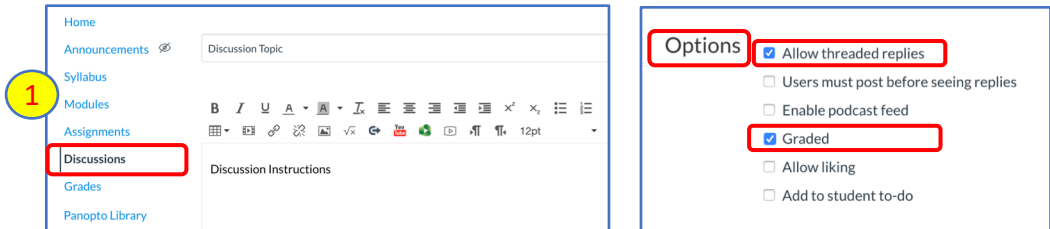# How to Setup a Canvas Discussions with Panopto Video

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For Canvas **discussions with Panopto**, first **Design** the Discussions assignment in Canvas. Second, **enable viewing each other's sessions-very important**. Follow these steps:

1. **CANVAS** - Create the Canvas **discussions** assignment and save/publish.
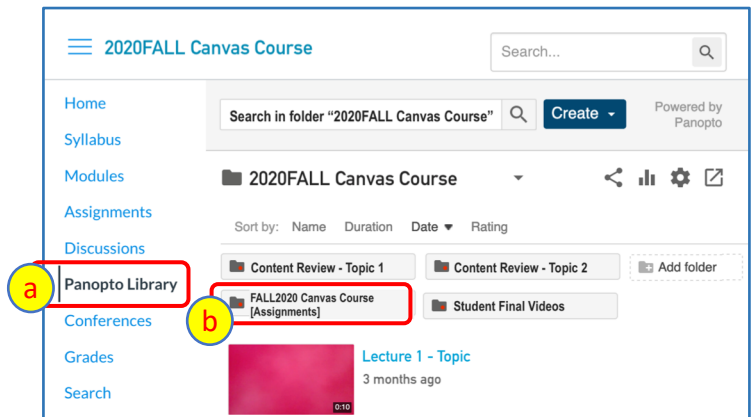

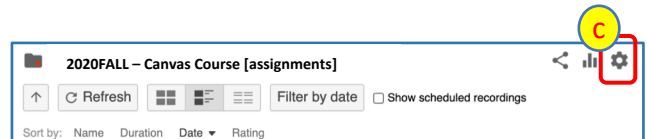2. **CANVAS - Enable viewing each other's sessions**

   a. Click the **Panopto Library** tab.

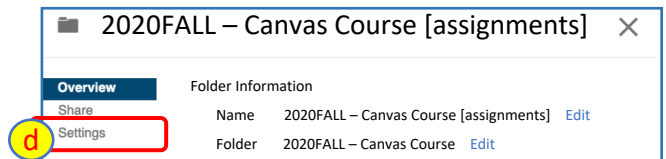   b. **Open the Panopto [Assignments] sub-folder**. Sometimes the full name is not revealed.

   Select the folder with [Assignments] in brackets.

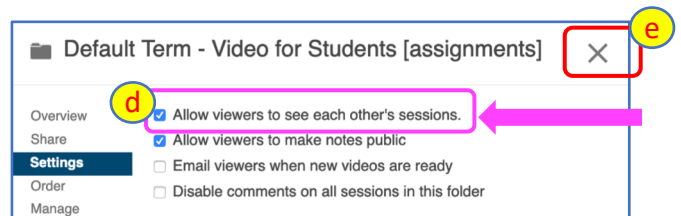   c. Click the folder **Settings icon**.

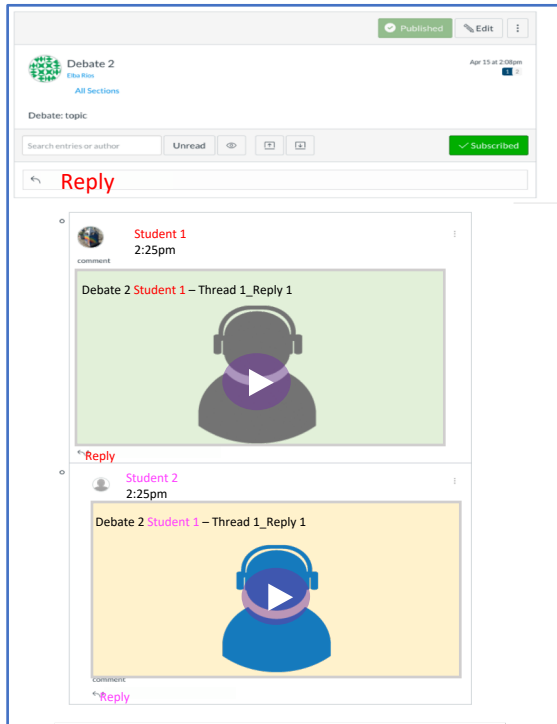
   d. Click the **Settings** tab.

   e. Check **Allow viewers to see each other's sessions**.

   f. Click the **X** to close the folder settings window.

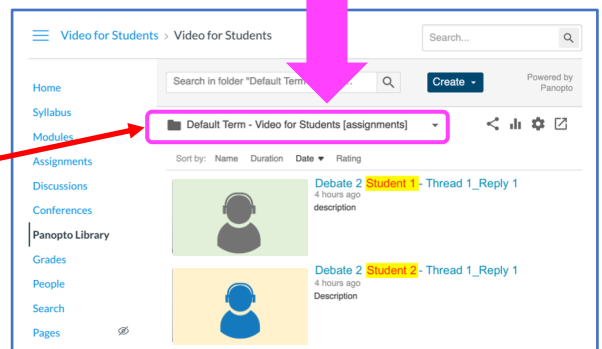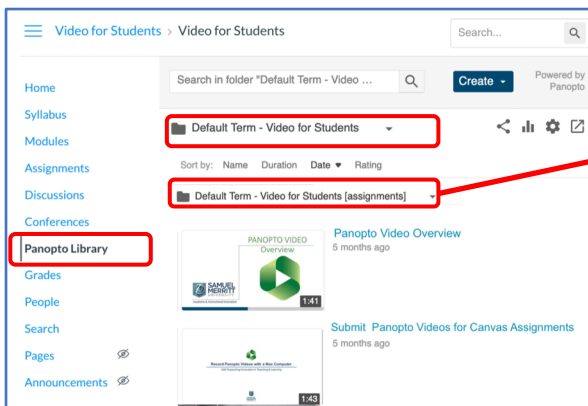# Sample: Here, two students have engaged in a Canvas discussion.

Students can see each other's videos because you **enabled the settings** for the Panopto assignment folder to "**Allow viewers to see each other's session**"

All Canvas course enrollees can view each other's video posts.

Where in Panopto are the videos stored?
Student video submissions are stored in a Panopto Library sub-folder, for the course: **course name [assignments]**. You can can **close** assignment folders, and you can **create new** assignment folders for every video assignment.

Best Practice **Use Canvas SpeedGrader to review and grade student responses. This is where the "official" discussion videos submissions will appear**. **Note**: the Panopto Library [assignments] folder will contain student practice videos, video for different assignments. You will not be able to differentiate which video is for what assignment. Using SpeedGrader for each assignment is the best way to assess students accurately!