

**Orangeburg County School District
Parent Portal Terms of Use**

Parent Portal Terms of Use:

1. Username and passwords are to be kept confidential.
 - a. It is the responsibility of the parent/guardian to protect the security of the login and password. Orangeburg County School District accepts no responsibility in the event the username and password is shared, given, stolen, or in any other way becomes the possession of a person other than the parent/guardian.
 - b. The parent/guardian will need to visit the school office and show a picture ID to receive their access code/password or issues related to access codes.
2. If you have questions concerning your child's posted information, you may take the following steps:
 - a. Talk to your child to ask him about his grades or attendance.
 - b. Review the teacher's grading policy. Remember the information in PowerSchool[™] is subject to change and the information posted is not the official Progress Report, Report Card or Student Transcript.
 - c. Email the teacher with your questions or concerns.
 - d. Request a meeting with the teacher following the school procedures for arranging meetings.
3. The system will allow one account access to multiple students. More than one person can set up an account to access each student's information.
4. PowerSchool[™] Parent Portal is not the official record. Information on the portal may not be complete or correct at all times and is constantly being updated. For official student records contact your child's teacher.
5. This is a resource for parents, but the types of information provided may change at any time.
6. The school district does not provide technical support for your home/work computer system.
7. The District will monitor parent access to PowerSchool[™] Parent Portal. The system logs date of login, time accessed, and duration of login (in minutes).
8. Parents/guardians should remember that email and other communications over the Internet are not guaranteed to be private and are subject to State and Federal Law.
9. Each teaching professional may use different assignments and number of assignments to assess student performance. Different subject matter is assessed using different frequency and number of assignments. Do not compare teachers or expect teachers to use the same methods of assessment.
10. Attendance is taken once a day in the elementary schools and each period at the middle and high schools.
11. Attendance is updated as soon as the teacher enters it. If you have a question concerning attendance, please contact the Attendance Office at your child's school.
12. Orangeburg County School District is providing this access as a privilege, and the account may be suspended and/or terminated at any time without cause.
13. Orangeburg County School District is not liable for any damages to personal equipment or
14. software when connected to the PowerSchool[™] System. Orangeburg County School District and
15. its officers, employees, and agents are released from any claims and damages resulting from use of the system.
16. All data are the property of Orangeburg County School District and is only available to parents of students currently in attendance. The system may be unavailable during summer breaks and during periods of system maintenance.

This agreement must be signed and returned to the student's school in order to receive log in information. Thank you

Parent Signature: _____ Relationship: _____

Printed Name: _____ Date: _____

Student's Name: _____ Grade Level: _____

Telephone Number: _____