

Turnitin: Plagiarism Detection in Canvas

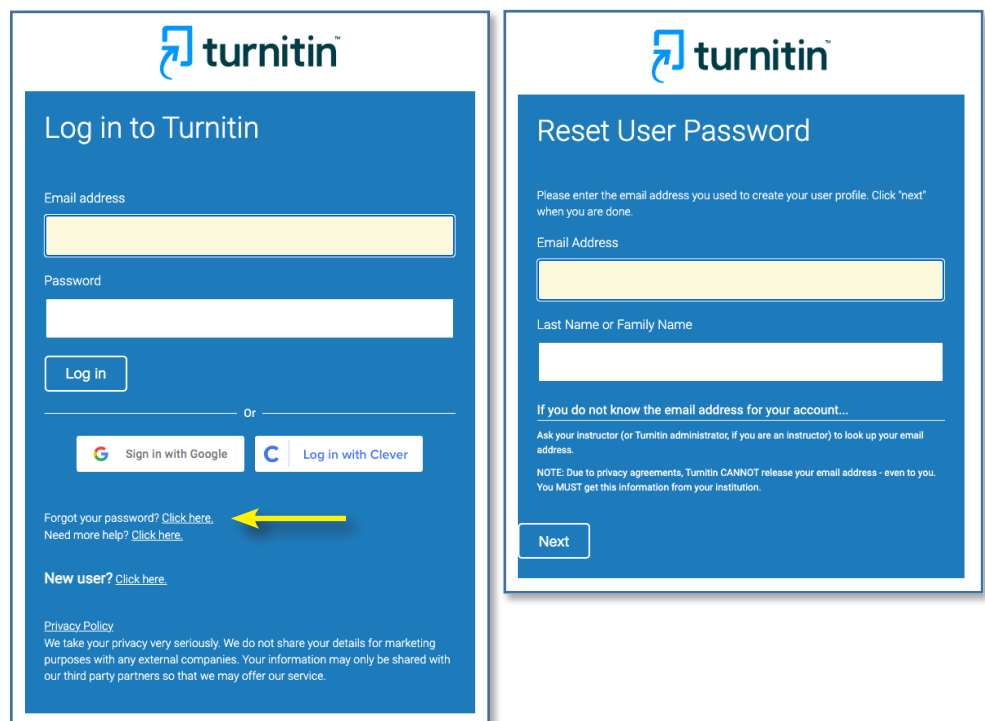
Turnitin is a Canvas-integrated plagiarism detection tool.

You can find excellent documentation on how to use the tool at the [Turnitin website](#), but here is a brief guide to getting started.

Establish a Turnitin account

The first time you integrate Turnitin into one of your Canvas courses, the system will establish your user account at [turnitin.com](#). If you try to sign into [turnitin.com](#) prior to that, you'll have to create your user account first.

On the login screen, select **Forgot your password?** Then enter your email address and check your inbox for a password reset email.



The left screenshot is the 'Log in to Turnitin' page. It features the Turnitin logo at the top. Below it, there are two input fields: 'Email address' and 'Password'. A 'Log in' button is positioned below the password field. Below the login fields, there is a horizontal line with 'Or' in the center, followed by two buttons: 'Sign in with Google' and 'Log in with Clever'. At the bottom of the login section, there are three links: 'Forgot your password? Click here.', 'Need more help? Click here.', and 'New user? Click here.'. A yellow arrow points to the 'Forgot your password? Click here.' link. At the very bottom, there is a 'Privacy Policy' link and a paragraph of text.

The right screenshot is the 'Reset User Password' page. It features the Turnitin logo at the top. Below it, there is a heading 'Reset User Password'. A paragraph of text asks the user to enter the email address used to create their profile. Below this, there are two input fields: 'Email Address' and 'Last Name or Family Name'. At the bottom, there is a 'Next' button.

Update your profile

Once you log into [turnitin.com](#), **update your site profile**. To access your profile, select your name at the top of the screen. There are several settings there that impact how the tools work and how feedback is provided. You'll especially want to set your default user type, default submission type, and the default file type.

Remember: You might have multiple roles available in your Turnitin user account. Make sure to select the correct one for the work you are doing.

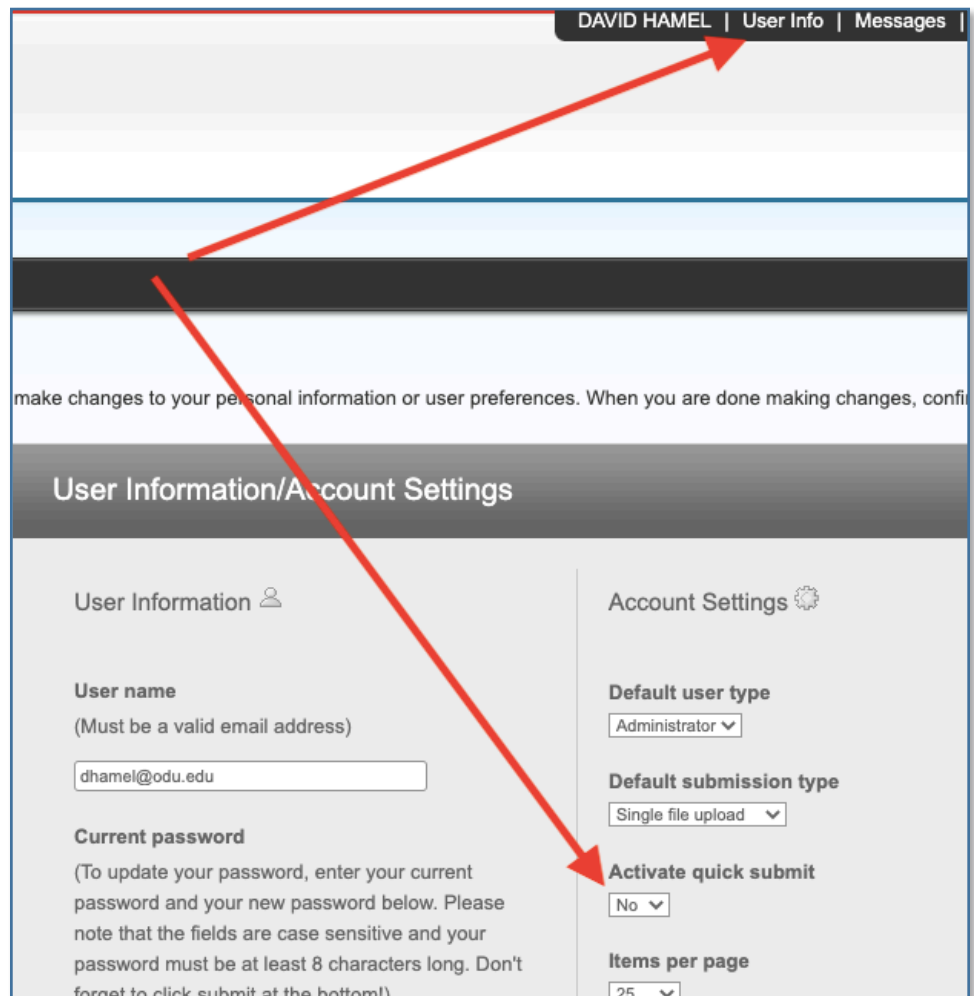
Submissions

Important: All work that is submitted directly through the Turnitin site (turnitin.com) are NOT replicated back to Canvas. Even if an assignment or assessment has been created and is available in Canvas, assignments that are submitted directly through turnitin.com will not replicate back to Canvas.

Bulk uploads

Once you have created a Turnitin assignment or assessment in Canvas, you can go to turnitin.com to upload multiple documents at once for plagiarism review.

1. Click **User Info**, then look under Account Settings for **Activate quick submit**.



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make changes to your personal information or user preferences. When you are done making changes, confi

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User Information

User name
(Must be a valid email address)

Current password
(To update your password, enter your current password and your new password below. Please note that the fields are case sensitive and your password must be at least 8 characters long. Don't forget to click submit at the bottom!)

Account Settings

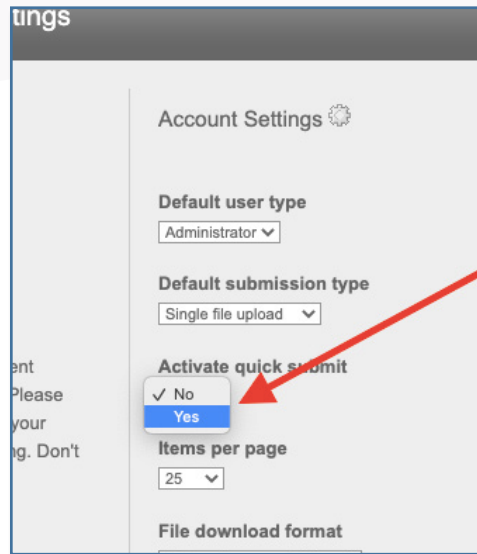
Default user type
Administrator ▼

Default submission type
Single file upload ▼

Activate quick submit
No ▼

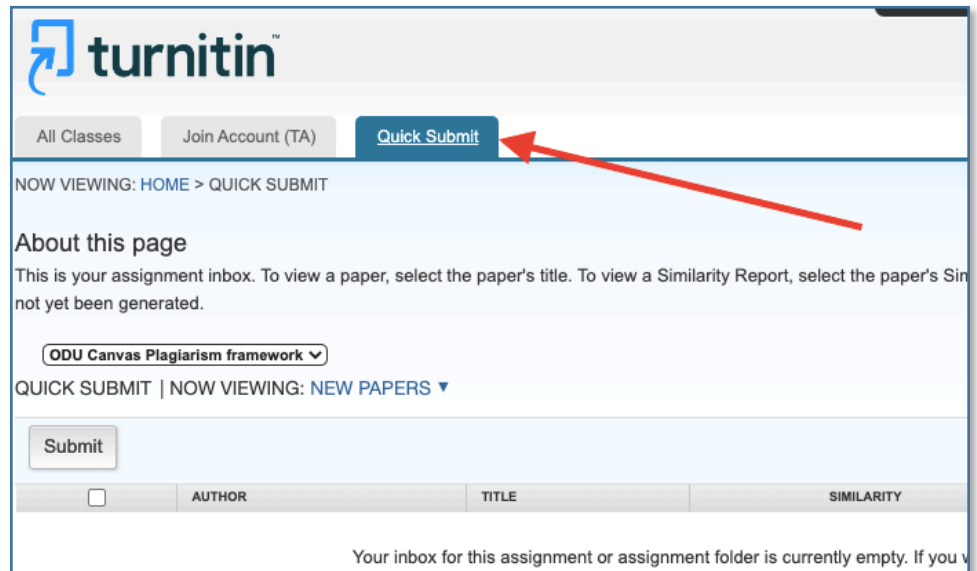
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2. Change **Activate quick submit** to **Yes** and hit **Submit**



The screenshot shows the 'Account Settings' page. Under 'Default user type', 'Administrator' is selected. Under 'Default submission type', 'Single file upload' is selected. The 'Activate quick submit' dropdown menu is open, showing 'No' with a checkmark and 'Yes' highlighted. Below it, 'Items per page' is set to '25'. A red arrow points to the 'Yes' option in the dropdown.

3. Once these settings have been saved, you'll see a new tab at the top of your page called **Quick Submit** where you can upload multiple documents at once.



The screenshot shows the Turnitin interface. At the top, there are tabs: 'All Classes', 'Join Account (TA)', and 'Quick Submit'. A red arrow points to the 'Quick Submit' tab. Below the tabs, it says 'NOW VIEWING: HOME > QUICK SUBMIT'. The main content area has a heading 'About this page' and a description: 'This is your assignment inbox. To view a paper, select the paper's title. To view a Similarity Report, select the paper's Similarity Report. If a Similarity Report has not yet been generated.' Below this is a dropdown menu for 'ODU Canvas Plagiarism framework'. At the bottom, there is a 'Submit' button and a table with columns: 'AUTHOR', 'TITLE', and 'SIMILARITY'. A message at the bottom states: 'Your inbox for this assignment or assignment folder is currently empty. If you v'.

Learn more

Once your profile is set up, learn more about using the site and tools at the Turnitin website:

- [Turnitin Feedback Studio: Quick Start Guide for Instructors \(Video\)](#)
- [Submitting on Behalf of Students](#)

And all documentation for instructors:

- [Turnitin User Guides](#)