

Resources available through Canvas

You don't have to be teaching online to use these great tools!

Turnitin

Did you know that Turnitin does more than detect plagiarism? While Turnitin does combine cutting edge tools with curricular resources to deter plagiarism, it also allows you to create rubrics for assignments that can make your feedback process faster, easier, and more consistent. Turnitin's Teaching Tools library has a library of free downloadable grading rubrics that you can browse. It even allows for voice recording of comments for your students.

Gradescope

If you're a math or science teacher or anyone that regularly gives paper-based tests (especially if they rely heavily on notation or sketches that can't be easily created digitally), Gradescope is a tool that will allow you to scan and upload tests and then apply rubrics to grade them. It even allows you to adjust the rubric mid-grading and will retroactively update all graded tests with the new rubric information. If you teach programming, Gradescope also can be used to detect plagiarism in coding assignments.

StudyMate

Students learn course materials with fun, interactive activities including flash cards, crosswords, matching, self-quizzes, and more. What sets StudyMate Campus apart from flashcard websites is that it works seamlessly with your LMS. There are no external websites to go to, no registration steps, and no URLs to track. Simply login to your LMS and use StudyMate like a native tool.

NetTutor

NetTutor is a free online tutoring service that is available 24-7 and is fully integrated with Canvas.

Canvas Gradebook

Instructors teaching traditional classes can make use of the Canvas gradebook as a transparent, FERPA-compliant way for students to see how they're doing in classes.

ConferZoom

If you'd like to schedule one-on-one or group sessions through video-chats, Confer-Zoom allows this. It will also allow you to share your screen and record sessions so that you can share them with the class. This is a good tool to help in sharing answers to frequently asked questions.

Respondus Monitor

Respondus Monitor is a fully automated proctoring solution that enables students to take online exams at any time of the day or night, without pre-scheduling. Students use a webcam to record themselves during an exam and the browser is locked-down, which will not allow students to access any information on the web. A "startup sequence" guides students through requirements selected by the instructor, such as showing identification and/or making a short video of the exam environment. Only the instructor can review video recordings and the results of the proctoring session. This tool could be used by instructors of non-Distance Ed courses for giving make-up tests.