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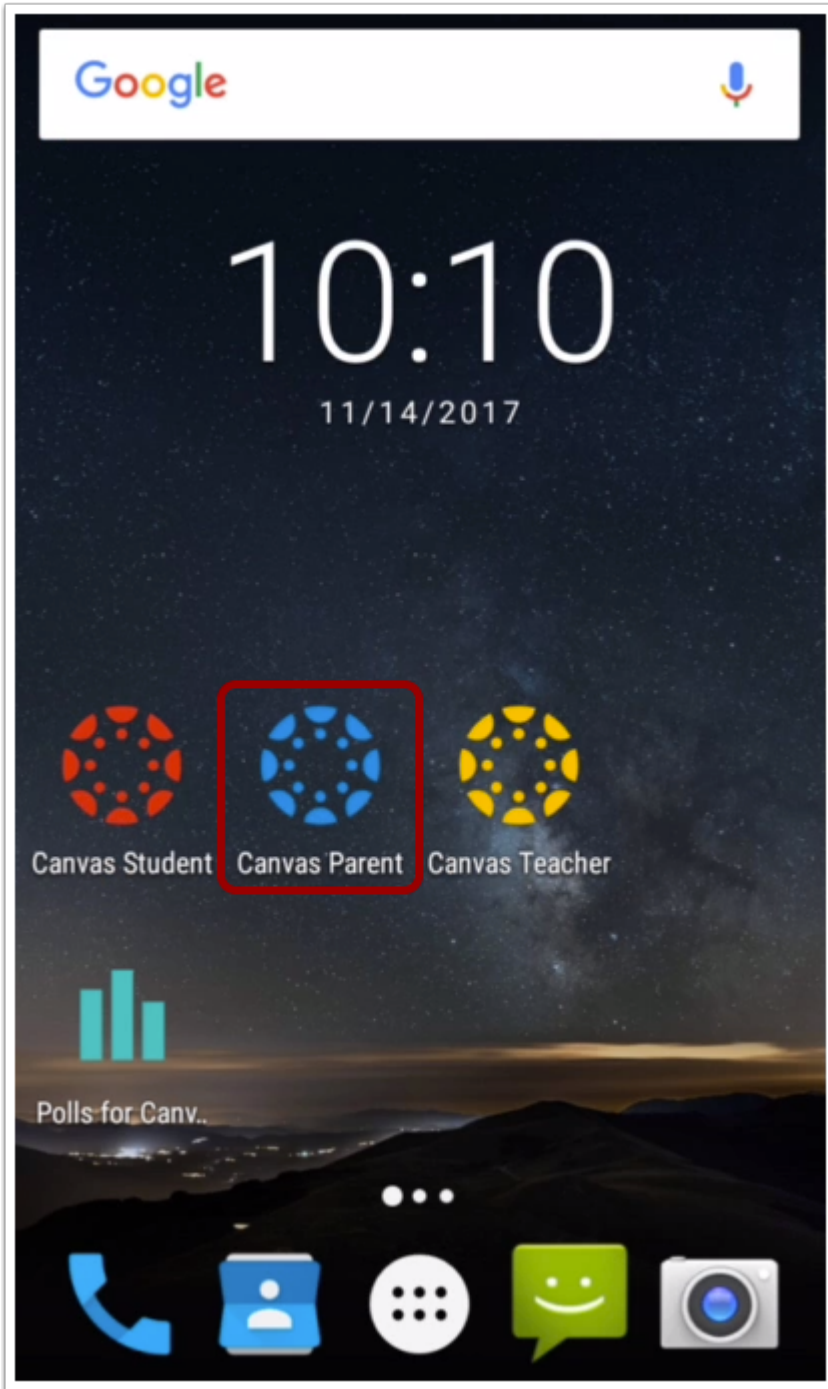# How do I log in to the Canvas Parent app on my Android device?

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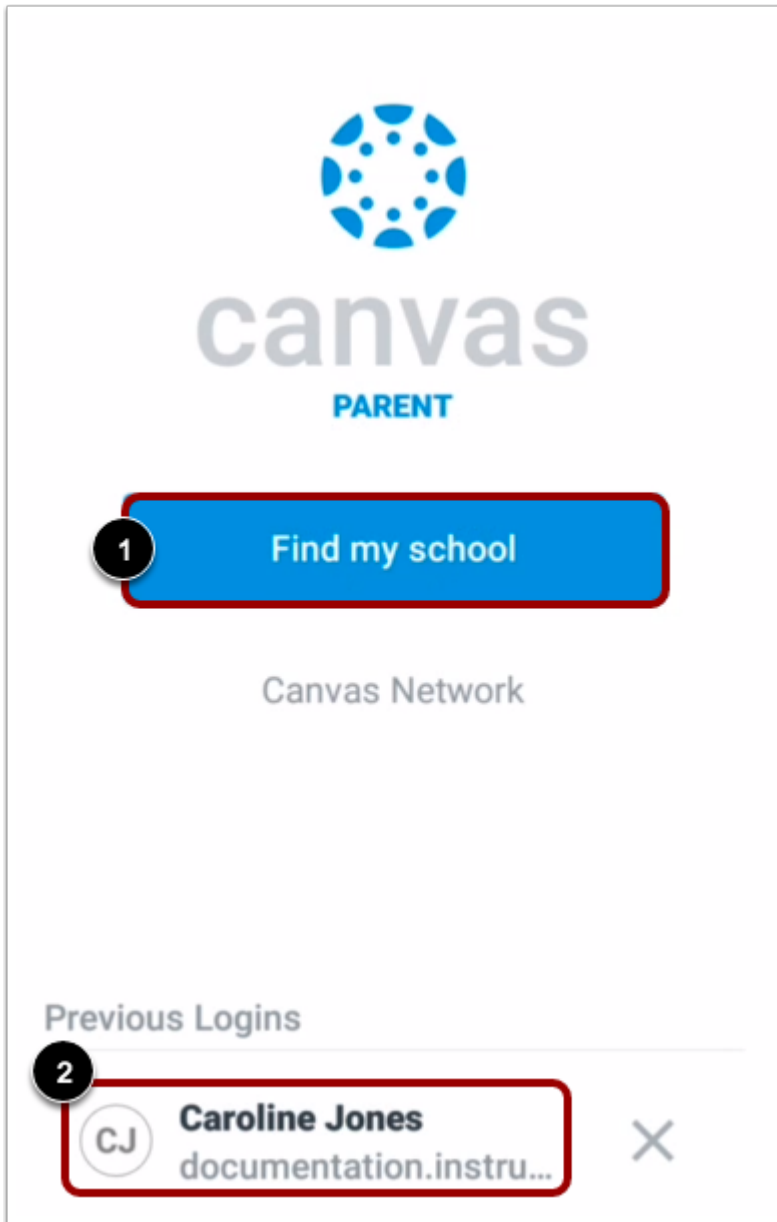👍 Like • 0   💬 Comment • 0   ↗

In the Canvas Parent app, you can log in with Canvas observer credentials to view student course information. If you do not have a Canvas account, you can   create an account in the Parent app.

Open App

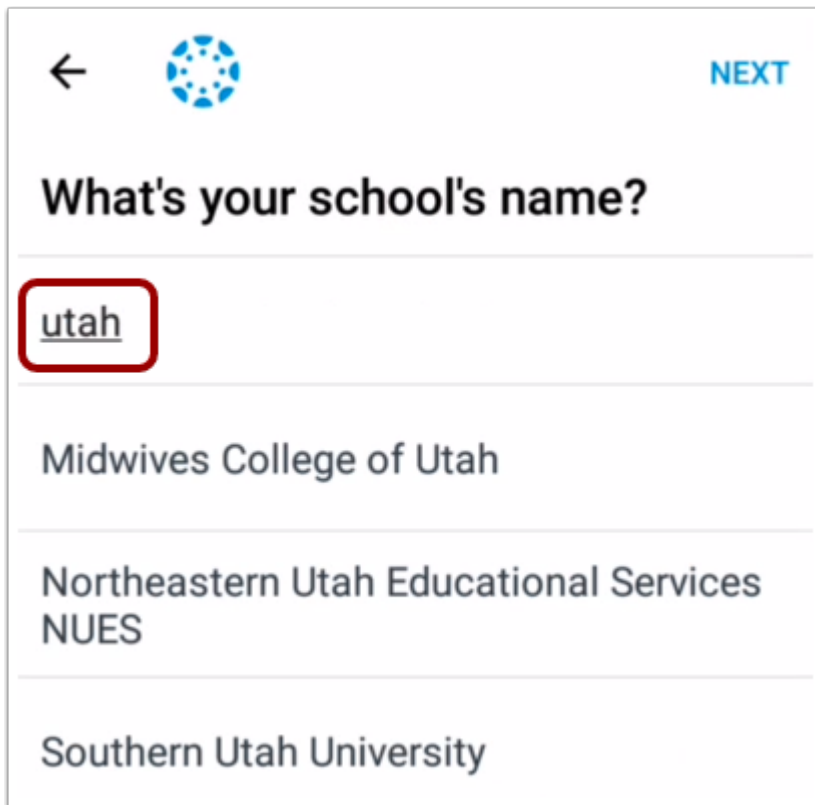Open your device and tap the **Canvas Parent** icon.

Find Your School

To find your institution, tap the **Find my school** button [1].

If you have previously logged into the app, you may be able to log into the app using a previous login. To use a previous login, tap your username [2].
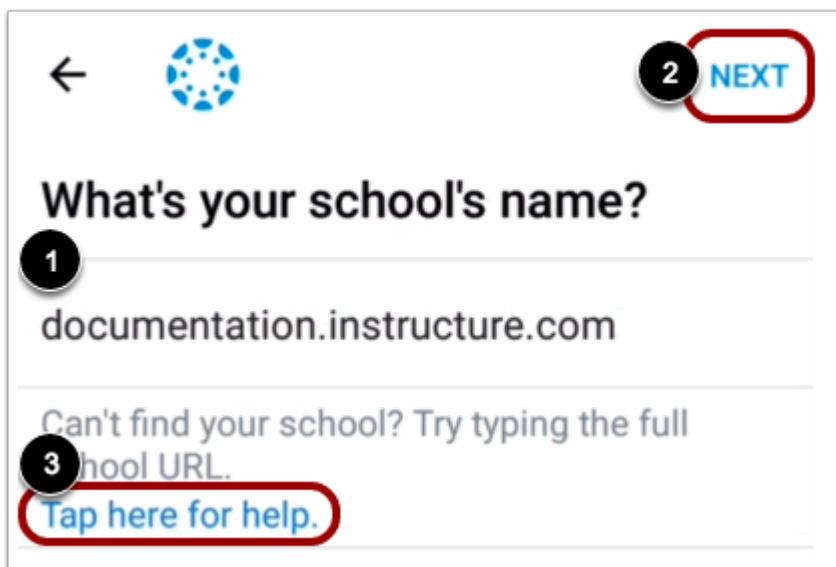
Find Institution

Enter the name of your institution or school district. When the full name appears in the search list, tap the name.

Note: If you are an admin and your school does not appear in the search list, please contact your CSM about mobile smart search.
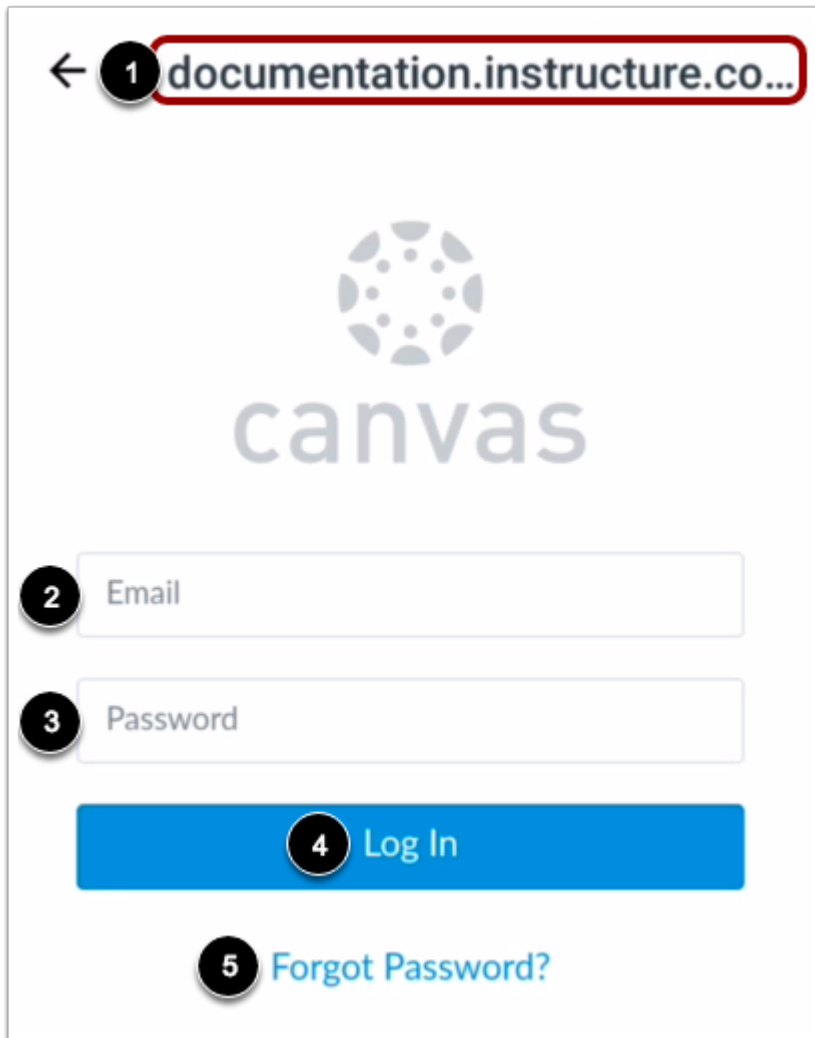
Enter Canvas URL

You can also log in using your Canvas URL. Enter your institution's Canvas URL in the search field [1]. Then tap the **Next** link [2].

If you don't know your Canvas URL, tap the **Tap here for help** link {3}.
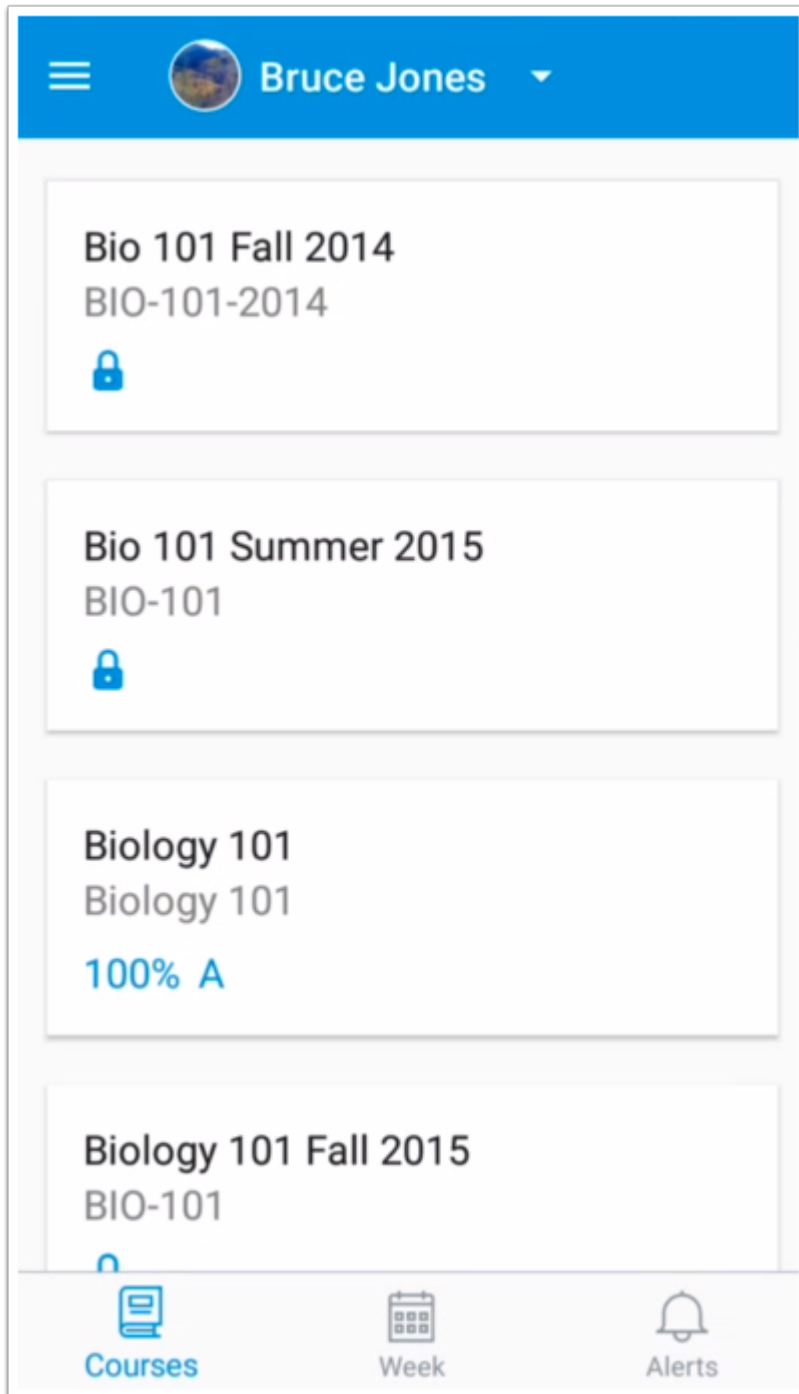
Enter Login Credentials

After you've located an account, you can view the Canvas URL at the top of the screen [1]. Enter your email [2] and password [3]. Then tap the **Log In** button [4].

If you don't know your password, tap the **Forgot Password?** link [5].

Notes:

- The Canvas email field credential varies according to institution. Some institutions may require a username or account number.
- If your Canvas mobile login page does not show the Forgot Password? link, contact your institution if you need to reset your password.
- If your institution requires you to log in to Canvas using their authentication system, you will be redirected to your institution's login page.

View Dashboard

View the course list for your student.

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