

American River College - Instructional Technology Center

Canvas Resources

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Library Links are Changing for Canvas - Spring 2024

Updated 12/05/23

Greetings from the ARC Library -

The Los Rios Libraries are changing the way we provide off-campus access to many library resources. We've done a lot of updating behind the scenes already, but ***you will need to take action if you're sharing links to certain types of library material*** in Canvas, your syllabus, or other course materials.

We will have a temporary redirect, but your links will need to be updated for Spring 2024 to ensure students continue to have access. If you are adjunct faculty teaching at multiple Los Rios colleges, it's also important that you're updating your links with the college-specific information (see an example below).

We have created an easy tool to help you convert links and we've also created an FAQ that you can bookmark now so you don't have to come searching for this message later. We urge you to take action as soon as possible so that your students experience a seamless transition.

Links to Help You Make Updates

- [Library Link Converter Tool](#)
- [How will library links be changing over winter break?](#)

Example:

You teach public speaking at ARC and CRC and are sharing a link to an ebook from the EBSCO Ebook Collection database. You will convert your link twice, once for your ARC Class and once for your CRC class.

This is the original link:

<https://ezproxy.losrios.edu/login?url=https://search.ebscohost.com/login.aspx?direct=true&db=nlebk&AN=1913584&site=ehost-live&scope=site>

This is what it looks like after conversion for each college:

ARC:

<https://arclosrios.idm.oclc.org/login?url=https://search.ebscohost.com/login.aspx?direct=true&db=nlebk&AN=1913584&site=ehost-live&scope=site>

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If you have any questions, please feel free to [email the library](#)