Design Options – Blogs

Purpose
The purpose of a blog is to provide a space for students to share information with each other. It is possible to have a dialog through comments but the focus is meant to be on the initial post or presentation.

Canvas Design Option
If you used the ‘blog’ tool in Blackboard, use an ‘unthreaded discussion forum’ in Canvas instead.

More Details
In Canvas, create a discussion forum but do not check the ‘Allow threaded replies’ setting.

The result will be a discussion forum in which you can post an original reply to the prompt or reply only to initial posts in the forum. You can only reply at the end of each thread, not to individual responses.