Add Piazza to your Canvas Course Site

Piazza is an online discussion website that gives students anonymity options to encourage everyone—even shy students—to ask and answer questions. Instructor endorsements of good questions and answers let instructors push the class in the right direction.

🔗 Piazza Benefits

- Ask students directly for anonymous feedback by posting a poll after a lecture.
- Wiki-style QA makes finding the (single) answer easy.
- Create a class that’s student-driven, instructor-controlled.
- Manage course QA.
- View class participation to learn more about your students.

Never seen Piazza before? See what Piazza looks like before you set one up for yourself: Piazza Demo Course

- With integrating Piazza into your Canvas course, the students will not have to leave the site in order to participate.

Here are some Piazza (Vendor) Professor Success Stories.

How to add Piazza to your Canvas Course Site

1. Go to Settings from your Course Navigation, then “Navigation”. Piazza will be disabled by default, so in order to enable Piazza, you will want to drag it up into the navigation that is visible to the students.
To Create a Piazza Course or Link to an Existing Piazza Course:

1. To Create a Piazza Course, fill out the information under “Create a Piazza Course”.

2. To Link to an Existing Piazza Course, fill out the information under “Already Created a Class in Piazza”.
3. If you already have an account with Piazza, please log in with your password.

4. If you do not have a Piazza account, please follow the prompts on the screen:
Welcome to Piazza!
Piazza is a free platform for instructors to better manage course discussions, assignments, and exams. If you have enrolled in a course on piazza.com and your instructor has requested you answer these questions:

If you do not have a Piazza account, please fill out this information.

The name Piazza comes from the Italian word for plaza or open city square where people can come together to share knowledge and ideas. Piazza fosters an open and collaborative atmosphere among students and instructors.

See why Piazza works.

Set Up Your Piazza account:

Academic Information (required)

What degree are you currently pursuing?

Graduate Program: [Select current program...]

Major: [Enter current major...]

Anticipated Completion: [Select Month and Year...]

I'm not pursuing a degree.

This information will be used for collaborative features on Piazza. We will never share your information without your permission.

Contact us at learn@piazza.com with any questions.

Fill out this information as well.

Success! Before heading to your classes, take a moment to register for Piazza Careers...
5. Once you are logged in, you will see the Piazza course within your shell. You will not have to log into Piazza again.