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Dear All Saints Academy Middle School Parents,

Have you paired with your student on Canvas yet? Contact your child's classroom teacher or Karen Szczytko ( [kszczytko@asagr.org](mailto:kszczytko@asagr.org)) if you need a pairing code or help getting started!

Canvas is a learning management system (LMS) that allows teachers to provide instructional support, class calendars, assignments, and resources for students in a safe online environment. For traditional face to face classes, Canvas is an integral part of sharing blended classroom instruction. All Saints Academy hopes that this resource will provide you with specific information about your student's curricula, so you have a better understanding of the work that teachers and students are doing.

Here is the direct link you should use to login: <https://canvas.dioceseofgrandrapids.org/>

Here is a link to all the Canvas information we have posted on our website: <https://asagr.org/academic-links>

You can find instructions to [customize notification from Canvas here](#).

For middle school core subjects (religion, math, language arts, social studies, and science) and classes the calendar page is the most relevant page for parents to view as assignment due dates, events, and assessments are posted on the students calendars to help provide communication and accountability of expectations.

Please take some time with your son(s) or daughter(s) this week to have them show you how they are using Canvas for their classes. This is a tool for them that they should be able to guide you through.

We are also putting together a few short Canvas demonstration and orientation videos by teachers for parents that we will post and share with you as they are finished. Please let us know if there are specific questions we can help you with!

Thank you,

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