How does a student log into Mahara e-portfolio for the first time?

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You can access Mahara directly from Canvas. Your instructor must enable the Mahara link in the Canvas left navigation bar in order for you to access it.

1. In your course, in the left navigation, click the Mahara link.

2. If you are prompted to change your password:
   a. Enter your NinerNET password into the **New password** text box.
   b. Enter your NinerNET Password into the **Confirm password** text box.
   c. Click **Submit**.

3. The Mahara page is displayed.

   **YOU WILL ONLY SEE THIS PAGE THE FIRST TIME YOU ACCESS MAHARA FROM CANVAS!**

4. When you are finished working in Mahara:
4. **a. Click the User menu drop-down arrow**

![User menu drop-down arrow](image1)

**b. Click Logout. You are returned to your Canvas course**

![Logout](image2)

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**Related FAQs**

- How does a student log into Mahara (after completing the first log in)?
- How does a student edit their Mahara e-portfolio?
- How does a student change the settings within Mahara?
- How does a student change the layout on their Mahara e-portfolio?
- How does a student create and add documents to folders within Mahara?