How do I use my webcam to take a photo for an assignment submission in Canvas?

You can use your computer's webcam to take a photo and use it as your assignment submission. Submission photos are saved to the Submissions folder in your user files as a PNG file.

Note: If your instructor limits file types for an assignment submission, you may not be able to use your webcam to submit your assignment.

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Open Assignments

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

Select Assignment

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Click the title of the assignment.

Start Assignment

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Click the **Start Assignment** button.

Use Webcam

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To take a picture with your webcam and submit the image, click the **Use Webcam** button.

Enable Webcam

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If your browser prompts you for access to your computer's camera, click the **Allow** button.

Take Photo

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To take a photo using your computer's webcam, click the **Take Photo** button.

Submit Photo

Submit Photo
To use the photo you took as your assignment submission, click the **Use This Photo** button [1]. To retake the photo, click the **Try Again** button [2].

View Photo

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You can preview your photo in the **File Upload** tab [1]. To remove the photo from your submission, click the **Delete** icon [2].

Submit Assignment

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Click the **Submit Assignment** button.

View Submission Status

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Large files display a submission status indicator.

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View the confirmation of your assignment submission.

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