

# myWSU Roles and Canvas Access

## Issue:

What is the relationship between myWSU roles and Canvas roles?

## Solution:

Below is a table defining the relationship between myWSU roles and the access provided in Canvas. In this representation, Roles are presented as columns, while permissions are listed as rows. The information is also provided as a spreadsheet with both horizontal and vertical format representations.

To best view the data, it is recommended to download the Excel spreadsheet [myWSU and Canvas Role Key \(Rev 01262024\).xlsx](#).

	CANVAS ROLE	Student		Teacher	Teacher		Teacher without grade access	Teacher without grade access		TA		TA without grade access		Admi Suppc
PERMISSION	myWSU ROLE	Student		Primary Instructor	Secondary Instructor		Primary Instructor (PI without a value selected for "Access")	Secondary Instructor		Teaching Assistant		Teaching Assistant (TA without a value selected for "Access")		LMS User Admi Suppc
myWSU Access Approve				X	X					X				X
myWSU Access Grade				X	X					X				X
myWSU Access Post				X	X					X				X
myWSU Access Blank							X	X				X		
Analytics - view pages		X		X	X		X	X		X		X		X
Announcements - view		X		X	X		X	X		X		X		X
Conversations - send messages to entire class				X	X		X	X		X		X		X
Conversations - send messages to individual course members		X		X	X		X	X		X		X		X
Course Calendar - add / edit / delete				X	X		X	X		X		X		X
Courses - change visibility				X	X		X	X		X		X		X
Discussions - create		X		X	X		X	X		X		X		X
Discussions - moderate				X	X		X	X		X		X		X
Discussions - post		X		X	X		X	X		X		X		X
Discussions - view		X		X	X		X	X		X		X		X
Grades - edit				X	X					X				X
Grades - select final grade for moderation				X	X									X
Grades - view all grades				X	X					X				X



Users - allow administrative actions in courses													
Users - generate observer pairing codes for students													
Users - manage students in courses													
Users - view list		X		X	X		X	X		X		X	X
Users - view login IDs				X	X		X	X		X		X	X
Users - view primary email address				X	X		X	X		X		X	X
Web Conferences - create		X		X	X		X	X		X		X	X

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