# How to use Canvas Discussions to ask (or answer) course-related questions

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## Useful Canvas Documentation

What are Discussions?
https://community.canvaslms.com/t5/Canvas-Basics-Guide/What-are-Discussions/ta-p/3

## Tutorial for ASU Students

Step 1: Log into ASU Canvas via https://canvas.asu.edu/

Step 2: Navigate to your course (i.e. STP 494, STP 540, or STP 598) by clicking on it in the Dashboard

### Dashboard



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| **STP 494: Appd Machine Learning-...** | **STP 540: Computational Statistics...** | **STP 598: Machine Learning/Deep ...** |
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Step 3: Click on "Discussions" on the sidebar of your course page

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## STP 540: Computational Statistics (2023 Spring)

### Course Summary:

| Date | Details |
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**Step 4(a): Start a new Discussion by clicking the red "+ Discussion" button in the top right corner of the Discussions menu**



**Step 4(b): Add your discussion by filling in a title and discussion text**



**Step 5(a): Browse and join existing discussions by clicking on a discussion in the "Discussions" page**



**Step 5(b): Reply to the discussion by clicking "Reply"**

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### Example discussion

Test Student

All Sections

Does anyone know how to use Canvas discussions?

| Search entries or author | Unread | ⬆ | ⬇ |

↩ Reply

## Step 5(c): Enter and submit your response

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