

Schoology FAQ for Parents

Q: What is Schoology?

A: Schoology is the most widely used K-12, true Learning Management System that allows teachers to engage students in a variety of learning formats including our remote and hybrid models.

Q: Why did the school transition to Schoology?

A: In the Fall of 2019, our student information system, PowerSchool, purchased Schoology to bring the product into their Unified Classroom suite. Last winter the District was given the opportunity to transition to this product which is much more robust then our current capabilities in the PowerSchool Unified Classroom.

Q: I already have a Unified Classroom account. Is this another account?

A: Yes. Unified Classroom is where students' grades and data are stored. We understand there are redundant features such as learning (Class Pages), messaging, and calendar. **All these features and communications will now take place in Schoology.**

Q: Why the two products?

A: PowerSchool has not yet brought Schoology into their Unified Classroom suite. The district's primary concern is getting the best instructional tools in the hands of students and educators.

Q: Do I need a Schoology account? I have a PowerSchool Unified Classroom account.

A: A Schoology account gives parents the ability to view students' learning materials and track their child's progress in Schoology. We are giving parents the ability to create an account should they choose.

Q: Can I see my child's grades in Schoology?

A: You can see graded work that the teachers delivers in Schoology and learning resources. Teachers will still be using digital platforms, such as textbooks, outside Schoology. **A student's course grade is located in PowerSchool Unified Classroom.**

Q: How do a sign up for an account?

A: Use the access codes you were provided and sign up as a parent at https://www.schoology.com/



Q: How does my child log into Schoology?

A: Students will use the website https://wtps.schoology.com/ or can enter through Classlink.

Q: Will my child understand how to use Schoology?

A: Staff members will introduce students to Schoology during live sessions using District provided resources.