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Power Up Your Canvas Course

Canvas Advanced Essentials: Phase 1



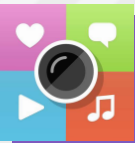
1. Use the Conferences Link

If you would like to be able to help students virtually, you can [use the Conferences link](#). You can invite the entire class or you can set up appointments and virtually tutor individual students.

2. Use an iFrame to Embed Sites



Instead of putting a link to a website, you can [embed the site](#) in a Canvas content page using the iFrame tag. If you aren't great at coding, use an [iFrame Generator](#).



3. Use ThingLink for a Cool Homepage

A home page can be more aesthetically pleasing if it has images or one image with "hotspots" to navigate the course. You build your image and tags in Thinglink and then [embed in a content page](#).

4. Use the Style Guide



You can "spruce" up your course with some interesting features using HTML. Canvas has a [style guide](#) you can reference. Just go to your canvas link and type "/styleguide" at the end.



5. Try Mastery Paths

Performance on a pre-assessment designates conditional assignments for students [when using Mastery Paths](#). By doing this, you put each student on his own learning path.

6. Use the Redirect App



Have a page students need direct access to? This [app will allow you](#) to customize your course navigation by adding direct links to most-used pages.

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7. Add a FlipGrid Assignment

[FlipGrid](#) is a great video discussion platform. Let students discuss a book, explain a math problem, practice foreign language, and more, all within the safe confines of your Canvas course.

8. Use PowToon for Lesson Introductions



Powtoon is a fun, engaging animation software that is free and easy to use. When you [publish your Powtoon](#), choose the embed code option. Copy it and paste this code into your HTML Editor.