

Accessing CANVAS for Learning at Home

CANVAS is a learning management system that enables students to access learning at home. We are using it at school in differing ways for all of our students from Kinder to Year 6. We are using CANVAS as it allows families to access the learning resources on multiple platforms (iPad/iPhone, PC, Apple computers, Android tablets/phones). Through CANVAS students are able to access Microsoft Teams to have live video sessions with their teachers. Teachers are developing timetables to inform you when these sessions will take place. Sessions can be recorded to ensure students who do not make the live sessions do not miss out.

Please remember teachers have been undergoing intense professional learning to learn about and understand these systems. The first weeks will be the first time they have actually used them with groups of students so we do expect some teething problems. Don't be alarmed by this, it is all a part of the learning by all of us. We will support you getting connected.

How to access CANVAS through the Student App:



The CANVAS Student App can be downloaded from the App Store (Apple devices):

<https://apps.apple.com/us/app/canvas-student/id480883488>

or Google Play Store (Android devices):

<https://play.google.com/store/apps/details?id=com.instructure.candroid&hl=en>

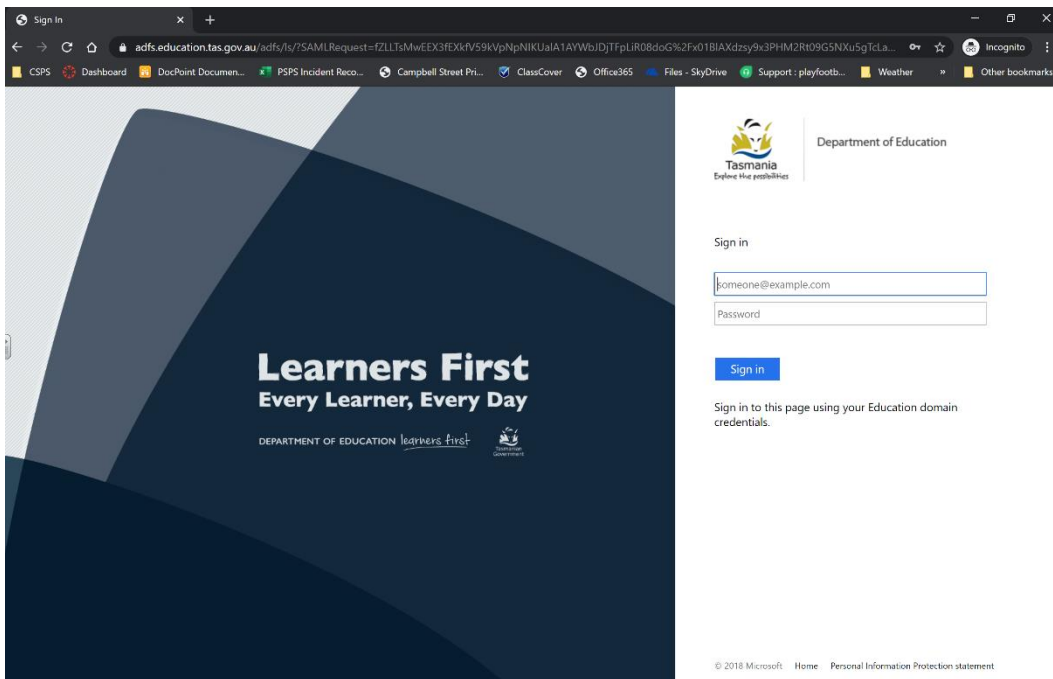
Once installed you need to find our school:

The image consists of three sequential screenshots from a mobile device, illustrating the process of finding a school in the Canvas Student App. The first screenshot shows the app's main screen with the 'Find my school' button highlighted by a red arrow. The second screenshot shows the 'What's your school's name?' search screen with 'princes' entered in the search field and 'Princes Street Primary (Tas)' listed as a suggestion; a red arrow points from the search field to the suggestion. The third screenshot shows the login screen with the username field containing 'username@education.tas.edu.au' and a red arrow pointing from the search results in the previous screenshot to this field. The screenshots also show the status bar at the top of the device, indicating the time and battery level.

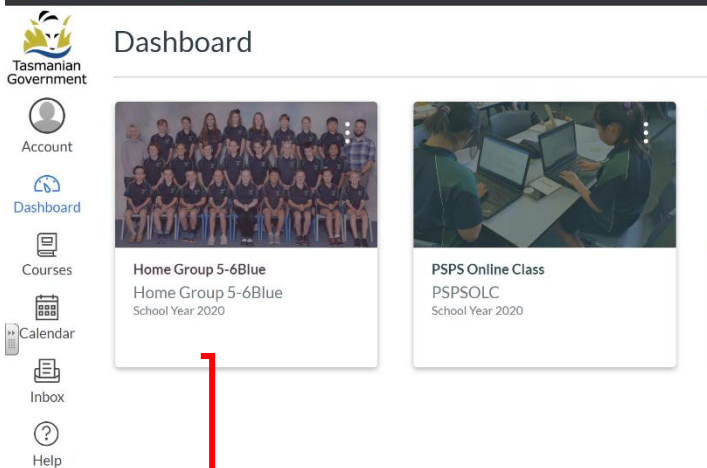
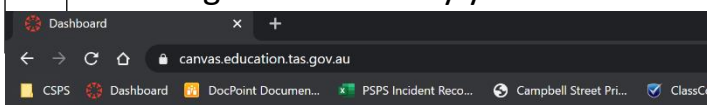
Once these steps have been completed your child should see the Online Classrooms they have access to.

If you are on a desktop or laptop computer, PC or Apple, you access CANVAS through a Weblink: <http://canvas.education.tas.gov.au/> (please note that CANVAS works best with Google Chrome)

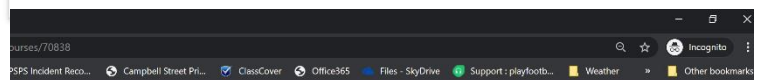
The canvas link will direct you to the login screen: Students use their username and password to login (See the username and password link for more information)



Once signed in correctly your CANVAS Dashboard should be displayed:



Students may have access to a number of online classes in CANVAS: Their general class, Music, PE, Chinese, etc depending on their grade level. They can access activities in any classes they have access to.



TEAMS link: to access the teacher. Timetable to be distributed outlining times teacher will be available using this link. Information coming out tomorrow about accessing TEAMS.

