

LEARNING ENVIRONMENTS NEWSLETTER

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UPDATES

NEW FEATURES

Learning Environments has a NEW WEBSITE! Visit teaching.rice.edu for our services, news, resources, and more.

For information on new features in Canvas visit the [Digital Teaching and Learning Blog](#).

REMINDERS

For Training, Recorded Workshops, and Written Documentation visit our [Training Center](#)!

To schedule a one-on-one, email teaching@rice.edu.

[Update your Zoom!](#)

TIPS AND TRICKS

CANVAS

If you would like to take attendance in Canvas, you can use the Roll Call tool. Find more information at the [Attendance Tool in Canvas blog post](#).

ACCESSIBILITY

As a starting point for improving the accessibility of your video content, automatic speech recognition captions can be used on a variety of video platforms. Visit [Use Automatic Captions Across Different Video Platforms](#) for more information.

KALTURA

Embed a video from the Media Gallery as part of the prompt for a Discussion board. This can be done while drafting the discussion instructions in the Rich Content Editor and can serve as an engaging opener for a class discussion. For instructions, please visit [Add a Video to the Rich Content Editor](#).

ZOOM

[Update your Zoom!](#) If you need to record your class so that a student can watch it later, please see our documentation [Recording a Class with Zoom for viewing later](#).

SUPPORT

- 24/7 for Canvas using Canvas Support (last button on Global Navigation Bar in Canvas)
- See the [Training Center](#) for Tech Tools workshops, coffee hours, or to sign up for one-on-one training
- Email teaching@rice.edu for general help