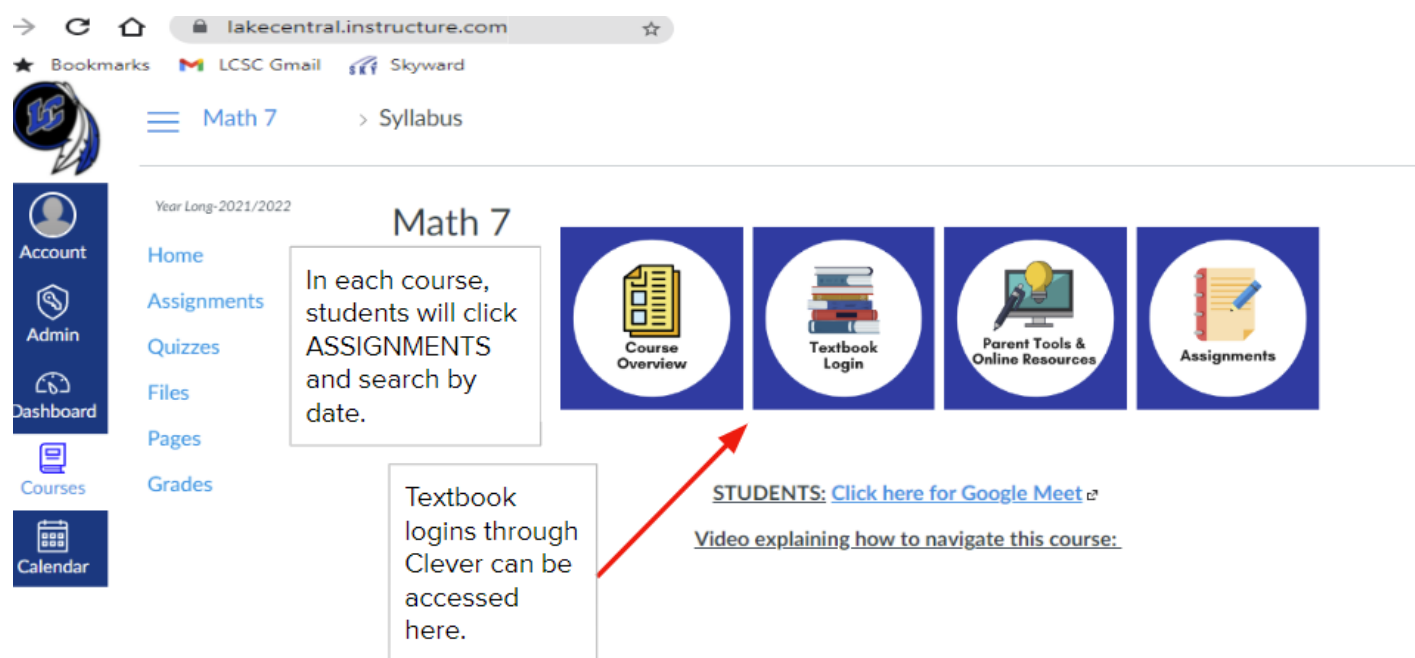


# Canvas/Google/Skyward FAQ, Directions, and Tutorials for Parents



**Students log in to Chromebook, Canvas, Clever (textbooks) and Google (Gmail, Meet, Drive) using the **student email address** and **password** (PW--Capitalized first initial of the first name; capitalized first initial of last name; followed by student ID number-NO SPACES).**

Everything students need for classes will be posted through Canvas (as shown above). The website for Lake Central for Canvas is: <https://lakecentral.instructure.com> Please bookmark this website. You must use the Lake Central website for Canvas. *Please do not just Google "Canvas" and use the generic website.*

**Find** your child's student **Gmail** and **student ID number** in **Skyward** Family Access on the **Student Info tab**. It should be right by their student picture and end with @lcstudents.com. Their student ID number is listed as **Other ID** under their picture.

### EXAMPLE STUDENT LOGIN & PASSWORD

Student: Robert Lawrence Stine

Username: rlstine@lcstudents.com

Password: RS1234567

For Canvas **parent account** creation you will need to:

1. Log in to student's account **FIRST**
2. Generate pairing code from the student User Settings Page (links observer to student in all their courses)
3. Log out of the student account, then **REGISTER** for the Parent Account by clicking "Parent of a Canvas User?"
4. Enter student pairing code in Canvas User Settings (or in the Canvas Parent app)

[Parent of a Canvas User?](#)  
[Click Here For an Account](#)

*MORE DETAILED DIRECTIONS IN THE LINKS BELOW (pg 2). Once the parent account is created and paired, parents will only log in to their parent account, not the student account.*

TO ACCESS THE LIVE LINKS BELOW, PLEASE GO TO [bit.ly/LCSCparent22](http://bit.ly/LCSCparent22)

## SKYWARD

- [What's the difference between Skyward and Canvas?](#)
- [How to check grades in Skyward](#)
  - [Checking Grades Video](#)
  - [Alerts & Information Video](#)
  - [Mobile Notifications Video](#)
- Skyward Support for Technology Website
  - ❑ [Understanding the Skyward Calendar](#)
  - ❑ [Food Service information in Skyward](#)
  - ❑ [Students – Check your grades](#)
  - ❑ [Parents – Family Access Toolkit](#)
  - ❑ [Parents – Check your student's grades](#)
  - ❑ [Skyward Family Access Starter Video](#)
  - ❑ [Skyward Forgotten Password Video](#)
  - ❑ [Skyward Family Access – Completing Online Forms Video](#)

**Further questions about Skyward contact Technology Department (219) 558-2727 or [tech@lcscmail.com](mailto:tech@lcscmail.com)**

## CANVAS

- **How to set up a Canvas parent observer account** for one or more students
  - [Printable Directions](#)
  - [Video: Part 1: Setting up an observer account and navigation settings](#)
  - [Video: Part 2: Adding multiple students, calendar, and Help](#)
  - [Observer Guide](#)
- **How to navigate Canvas as an observer**
  - [See slides 11 & 15 here for checking assignment progress/grades](#)
  - [Canvas Parent App Tutorial](#)
  - [Video: Monitoring Your Child's Learning Using Canvas LMS](#)
- **How to navigate Canvas as a student**

**Further questions about Canvas can be directed to Technology Trainer/Coach(es):**

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Parents at Lake Central High School--Susan Schweitzer, [sschweit@lcscmail.com](mailto:sschweit@lcscmail.com)

## GOOGLE APPS

- [How to log students into Google](#)
- [Student login information](#)
- [How to navigate Google](#)
- [How to change the share settings in Google](#)
- [Printable Directions](#)
- [How to submit assignments in Canvas](#)

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