboard interface. On the left is a navigation sidebar with icons for Account, Dashboard, Courses, Calendar, Inbox, and Help. The main content area includes a 'Notifications' banner, a 'Coming Up' section with a 'View Calendar' link, and a 'View Grades' button. A course card for 'History 101' is visible in the main area.

You can begin observing your student in Canvas immediately.

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