

How do I mark discussion replies as read or unread as a student?

By default, as you read new Discussion posts, Canvas will mark them as read as you scroll down the page. However, you can manually mark each posts back to a read or unread state.

You can tell Canvas not to automatically mark all your posts as read in your [Discussion settings](#).

Note: Once a post's state is manually changed, the post will not change states (become read or unread) until you manually change it again.

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Open Discussions

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In Course Navigation, click the **Discussions** link.

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Click the discussion you want to view.

View Posts

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The unread icon indicates a reply is new or unread [1]. After you view a discussion reply, the unread icon no longer displays [2].

Mark All Posts as Read or Unread

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To mark all posts as read or unread, click the discussion topic's **Options** icon [1].

To mark all posts as read, click the **Mark All as Read** link [2].

To mark all posts as unread, click the **Mark All as Unread** link [3].

Mark Post as Unread

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To change a read post to unread, you can either click the **Mark as Unread** link below the reply [1], or click the **Options** icon next to the reply [2] and then click the **Mark as Unread** link [3].

To copy a permalink to a specific reply, select the **Copy Link** option [4].

Verify Post as Unread

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View the post now marked as unread.

Mark Post as Read

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To change an unread post to read, you can either click the **Mark as Read** link below the reply [1], or click the **Options** icon next to the reply [2] and then click the **Mark as Read** link [3].

To copy a permalink to a specific reply, select the **Copy Link** option [4].

Verify Post as Read

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View the post now marked as read.

Note: If a post's state is manually changed, the post will not change states (become read or unread) unless you manually change it again.

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