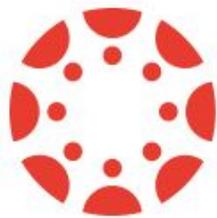


PlagScan



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Manual:
PlagScan LTI2 Plugin in Canvas
for Students

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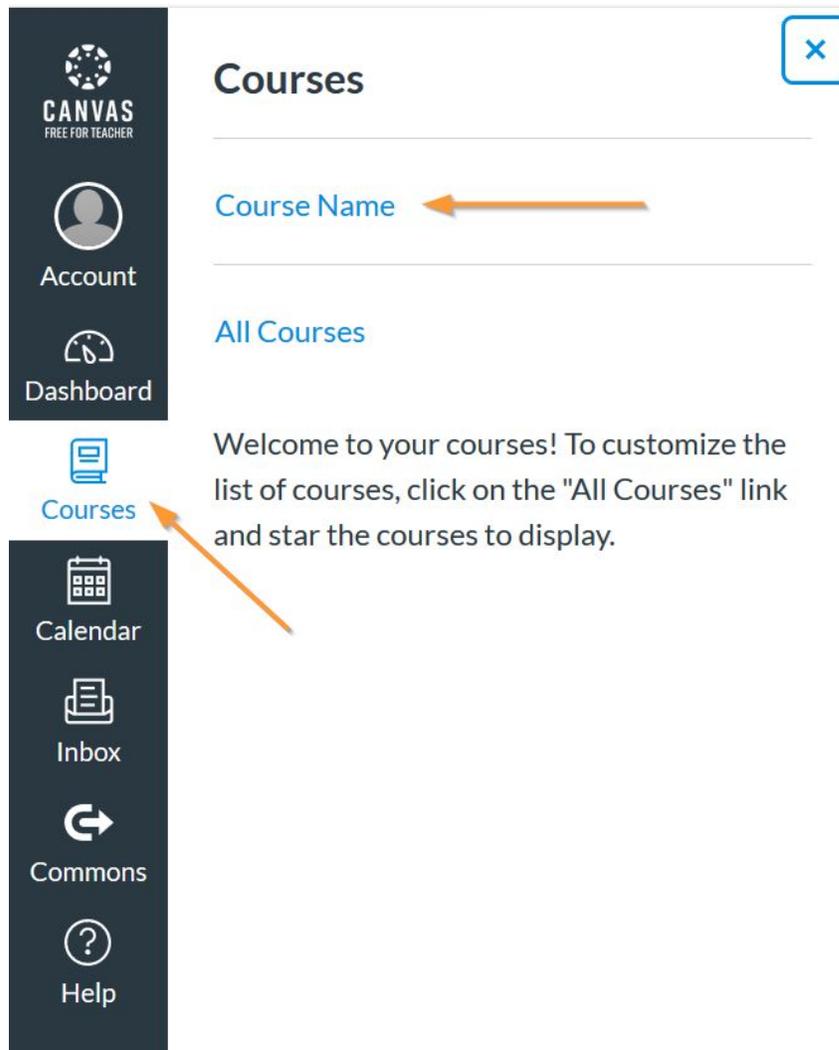
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Phase 1: Submitting a document

1. Navigate to the Canvas website <https://canvas.instructure.com/> and log in with your Canvas student account.
2. Once logged in, click the “**Courses**” button on the left hand side menu and then select your course.



3. Inside your Course click **“Assignments”** on the right side menu and select the Assignment you want to submit your document to, to see further details. Click on the **“Submit Assignment”** button to upload your document.

The screenshot displays the Canvas LMS interface for a course. On the left is a dark sidebar with navigation icons and labels: Home, Account, Dashboard, Courses, Calendar, Inbox, Commons, and Help. The top navigation bar shows a breadcrumb path: > Assignments > Assignment One. Below this, a list of course items includes Home, Assignments (highlighted in blue), Discussions, Grades, People, Syllabus, Conferences, and Collaborations. The main content area for 'Assignment One' shows a 'Submit Assignment' button in the top right. Below the button, the assignment details are displayed: 'Due No Due Date', 'Points 0', and 'Submitting a file upload'. The content area below this shows 'No Content'. Two orange arrows are overlaid on the image: one points to the 'Assignments' link in the top navigation bar, and the other points to the 'Submit Assignment' button.

4. A new section will open. **Select the file(s)** you want to upload to the assignment and make sure to check the box for “This assignment submission is my own, original work”.
5. Click on “**Submit Assignment**” to upload and submit your file.
6. After submission your document will automatically be checked by PlagScan.

Home > [Assignments](#) > Assignment One

Assignment One

Due No Due Date Points 0 Submitting a file upload

No Content

File Upload [Google Doc](#)

Upload a file, or choose a file you've already uploaded.

File: No file selected.

[+ Add Another File](#)

[Click here to find a file you've already uploaded](#)

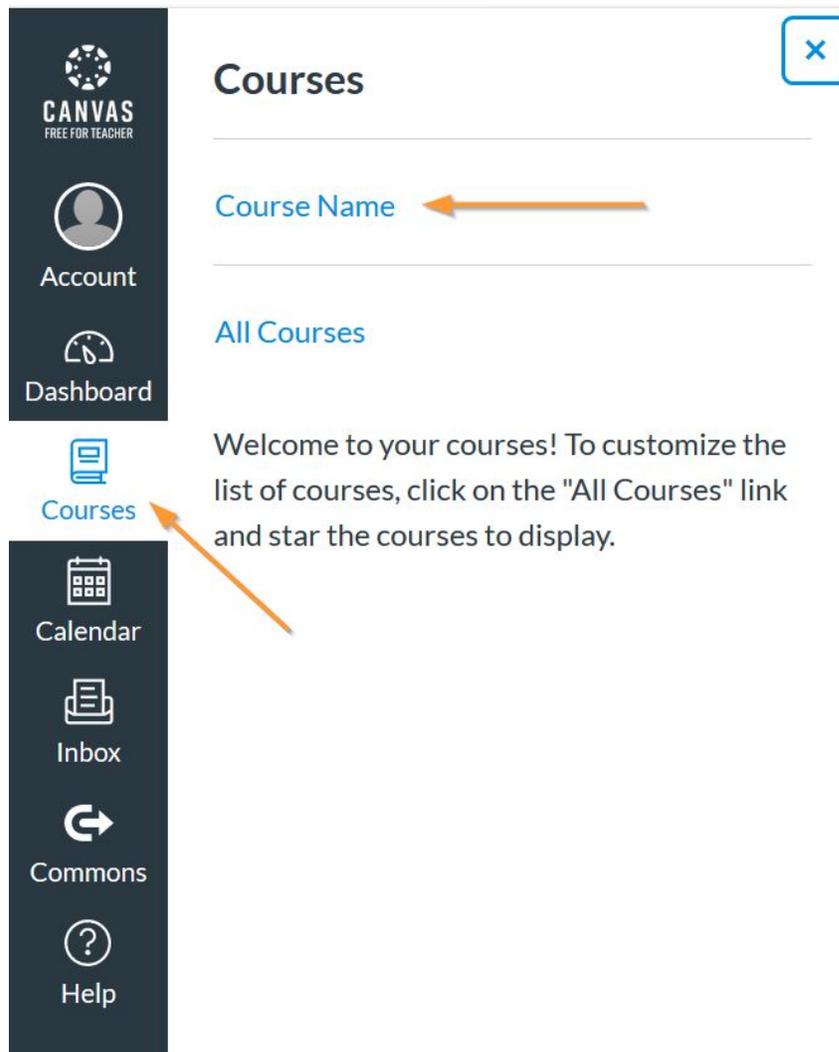
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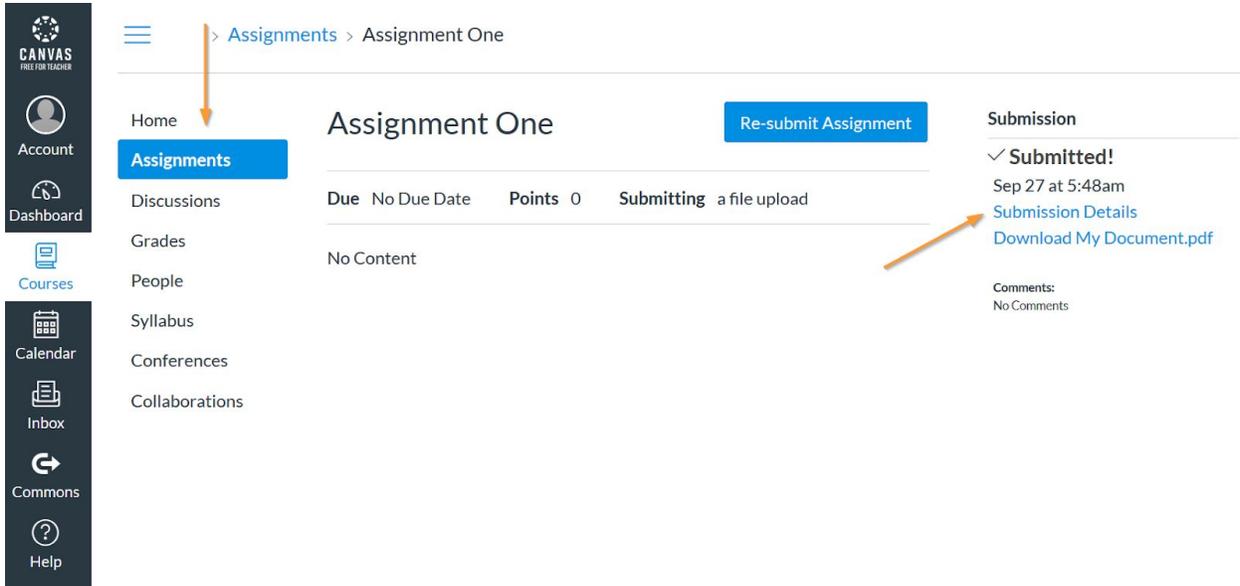
Phase 2: Access the PlagScan Report

NOTE: If a teacher or instructor decides not to share PlagScan's Plagiarism Report with students, you will not be able to see it.

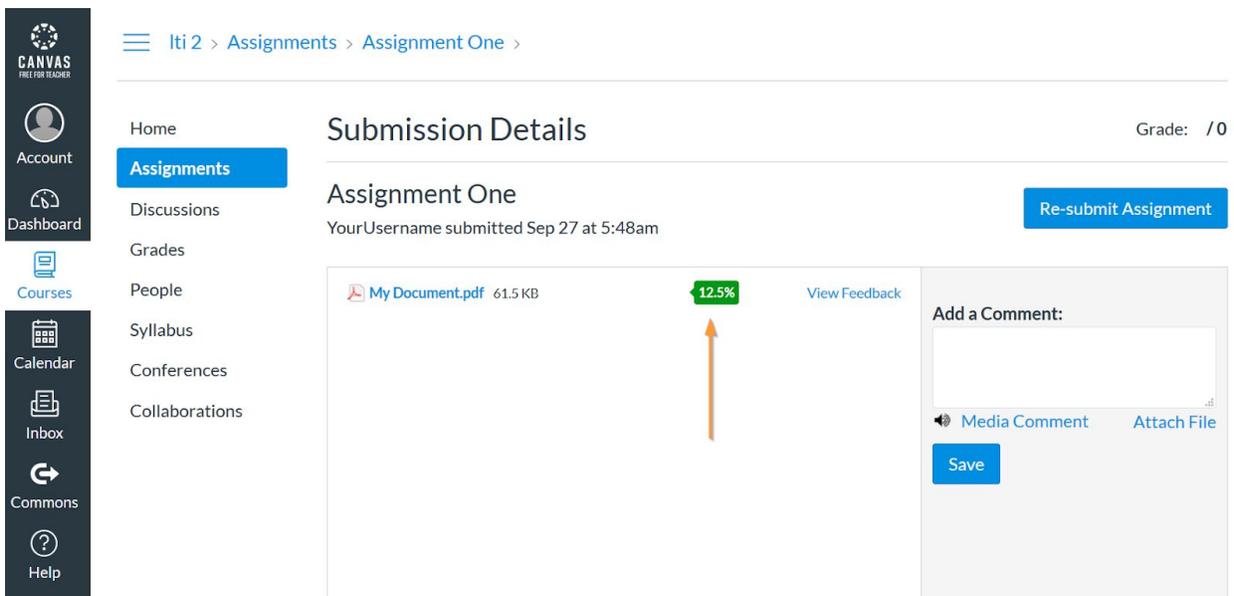
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2. Once logged in, click the “**Courses**” button on the left hand side menu and then select your course.



3. Inside your Course click **“Assignments”** on the right side menu and select the Assignment you want to check for the plagiarism report.
4. Click the link for **“Submission Details”** on the right hand side.



5. A new page with the submission details will open. Once your document was checked and the report created, you will be able to see a **colored box containing the PlagLevel**. This percentage indicates the **potential amount of plagiarism** in your document.



Phase 3: About the PlagScan Report

PlagLevel

< 1%

1-5%

> 5%

The PlagLevel is an estimate of how much content within a document is plagiarized. In order to indicate if a document requires in-depth investigation, PlagScan calculates the percentage of duplicated content.

< 1%

Due to a very low percentage of matches, your document is unlikely to contain plagiarism (from the internet or local databases).

1-5%

A closer look at the document report is recommended.

> 5%

The document most likely contains plagiarism. Please consider an in-depth look at the report.

Interactive Browser Report

19.2% PlagScan PRO Results of plagiarism analysis from 10.01.2019, 16:57 Example_Document.docx ⚠ Date: 10.01.2019, 16:55

View: All sources (14) 12 matches You have view only access Comments (2)

- All sources (14)
- Top three (3)
- Internet sources (11)
- Own documents (1)
- Organization archive (1)
- Plagiarism Prevention Pool (1)

It wasn't until the end of the 19th century when the goals of the university changed that the concept of academic integrity changed. To decide whether a source was intentionally omitted or forgotten, many institutions are nowadays using plagiarism software. It will look for similarities within the submitted work: Text will be highlighted when it matches text in sources found in the internet and/or their internal database.

Statements about how to handle plagiarism in academic work	
Reason	Statement
Consequence for misconduct	Plagiarism must be punished
Preventive measure	Plagiarism must be prevented in advance
General precaution	All academic papers have to be checked
Unfounded suspicion	No academic paper should be checked

Table 1: Statements about plagiarism; author's compilation

The impact of plagiarism in general has been reflected in an ongoing discussion about how to handle cases of plagiarism. Indeed, thanks to the age of information, people and institutions are more and more "borrowing" information without any kind of citation. Most of the schools and universities are therefore representing one or more than one of the statements in Figure 1 with more or less flexibility.

"In universities around the world, plagiarism management is an ongoing issue of quality assurance and risk management." (Sutherland-Smith, 2013) Plagiarism management discourses are mostly framed by legal concepts of authorial rights, and penalties for infringement of plagiarism policies are outlined. Teaching discourses suggest that plagiarism management is, and should remain, a learning and teaching issue and press for more student-centred approaches to plagiarism management. Institutions must navigate these competing discourses in their attempts to design workable plagiarism management policies.

- [0] https://www.researchgate.net/profile/V 7.7% 4 matches Highlight matches in sour
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- [2] https://eric.ed.gov/?q=plagiarism&id=I 7.2% 4 matches Highlight matches in sour
- [3] https://www.researchgate.net/publicat 6.5% 4 matches Highlight matches in sour
- [4] from a PlagScan document dated 201 4.9% 3 matches Highlight matches in sour
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- [6] https://eric.ed.gov/?q=plagiarism&pg= 2.9% 3 matches Highlight matches in sour
- [7] https://www.plagscan.com/en/ 0.0% 2 matches Highlight matches in sour
1 documents with identical matches
- [9] "Plagiarism_Impact.docx" dated 2019 2.8% 1 matches Highlight matches in sour
- [10] https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Academik 2.5% 1 matches Highlight matches in sour
4 documents with identical matches

The interactive browser report enables you to view the detected matches. PlagScan highlights those in three different colors, depending on their significance. Red indicates you have matches, blue indicates you have potentially modified text, and green indicates proper citations.

The sources of the highlighted matches can be found in the source list (see below). Click on the number next to a source in the source list, to jump to the longest match of that source, which will then be marked in yellow.

List of Sources

Internet sources 7
Own documents 1

[0] 7.1% 4 matches Highlight matches in source
3 documents with identical matches

You can find the location of the matching sources in the source list. The category indicates whether the source is a match from a website or another database. You can see the matches directly in the source text if you click the link to the source

Downloads and Report Views



The PlagScan plagiarism report is available to download as PDF and Word files. Both formats display the sources of the interactive browser report.

PlagScan offers other online views in addition to the interactive report. If you wish for a complete overview of the matches and sources, you can read the PlagScan report as a list. For slow connections, we offer the report as plain text.

For more information on the plagiarism report visit <https://www.plagscan.com/en/plagiarism-reports>

We are looking forward to receiving your feedback at pro@plagscan.com. Please let us know what you like or dislike about this manual. If anything is missing in this tutorial on how to get started with the PlagScan plugin in Canvas, do not hesitate to contact us. We always strive to improve our service and we appreciate your help!

Thanks,
Your PlagScan-Team