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Top Five Conversations with Instructors

Conversation #5: Students Need to Know You Care

The fifth and final video in our Top Five Conversations series discusses student perception of care and its impact on student learning.



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Strategies for Keeping Student Work Authentic: Oral Reflections

Learn how incorporating structured reflection activities can promote critical thinking and deter AI misuse. Our latest resource provides step-by-step strategies for designing and assessing oral reflections in various learning contexts. Click the link to explore more.



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Kahoot! - An Educational Tech Tool for Gamification

Events

Early Career

Friday, Oct. 25

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Canvas Zoom Chats

Wednesday, Nov. 6

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Academic Leadership

Wednesday, Nov. 13

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Brown Bag Lunch

Tuesday, Nov. 19

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By gamifying content, students are encouraged to take risks and explore without the pressure of failure. Research shows that students become more successful with challenging content through gamification



because it creates a sense of accomplishment, encourages motivation, and improves the educational environment.

Kahoot! is one great educational technology tool for fun review games and more. To boost student engagement with Kahoot! Click the link below.

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Learning More About Canvas: How Do I Export the Gradebook for a Backup?

Have you ever wondered what would happen if you lost or accidentally overwrote grades in your gradebook? While it is extremely rare for Canvas to lose information in your course, there is always the element of human error that can cause issues. Backing up grades after midterms and finals is an effective way to make sure that you have a reliable record for safekeeping. Exporting and importing grades is very easy. Give it a try!



- The gradebook can be exported to a CSV file at any time and saved on your computer.
- Once exported, it can be imported back into the gradebook if necessary.
- Exported gradebooks at the end of a semester can be a quick reference without having to reopen your Canvas course in the case of reference or grade challenges.

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