Create an Observer Account

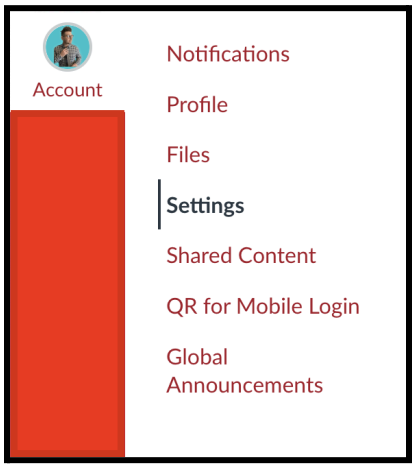
An observer account will allow a parent or guardian to see content, feedback, and due dates in their student's courses. Follow the steps below or watch this short video (https://bit.ly/gcssparentobserver).

Step 1: Get a pairing code from your student

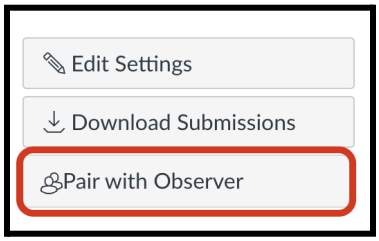
Student in Canvas:

Click Account

Choose Settings

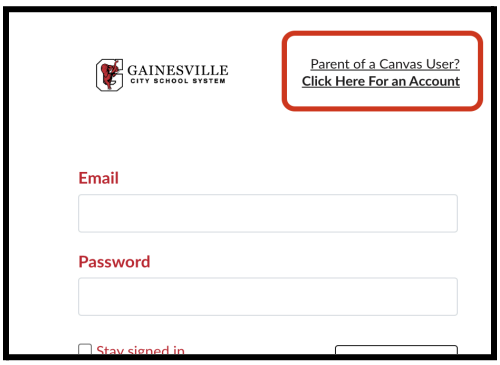


On right, click "Pair with Observer"



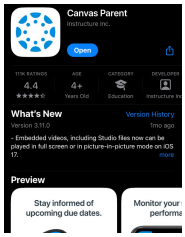
Step 2: Copy the pairing code

Step 3: Go to this site (http://gcss.instructure.com/login/canvas) and click "Parent of a Canvas User?"

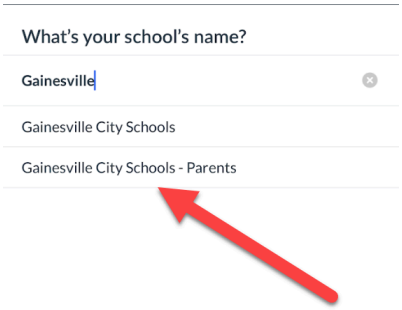


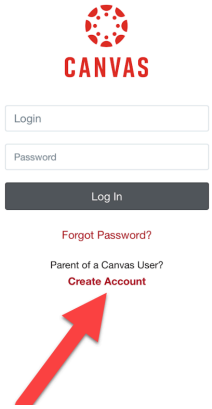
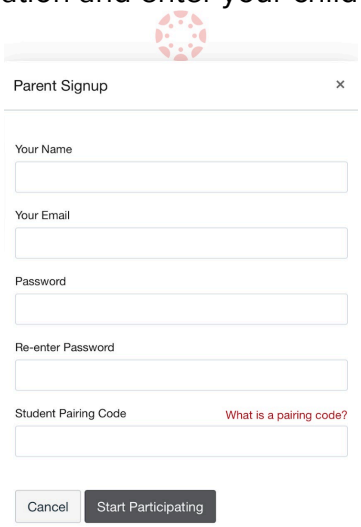
Mobile App Instructions

Step 1: Download and install the Canvas Parent app from the app store



Step 2: Select “Find School”, type in Gainesville City and select “Gainesville City Schools - Parents”, and select “Create Account” if you don’t already have an account





Step 3: Complete your account information and enter your child’s Student Pairing Code