

Accessing Instructor Feedback via Canvas

If you submit to Canvas, there are three types of comments your instructor can provide, and it's essential that you know how to access them. The three types are: margin comments, rubric comments, and end comments. Instructors don't always provide these types of comments, but you need to know how to check your graded assignments to see if comments have been left for you. See below for a brief description of each type of comment and to see Canvas's instructions on accessing them.

Viewing Inline or Annotated Comments

Your instructor might choose to comment directly on your submission. These comments are often referred to as inline comments, margin comments, or annotations. The official Canvas name for them is "annotation feedback comments." Instructors often provide important comments this way, so your success in the course can depend on accessing them. [Read Canvas's instructions on accessing annotation feedback comments.](#)

Viewing Rubric Results & Comments

If your instructor has provided a rubric for an assignment, it's important to know how to see the rubric assessment and any comments they may have left. If your instructor has provided rubric comments, they'll show up beneath the relevant rubric criteria. [Read Canvas's instructions on accessing rubric results and comments.](#)

Viewing End Comments

Perhaps the most common way instructors will provide comments on an assignment is through End Comments, which Canvas simply refers to as "Assignment Comments." [Read Canvas's instructions on accessing end comments.](#)