

Pairing ALEKS with Canvas

Liberty University Digital Training Series

Instructor



Step 1

Log into your Canvas account and navigate to your course. Review the information in your Faculty Resources, including the Technology Integration Overview and your McGraw Hill Faculty Resources. Select "**Prepare: Pair and Sync Your ALEKS Course**" to continue.

The screenshot shows a Canvas course page for 'MATH114_LUO_MASTER_202220D'. At the top, there are 'Recent Announcements' including a video titled 'Welcome to Canvas!' with a 'View Announcement' link. Below this are navigation buttons: 'COLLAPSE ALL', 'VIEW PROGRESS', and a three-dot menu. A dark blue header bar labeled 'Faculty Resources' is expanded, showing a list of resources. The first resource is 'McGraw-Hill: ALEKS', which includes three items: 'Read: Technology Integration Overview', 'Explore: McGraw Hill Faculty Resources', and 'Prepare: Pair and Sync Your ALEKS Course'. The 'Prepare: Pair and Sync Your ALEKS Course' item is highlighted with a red rectangular box.



Step 2

Click the **Load** button to launch ALEKS.

The screenshot shows a navigation bar at the top with links for Online, Residential, Athletics, Alumni, Parents, and a menu icon. On the right side of the navigation bar are links for Request Info, Apply Now, Visit Us, Create Guest Account, and Sign In. Below the navigation bar is a secondary navigation bar with the Liberty University logo and the Canvas logo, followed by links for Account, Dashboard, Courses (which is underlined), Calendar, Inbox, History, Commons, and Resources. The main content area shows a breadcrumb trail: COURSE MENU > MATH114_LU... > Modules > Faculty Reso... > Prepare: Pair and Sync Your ALEKS Course. On the left side of the main content area is a sidebar menu with links for Home, Announcements, and Assignments. A red arrow points from the Home link to a message box that says "This tool needs to be loaded in a new browser window". Below the message box is a button labeled "LOAD PREPARE: PAIR AND SYNC YOUR ALEKS COURSE IN A NEW WINDOW".



Step 3

Select “**Yes, I have an instructor account at this institution**” and enter your ALEKS Login Name and Password. Click “**Continue**”.

NOTE: You should have received an email directly from the ALEKS Corporation with your Login Name and a link to set your password. There is an “**Forgot password**” link, if needed.



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Welcome to ALEKS

Account Status

Do you have an ALEKS instructor account at this institution?

- No, I need a new instructor account
- Yes, I have an instructor account at this institution

Login Name

Password

[Forgot password](#)



Step 4

You will receive a notification that your ALEKS account is paired with Canvas. Click “**Existing Classes**” and then select the correct subterm section from the drop-down menu. Click “**Continue**”.

Note: If you are teaching multiple sections in a subterm, each will be labeled for your specific section.



✓ Your ALEKS account is paired. You can now login to ALEKS through your LMS

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Course Pairing

LMS Course MATH114_LUO_MASTER_202320D

Course Pairing Choose an option to pair with your LMS Course.



Existing Classes

MATH 114 - Summer D 2023 - D... ▼

New Class

Or [bypass course pairing](#) for now to perform advanced administrative duties in ALEKS.

Continue





Step 5

You will see a notification that your Course is Paired. Click **“Go to ALEKS Class Dashboard”** to continue to ALEKS.



MATH114_LUO_MASTER_202320D
Course Paired



ALEKS class MATH 114 - Summer D 2023 - D20 has been securely paired with the LMS course MATH114_LUO_MASTER_202320D



[Go to ALEKS Class Dashboard](#)



Step 6

Now we will enable your Gradebook Synchronization. From your ALEKS course homepage, hover over “**Gradebook**” (A) and click on “**Gradebook Setup**” (B).

The screenshot displays the ALEKS course homepage for the class "MATH 114 - Spring D 2022". The navigation menu includes "Class Administration", "Gradebook", "Reports", "Assignments", and "QuickTables". The "Gradebook" option is highlighted with a red arrow labeled "A". A dropdown menu is visible under "Gradebook", with "Gradebook Setup" highlighted by a red box labeled "B". The main content area shows class details, a progress gauge at 0%, and a "Class Summary" link.



Step 7

(1) Select “**Synchronize grades and add direct links for ALEKS assignments to LMS**”. (2) Check that the “**Synchronize on assignment submission**” Sync Time setting is selected. (3) Confirm the gradebook categories that have a weighting are selected under Assignment Sync. **Note:** The correct categories should be preselected. Weighted categories vary from course to course. (4) Click “**Save**”.

The screenshot displays the 'LMS Sync Settings' and 'Gradebook Settings' sections. In the 'LMS Sync Settings' section, the 'Sync Grades' checkbox is checked, and the 'Sync Time' is set to 'Synchronize on assignment submission'. The 'Assignment Sync' section shows a list of categories including 'Test' and 'Homework'. The 'Save' button is highlighted with a red box.

LMS Sync Settings

Sync Grades Synchronize grades and add direct links for ALEKS assignments to LMS

Sync Time Synchronize on assignment due dates
 Synchronize on assignment submission ⓘ

Assignment Sync Synchronize grades and add direct links for assignments in the following categories. Assignments in categories with 0% weight will not synchronize.

Test × Homework ×

Total Grade Sync Synchronize ALEKS Total Grade to LMS gradebook

Direct Links ⓘ Check [user guides](#) to learn about adding direct links for ALEKS assignments to LMS.

Gradebook Settings

Total Grade Display Show total grades to students in their gradebook
 Hide total grades from students ⓘ

Letter Grades Enable letter grading scale for total grade in gradebook

Cancel Save



Step 8

Your ALEKS course is now ready for students. When you are ready to return to Canvas, simply close your browser tab to return.

The screenshot shows the ALEKS interface for the course 'MATH 114 - Spring D 2022'. The browser tab is highlighted with a red arrow. The main content area displays the 'Assignment List' for this course, including a table of assignments and a notification that exceptions have been applied.

Name	Type	Start	Due	Status	Details	Report
Initial Knowledge Check	Knowledge Check	-	-	Open		
HW: 2.1, 2.3 – 2.4, and 2.6 Assignment	Homework	03/14/2022 12:00 AM	03/21/2022 11:59 PM	Upcoming	56 Questions Exceptions	

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