



BCC Distance Education Newsletter

NEWS AND UPDATES

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Canvas News

Canvas for students and instructors is now accessed through the Peralta portal: portal.peralta.edu. Faculty and students should use Peralta email and passwords to log in. Instructions for access are located on the front page of the portal.

Moodle News

Moodle will be available **for Spring '18 and Summer '18 semesters only**. It can be accessed at eperalta.org/spring2018. Moodle and Canvas are both active this semester and students may have instructors who are using different systems.

Drop In Lab - room 312

This semester faculty and students can get assistance with Moodle and Canvas at our [drop in lab](#). Below are the dates and times for the lab:

Through Friday, February 9th:

Monday - Friday, 12:20 - 1:20 pm

Starting Tuesday, February 13th:

Drop-In Lab will be open Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays, 12:20 - 1:20 pm for the rest of the semester.

Monthly Friday Workshops

We will run four Friday workshops on campus this semester - room to be determined.

Friday, February 9th from 9:00am - 12:00 pm: Introduction to Canvas

This workshop is intended for instructors and staff new to Canvas.

Friday, March 9th from 9:00 am - 12:00 pm: Introduction to the OEI Rubric

This workshop is intended for faculty who are interested in the Online Education Initiative's rubric for effective online teaching.

Friday, April 13th from 1:00pm - 4:00 pm: Introduction to Canvas

This workshop is intended for instructors and staff new to Canvas.

Friday, May 11th from 1:00 pm - 4:00 pm: Introduction to the OEI Rubric

This workshop is intended for faculty who are interested in the Online Education Initiative's rubric for effective online teaching.

Have a Question?

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Self-Paced Webinars

All Peralta faculty have access to multiple series of self-paced webinars to learn Canvas. Access information and descriptions of the webinars are on [the BCC DE Website](#).

Helpful Resources

Canvas Basics: <https://community.canvaslms.com/docs/DOC-10745-canvas-basics-table-of-contents>

Canvas Guides for Instructors: <https://community.canvaslms.com/docs/DOC-10460>

Technical Support

For Canvas:

If you need technical support with Canvas, call the 24/7 Canvas hotline (844) 600-4955.

For Moodle:

If you need technical support for Moodle:

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Teaching Support

If you would like teaching support for your online classes, please contact:

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