

How to Create a Parent Canvas Account

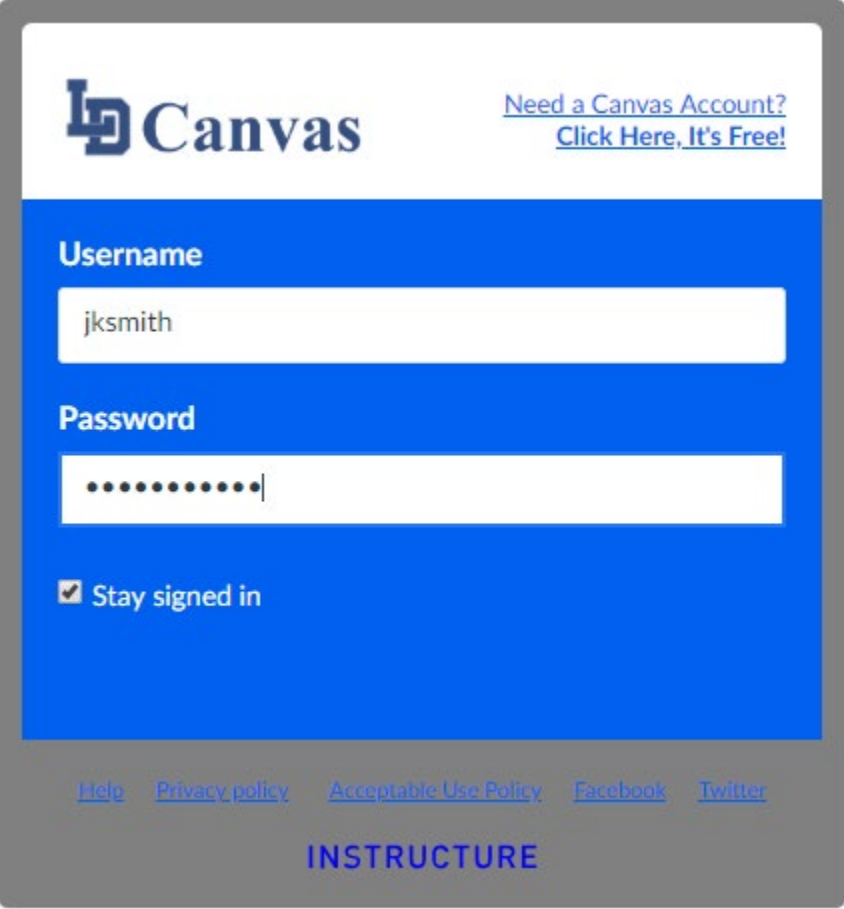
Parents can create a Canvas observer account using Lower Dauphin's Canvas URL (<https://ldsd.instructure.com>)

To observe the student's account, you must know the **student's pairing code** which can be found in the student's account settings.

These steps must be completed through the web version of Canvas. The signup process cannot be done through the mobile app.

To Find Your Student's Pairing Code:

- Go to Lower Dauphin's Canvas URL (<https://ldsd.instructure.com>)
- Have your student log onto his/her account.
- The username/password is the same as the username/password they use to log onto their district issued laptop



Canvas

[Need a Canvas Account?
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Username

jksmith

Password

.....

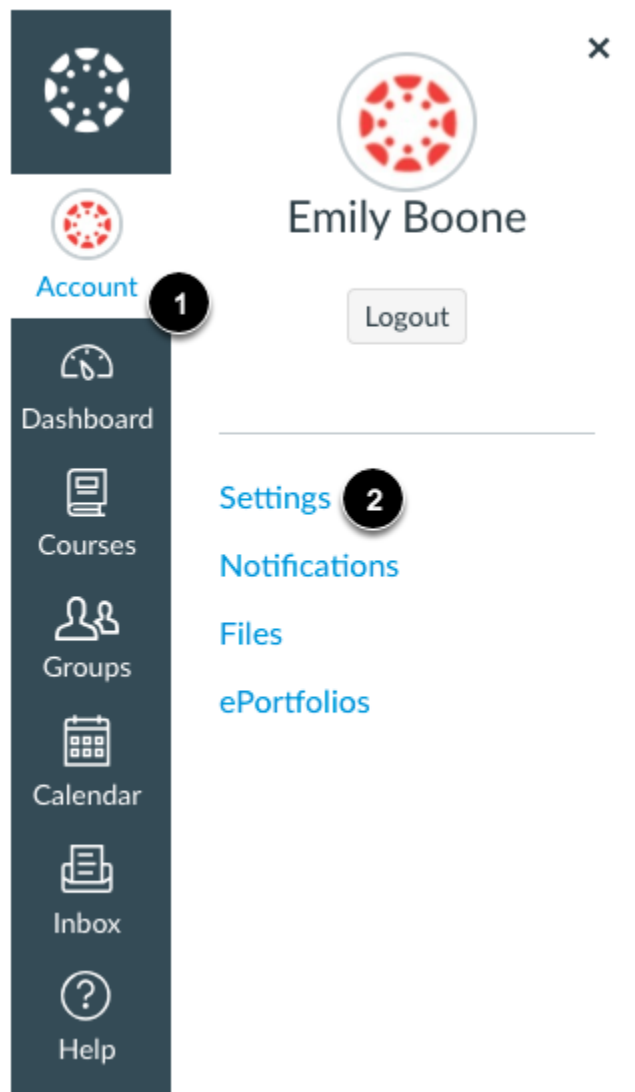
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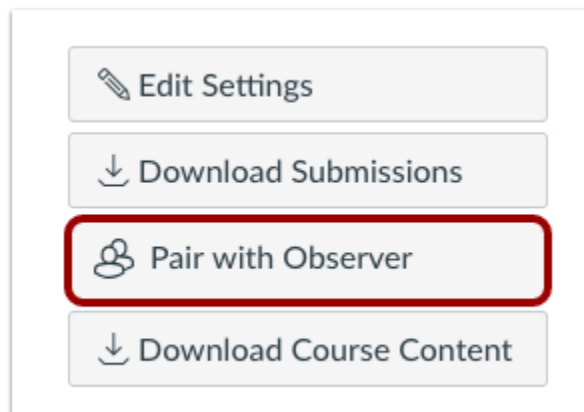
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- 1) Click on Account

2) Click on Settings



Click **Pair with Observer** (located in the lower right corner of the settings window)



The code will appear for you to copy into your sign up information later.

****Note: Pairing Codes are Case Sensitive**

Pair with Observer

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Share the following pairing code with an observer to allow them to connect with you. This code will expire in seven days, or after one use.

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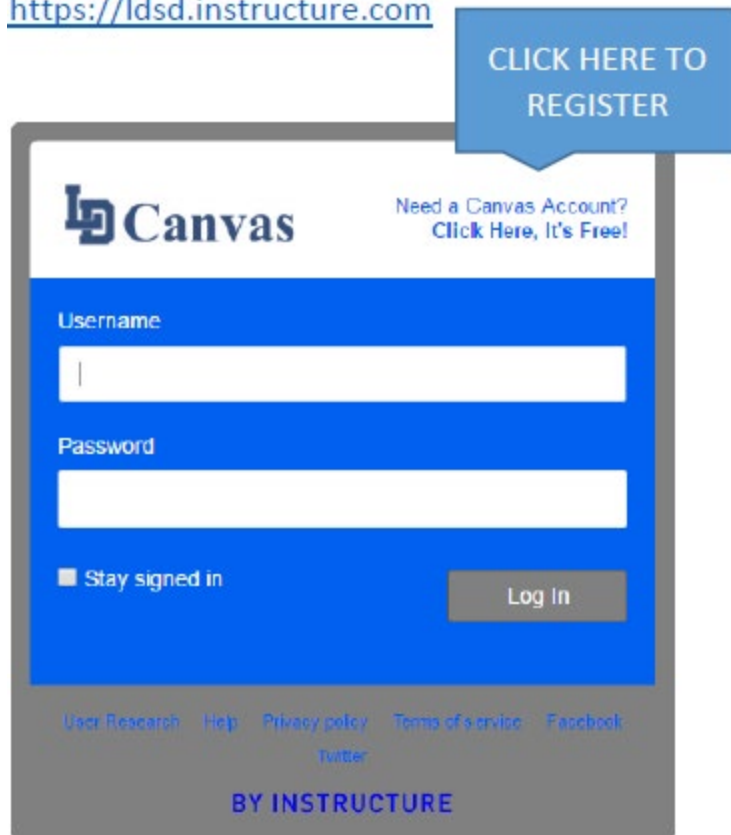
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To Create Your Parent Observer Account

Open Canvas URL

<https://ldsd.instructure.com>

CLICK HERE TO REGISTER



The image shows the Canvas login page. At the top left is the Canvas logo. To its right is the text "Need a Canvas Account? Click Here, It's Free!". Below the logo is a blue box containing the login form. The form has two input fields: "Username" and "Password". Below the "Password" field is a checkbox labeled "Stay signed in" and a "Log In" button. At the bottom of the page, there are links for "User Research", "Help", "Privacy policy", "Terms of service", "Facebook", and "Twitter". The text "BY INSTRUCTURE" is at the bottom center.

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Sign Up As a Parent (Free Account)



The image is a banner with a light blue border. It contains the text "Sign up now, it's free!" in a large, bold, italicized font. Below this text are two buttons: a blue button labeled "I'M A TEACHER" and a green button labeled "I'M A STUDENT". At the bottom center, there is a link "Parents sign up here" which is highlighted with a red rectangular box.

*Sign up now,
it's free!*

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TEACHER

I'M A
STUDENT

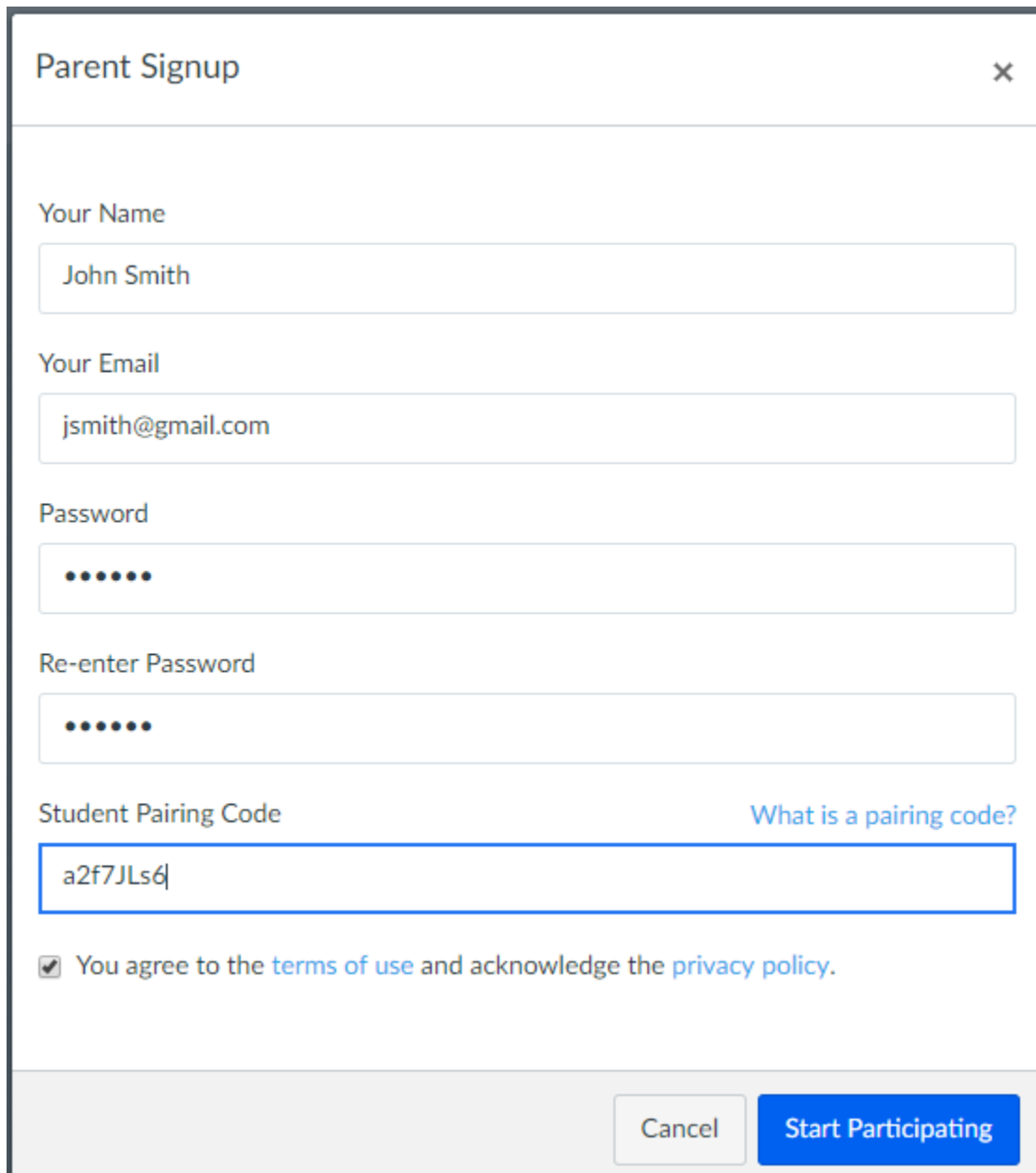
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up here link.

Click the **Parents sign**

You Must Enter the Required Information:

- 1) Your Name
- 2) Your Email Address
- 3) A Password (***The password that you create must be 8 characters in length***)
- 4) Student's Pairing Code
- 5) Agree to the terms of use by clicking the **You agree to the terms of use** check box.



The image shows a 'Parent Signup' form with a close button (X) in the top right corner. The form contains several input fields: 'Your Name' with the value 'John Smith', 'Your Email' with the value 'jsmith@gmail.com', 'Password' with masked characters '.....', and 'Re-enter Password' also with masked characters '.....'. Below these is the 'Student Pairing Code' field with the value 'a2f7JLs6', accompanied by a link 'What is a pairing code?'. At the bottom, there is a checked checkbox for 'You agree to the terms of use and acknowledge the privacy policy.' and two buttons: 'Cancel' and 'Start Participating'.

Parent Signup

Your Name

John Smith

Your Email

jsmith@gmail.com

Password

.....

Re-enter Password

.....

Student Pairing Code

What is a pairing code?

a2f7JLs6

☒ You agree to the [terms of use](#) and acknowledge the [privacy policy](#).

Cancel Start Participating

Click Start Participating

After you've clicked Start Participating, you will see your student's dashboard exactly as they see it. You can now view their upcoming assignments, tests, quizzes etc.

*For help with this process, please call the district Help Desk at (717)566-5392