

Hello new Falcon Families!

In our last newsletter, we discussed Skyward. The other main platform to know about is Canvas. Canvas is a learning management system where teachers house their agendas for the week, the assignments students will access, and resources the students may need. What's the difference?

Teachers: Just log into Zablezoot, scroll down to the Zorkle app and have the kids work on the assignments sent through Kracklezam or check the links posted in Zumblekick.

Parents:



Skyward	Canvas
Missing assignments can be seen at the top of the Gradebook page.	What is happening for the day (ex: agendas, learning targets, activities) can be seen on the home page of each class.
Live grades/assignment points can be seen by clicking on the Gradebook tab.	Within an assignment, you can find detailed assignment information (such as requirements, rubrics, etc.), as well as the final grade percentage and any feedback.
Report Cards can be seen by clicking on the Portfolio tab.	*Do not use the Canvas gradebook to determine the overall grade in the class. This is NOT the same thing as Skyward! (For example, Skyward may include paper-copy items that are not found in Canvas' grade book.)

If you ever want to know what your child is working on in a class, this is the place to check. If your child will be absent, please refer to each teacher's Canvas page for the concepts/assignments that were missed. The three links below contain extremely helpful information regarding how to use Canvas from a parent/guardian lens.

[Canvas Help Guide](#) - Basic overview

[Canvas Assignments 101](#) - "Is it submitted?"

[Canvas Parent Accounts](#) - "I need the pairing code for my child's Canvas account."

We look forward to seeing you all soon! And as always - *It's a great day to be a Falcon!*

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