

Canvas offers a wide range of features depending on your educational needs. To introduce Canvas as a learning platform, Canvas offers a Free-for-Teacher account that is always free. To sign up, visit <https://www.canvaslms.com/try-canvas>.

Free-for-Teacher accounts do not contain all options available to paid Canvas environments. The following table shows feature availability in Free-for-Teacher accounts. For more information about a Canvas feature, please visit the Canvas Guides (guides.canvaslms.com).

Feature	Paid Canvas	Free for Teacher
Course-level Features (Announcements, Assignments, Discussions, Grades, People, Pages, Files, Syllabus, Outcomes, Quizzes, Modules, Conferences, Collaborations, Course Settings)	✓	✓
Account and Sub-account Management	✓	
Account and Sub-account Branding (Theme Editor)	✓	
Custom User Permissions	✓	
Terms Management	✓	
Third-party/SSO Authentication	Custom authentication with any available authentication provider	Canvas authentication, Facebook, GitHub, Google, LinkedIn, Microsoft, Twitter
Admin Tools, Data, and Reports	✓	
Student Information System (SIS) Imports	✓	
Canvas-Enabled External Tools (LTIs)	Chat, Quizzes.Next Quizzes tool, Roll Call Attendance, SCORM (Assignments)	Chat (<i>contact Support to enable</i>), Roll Call Attendance
File Storage	500 MB/course 50 MB user/group*	250 MB/course 50 MB user/group*
Third-Party External Apps Management (LTIs)	Account/course level	Course level
Multiple Grading Periods	✓	
Calendar Scheduler	✓	
Canvas Customer Support/Admin Ticketing System	✓	
User Roles	Student, Teacher, TA, Designer, Observer + Custom Roles	Student, Teacher, TA, Designer, Observer
Canvas Commons Resources	✓	✓

Canvas includes several feature options that may affect the workflow of common account and/or course activities. The following table indicates feature option availability in Free-for-Teacher accounts. For more information about each feature option, visit the Settings chapter in the Canvas Guides for the Admin Guide and Instructor Guide, respectively.

Account Feature Options	Paid Canvas	Free for Teacher
Enable new SIS integration settings	✓	
K-12 Specific Features	✓	
Public Course Index	✓	✓
Allow Bulk Grade Export to SIS	✓	
International SMS	✓	
Wrap Event Titles in Calendar Month View	✓	
Blueprint Courses	✓	
Student Context Card	✓	✓
New User Tutorial	✓	✓
Rubric Criterion Range	✓	✓
Encrypted Sourcedids for Basic Outcomes	✓	

Course Feature Options	Paid Canvas	Free for Teacher
ePub/HTML Exporting	✓	
Learning Mastery Gradebook	✓	✓
Student Learning Mastery Gradebook	✓	✓
Allow Outcome Extra Credit	✓	
Post Grades to SIS	✓	
Anonymous Instructor Annotations	✓	✓
New Gradebook	✓	
Recurring Calendar Events	✓	✓
Gradebook - List Students by Sortable Name	✓	✓
Require Usage Rights for Uploaded Files	✓	

Enable Dashboard Images for Courses	✓	✓
Anonymous Grading	✓	✓
MasteryPaths	✓	✓
External Collaborations Tool	✓	
Quiz Log Auditing	✓	✓

*Student assignment submissions are not counted toward the user quota. Student group submissions are not counted toward the group quota.