

Troy A. Howard Middle School
Parental Access to PowerSchool Acceptable Use Policy

Student Name: _____

Address _____

Student ID/DOB: _____

Grade: _____

Access to your child's grades and attendance through Power School is being provided to you as another form of communication with teachers and administrators but more importantly, it is to help all of us in our efforts to support your child's education. Please read this letter carefully and sign in the space provided. Once signed, return the Acceptable Use Policy (AUP) back to your child's school.

As a condition of using Power School, I understand that I am agreeing to the following:

1. Username and passwords are to be kept confidential.
2. Only one username and password will be issued per family per student.
3. It is your responsibility to determine which parent(s) or guardian(s) will be able to access records.
4. All concerns about the system should be addressed to Phil Bloomstein by phone (338.3320x123) or by email at pbloomstein@sad34.net. Note: The school district does not provide support for your home/work computer system.
5. Concerns about grades should be addressed to the specific teacher by setting up an appointment or sending an email directly to that teacher. Also you may contact Principal Kim Buckheit by phone (338.3320) or email kbuckheit@sad34.net.
6. Even though you will be able to check grades 24 hours a day / 7 days a week, teachers generally post their grades within 5 days of the date the assignment is due. Large projects frequently take much longer to grade fairly. Please be patient and do not call or email them to post assignments sooner.
7. If you notice a mistake with any of your child's grades, just send one email requesting the teacher to correct it.
8. Attendance concerns should be addressed to the attendance secretary, Ellen Sawyer.
9. If you forget your username and/or password, send in a written request to the school where your child attends.
10. No usernames or passwords will be given out over the phone or via email. Each student may have only one unique login.

Acceptable Use:

1. It is important to remember that the school district is providing this access as a privilege, and if it is abused, it will be revoked at any time without notice.
2. We are not liable for any damages to your personal equipment incurred when connected to the Power School System.
3. In consideration of using the MSAD #34 School District network and having access to my child's grades and attendance, I hereby release MSAD #34 School District and its officers, employees, and agents from any claims and damages arising from my use or inability to use the system.
4. I am aware that, at times, the information in the Power School System may be incorrect and I should notify the appropriate individual regarding corrections. (See login page for additional information.) We appreciate your patience and cooperation in this matter.
5. As a parent or guardian I have read and signed this policy and understand that access is designed for the educational support of my child's education.

Parent or Guardian Signature/Date

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Print Name Please

Print Name Please