

Just in time for back to school: VLE 101 course now available

[Ontario's Virtual Learning Environment \(VLE\)](#) is powered by D2L's Brightspace learning platform. The VLE is provided by the Ministry of Education at no cost to Ontario's publicly funded school boards. Ontario's VLE is a feature-rich, secure online learning platform that supports teachers and students in both eLearning and face-to-face classes. Already using the VLE, but you want to learn more? Then the new VLE 101 course is for you!

Why use the VLE?

The VLE includes functionality and tools to:



Support and document student learning with a Portfolio tool



Engage parents



Provide rich assessment and feedback



Maximize the use of Ministry-provided content



Support students with tools and resources



Strengthen student communication

How do I get started?

To login to the VLE, visit D2L.com/VLE and select your school board from the drop-down menu. Once you've accessed the VLE, we recommend starting with the new VLE 101 course, available through Ontario's eCommunity.

To access the eCommunity, [login to your school board VLE](#) and look for the "My Courses in Other Orgs Widget on" on the homepage. Don't see that widget on the homepage? Reach out to your TELT Contact

What is the VLE 101 course?

The VLE 101 course is a hands-on course designed for Ontario K-12 educators. This course is available to all Ontario educators free through Ontario's eCommunity.

- Build your learning space in real time this school year by simply following along with the course!
- Videos, screenshots, step-by-step explanations, best practices, hands-on learning activities, comprehension checks, and so much more!