Portland Adult Education Registration 2024-2025



The Portland Virtual School will allow learners in grades 6-12 to learn in an online community that fosters independence, critical thinking, creativity and problem solving skills. Our alternative learning environment will provide a high quality standards-driven curriculum that will allow students to learn anytime and anywhere.

Any Time, Any Place, Any Way, Any Pace

Student Name: _____

Assigned Computer #: _____ Return Date:_____



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School Registration / Emergency Form



Student's Legal Name_							Male_	Female
	Last	First		Middle		(Maiden)		
Address								
Street			City		State	ZIP		County
Home Phone			Student	t Cell Phon	e			
Student Email								
Date of Birth	Age	e City	/State of					
Date of Birth Birth	/							
Ethnicity: American Ind	dian Asian	American	_Black	Native Hav	waiian	_White]	Hispanic /La	.tinoN/A
With whom does the stu	udent reside?				Rela	ationship		
Mother's Name			Ho	ome Phone_			Work/Cell_	
Address (if different fro	om student's	address)						
Email Address				reet	•	Zip	•	
Father's Name								
Address (if different fro	om student's	address)						
Email Address				eet	2	-	County	
Siblings in the District_								
Emergency Contact Phone			Home P	hone		W	Vork	
Emergency Contact Phone			Home P	hone		W	ork	
Do you have any known	n allergies or	medical con-	ditions?					
Who is your family doc	etor				Phone			
If medical attention is r	equired, whic	ch hospital do	o you prefer	?				



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Is the student currently us	nder suspension/expulsion fr	rom any public or private sch	ool? Yes No		
If yes, please explain:					
Are you currently on/or r	pending probation?				
If yes, who is your proba	tion officer	/			
		Name	Phone		
School District and Cour	ty of Residence		Last grade completed		
If yes, please check all th Special Education	at apply.	ove school? YesNo Title I (K-5 only)	Accomodations		
Language		Math	504 Plan		
		Reading	Behavior Plan		
Speech	Hearing Occupational Therapy				
Reading	Physical Therapy				
	mission for open campus dur	ring lunch: Yes	No		

Student Handbook: By signing below my student and I agree to follow and abide by all policies and procedures stated in the student handbook.

For students under 18, parent signature is required

Student Signature	Date
Parent Signature	Date



EMPLOYMENT & TRAINING

Adult Learning Plan

The Adult Learning Plan (ALP) is required by the Office of Adult Education. * = Required Field

Program Year: _____

Section 1: Provider Information						
*Provider Name:				Adult	Education Services Locator	
Provider Location:						
*Date completed:	Staff person	i who a	ssisted you:			
Section 2: Participant Information	า					
*First Name:	*Last Name:			k	'Middle Initial:	
Maiden Name:	*Date of Bir	th:		*City of Birth:		
Street Address:		:	State/Country of	of Birth:		
City:	State:			2	Zip Code:	
County:	Social Security Nu	umber:			*Sex: □ Male □ Female	
*Phone Number:		Alterr	nate Phone Nu	mber:		
*Email Address:						
Alternate Contact Information		T				
First Name:		Last I	Name:			
Relationship to the Participant:						
Street Address:						
City:	State:	T		-	Zip Code:	
Phone Number:		Email	Address:			
Section 3: Personal and Family Ir	nformation					
Please indicate the number of children you have to help us track the direct effect on the education of our participants' children.			*Select your highest level of education completed: ☐ No Schooling ☐ Grades 1-5			
*Number of children not yet in school (0 – preschool): *Number of school-age children (K-12):			□ Grades 6-8 □ Grades 9-12 (no diploma)			
*Are you a veteran? □ Yes □ No			□ High School Diploma			
*Are you Hispanic or Latino? □ Yes □ No			□ High School Equivalency (HSE) Certificate			
 *Select one or more races with which you identify: □ African American or Black □ American Indian or Alaska Native 		 Some Postsecondary / No Degree Postsecondary or Professional Degree Unknown 				
Asian					ion completed?	
 Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander White 			□ U.S. Based Schooling			
			🗆 Non-U.S. I	Based Schoo	oling	
Section 4: Labor Status			Т			
*What is your current labor status?			If Employed:			
Employed / received termination notice or military			Employer name:			
Unemployed – seeking employment			Hourly wage: Hours usually worked in a week:			
□ Not working – not seeking employment (not in labor force) Hours				,		

Section 5: Barrier	S	
*Childcare	Do you have difficulty finding affordable and/or reliable childcare?	🗆 Yes 🗆 No
*Cultural Barriers	Do your beliefs, customs, or practices make it difficult for you to function in a school or work environment? If yes, please identify the cultural barrier:	
*Current / Prior Foster Care	Are you currently in or have you aged out of the foster care system?	
*Digital Access – Equipment	Do you have access to a computer?	□ Yes □ No
*Digital Access – Internet	Do you have access to the internet?	🗆 Yes 🗆 No
*Digital Literacy	Do you have difficulty using computers, the internet, and/or technology?	🗆 Yes 🗆 No
*Disabled (Physical / Mental Impairment)	Do you have physical / mental disabilities or impairments that limit major life activities (you do not need to be receiving disability benefits)?	🗆 Yes 🗆 No
*Displaced Homemaker	Displaced homemaker can be defined as any of the following: (1) If you have been providing unpaid services to family members in your home but now need to look for employment, (2) If you have been dependent on another person's income and no longer receive that financial support, or (3) If your spouse has been deployed to active military duty and your family income has significantly reduced. Are you a displaced homemaker?	□ Yes □ No
*Exhausting TANF	Are you within two (2) years of exhausting your lifetime eligibility for Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF)? TANF is a temporary program that assists low-income families with cash assistance.	
*Ex-Offender	Ex-Offender can be defined as any of the following: (1) You have an arrest or conviction on your record that has created a barrier to employment, (2) You are currently on probation or parole, or (3) You have a criminal record beyond infractions, including misdemeanors or felonies. Are you an ex-offender?	🗆 Yes 🗆 No
*Homeless	Are you currently experiencing homelessness or lack a permanent, adequate, nighttime residence?	
*IEP	Do you or have you had an Individualized Educational Plan (IEP) or a 504 plan in school?	□ Yes □ No
*Learning Disabled	Have you been diagnosed, or do you believe you have a learning disability?	🗆 Yes 🗆 No
*Low-Income	Defined as meeting any or all of the following low-income guidelines applying to you, or your child(ren): (1) Your total family income falls below the poverty line. (This is approximately \$12,000 for one person and \$25,000 for a family of four), (2) You or your child(ren) receives SNAP, TANF, SSI, Medicaid insurance, WIC, food assistance, public housing or rental assistance, or any other public assistance. Does your family meet the low-income guidelines?	□ Yes □ No
*Long-Term Unemployed	Have you been unemployed for more than six months?	🗆 Yes 🗆 No
*Migrant / Seasonal Farm Worker	Are you a Migrant / Seasonal Farm Worker defined here as someone who is primarily employed in agriculture, fish farming labor, or your family travels to where farming jobs are available?	🗆 Yes 🗆 No
*Single Parent	Are you a single parent defined here as someone who is pregnant, separated, divorced, or widowed and have primary responsibility for one or more dependent children under age 18?	□ Yes □ No
*Substance Abuse	Do you struggle with an addiction to alcohol or drugs?	🗆 Yes 🗆 No
*Transportation	Do you lack transportation, have unreliable transportation, do not have the means to pay for public transportation and /or do you get rides from friends or lack consistent transportation to get to school or work?	□ Yes □ No
*Other	Do you have any other barriers not listed above? If yes, please describe:	□ Yes □ No

Section 6: Goals

- *Select one or more that may apply:
- □ Function at or above 9th Grade Level (ABE only)
- □ Achieve English Language Proficiency (ESL only)
- □ Pass One or More Official HSE Tests
- □ Attain High School Diploma Credits
- □ Obtain High School Equivalency
- □ Obtain a High School Diploma
- □ Enroll in Postsecondary Education
- □ Obtain Postsecondary Credential
- □ Obtain Employment

Section 7: Notice of Data Sharing

- □ Retain Employment
- □ Achieve Citizenship Skills
- □ Vote or Register to Vote
- □ Increase Involvement in Community Activities
- □ Involvement in Children's Education
- □ Involvement in Children's Literacy Related Activities
- □ Leave Public Assistance
- \Box Other, please specify:

Participant registration information will be used to research and evaluate the effectiveness of adult education programs in Michigan through data sharing with other data systems, such as employment and wage records, high school equivalency testing, and college records. The State of Michigan does not report or publish an individual's performance results, only statewide and program totals. The Office of Employment and Training - Workforce Development will not disclose an individual's Social Security number and will comply with all laws and regulations governing Social Security number use and client privacy.

This form may be signed electronically. The signature, whether handwritten or electronic, confirms that information provided is accurate and correct.

*Signature:



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Participant Follow-Up Notice



As part of our registration process and during your instruction time in our program, we will be asking you to update your contact information and provide alternative contact information. Once you leave our program, you may be contacted so we can receive feedback from you and any suggestions for improvements. We will also conduct a brief **Follow-Up Survey** to determine if you received a high school diploma or equivalency, enrolled in postsecondary education or training, and/or obtained a job. The survey will only take a few minutes of your time and your answers are confidential but extremely important.

Your registration information, such as Social Security number, will be used to research and evaluate the effectiveness of Adult Education programs through data sharing with other State of Michigan data systems, including high school equivalency testing, postsecondary enrollment, and employment.

Please note, the State of Michigan does not report individual performance results. Performance results for Adult Education programs are aggregated totals.

Signing below indicates:

- I have received a copy of this notice and this information has been explained to me.
- I authorize the Office of Adult Education to use my Social Security number to obtain employment information from State of Michigan data systems.
- I understand that the Office of Adult Education will not disclose my Social Security number and will
 comply with laws and regulations governing Social Security number use and client privacy.

Date



Acceptable Use Policy and Agreement for Acceptable Use of Portland Public Schools Technology Resources Students Grades K-12

	/
Building/Program Name	Student Name

This agreement is entered into this ______ day of ______, 20____, between ______ ("Student" or "User") and the Portland Public Schools ("PPS"). The purpose of this agreement is to grant access to and define acceptable use of PPS's mission statement. "Technology Resources" include, but are not limited to: (1) internal and external network infrastructure, (2) Internet and network access, (3) computers, (4) servers, (5) storage devices, (6) peripherals, (7) software, and (8) messaging or communication systems. These resources may be provided to users to: (1) assist in the collaboration and exchange of information, (2) facilitate personal growth in the use of technology, and (3) enhance information gathering and communication skills.

In exchange for the use of PPS's Technology Resources either at school or away from school, you understand and agree to the following:

- A. Your use of the PPS's Technology Resources is a privilege that may be revoked by the PPS at any time and for any reason.
- B. The PPS reserves all rights to any material stored on PPS Technology Resources. You have no expectation of privacy when using PPS Technology Resources. PPS reserves the right to monitor all use of its Technology Resources, including, without limitation, personal email and voice mail communications, computer files, data bases, web logs, audit trails, or any other electronic transmissions accessed, distributed, or used through the Technology Resources. PPS also reserves the right to remove any material from the Technology Resources that the PPS, at its sole discretion, chooses to, including, without limitation, any information that PPS determines to be unlawful, obscene, pornographic, harassing, intimidating, or disruptive.
- C. The Technology Resources do not provide you a "public forum." You may not use the Technology Resources for commercial purposes or to lobby or solicit political positions or candidates unless expressly authorized in advance by a teacher or administrator as part of a class program or activity. You may, however, use the Technology Resources to contact or communicate with public officials.
- D. The PPS's Technology Resources are intended for exclusive use by registered users. You are responsible for your account/password and any access to the Technology Resources made using your account/password. Any problems arising from the use of your account/password are your responsibility. Use of your account by someone other than you is forbidden and may be grounds for loss of access privileges and other disciplinary consequences for both you and the person(s) using your account/password.
- E. You may not use the Technology Resources or any other communication/messaging devices (including devices not owned by PPS while on campus, at school sanctioned events home or away, and/or on school busses) to engage in cyberbullying. Cyberbullying means "the use of email, cell phone and pager text messages, instant messaging (IM), defamatory personal websites, and defamatory online personal polling websites to support deliberate, repeated and hostile behavior by an individual or group that is intended to harm others."
- F. Misuse of Technology Resources may result in suspension of your account privileges and/or other disciplinary action, up to and including expulsion, as determined by the PPS. Misuses includes, but is not limited to: authorized person, *during adult use*, to enable access to bona fide research or for other lawful purposes.
- G. It is the policy of PPS to prohibit its minor students from (1) accessing inappropriate matter on the Internet; (2) engaging in hacking or other unlawful online activities; (3) disclosing, using, or disseminating personal information online; or (4) accessing materials that are harmful to minors. It is also the policy of PPS to educate





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students about cyberbullying awareness and response and about appropriate online behavior, including safely interacting with other individuals in social networking websites, chat rooms, and by email.

- H. PPS does not guarantee that measures described in paragraphs F and G will provide any level of safety or security or that they will block all inappropriate material from PPS's minor students. You agree that you will not intentionally engage in any behavior that was designed to be prevented by paragraphs F and G.
- I. The PPS does not warrant or guarantee that its Technology Resources will meet any specific requirement, or that they will be error free or uninterrupted; nor will PPS or its Internet provider be liable for any direct or indirect, incidental, or consequential damages (including lost data, information, or time) sustained or incurred in connection with the use, operation, or inability to use the Technology Resources.
- J. When utilizing the PPS Technology Resources, you may use only PPS authorized messaging and communication systems. There is no expectation of privacy in electronic communications. The PPS reserves the right to monitor electronic communications.
- K. As soon as possible, you must disclose to your teacher or other school employee any message you receive that is inappropriate or makes you feel uncomfortable, harassed, threatened, or bullied, especially any communication that contains sexually explicit content. You should not delete such content until instructed to do so by a staff member.
- L. The PPS and/or the Internet provider will periodically determine whether specific uses of the PPS's Technology Resources are consistent with this acceptable use policy. The PPS or its Internet provider reserves the right to log Internet use and to monitor mail space and file server utilization by users. The PPS reserves the right to remove a user account on the PPS's Technology Resources to prevent further unauthorized activity.
- M. You may not transfer software belonging to PPS without the permission of the PPS Technology Coordinator or his/her designee. Without first obtaining such permission, you will be liable for any damages and will be required to pay the cost of any damages caused by such transfer, whether intentional or accidental.
- N. You are responsible for the proper use of Technology Resources and will be held accountable for any damage to or replacement of the Resources caused by your inappropriate use.

In consideration for the privileges of using the PPS's Technology Resources and in consideration for having access to the information contained therein, I release the PPS, its Board of Education, individual Board members, administrative employees and agents, the Internet provider and its operators from any and all claims of any nature arising from my use, or inability to use, the Technology Resources. I agree to abide by this Acceptable Use Policy and Agreement and by any rules or regulations that may be added from time-to-time by the PPS and its Internet provider as well as PPS's Internet Safety Policy and its Student Code of Conduct. All additional rules, regulations, and policies are available in hardcopy in the Principal's office.

I have read this Acceptable Use Policy and Agreement and sign it knowingly and freely.

Parent Signature

Student Signature

Date	

Date



PORTLAND PUBLIC SCHOOLS District Chromebook Agreement



Student Name

Device Asset ID Number

Parent/Guardian Responsibilities and Permission

I have received a District Chromebook device to use at home and school to support my student's learning and achievement. By accepting the possession of the device, I agree to the following:

- o I understand that it is to be used for educational purposes only and in accordance with Student Acceptable Use Policy.
- o I understand that I am responsible for any loss or damage to the deice and charger.
- o The District may request the device be returned at any time.
- o I must return the device to the District in the same condition as it was received.

Students must follow the Responsible Use and Care Guidelines as outlined below. A list of assigned equipment and accessories is also provided below with cost if damaged, stolen, or lost.

I am authorizing the assignment of a Chromebook device to my child currently enrolled in Portland Public Schools. I understand that the device is to be used as a tool for learning and that my child will comply with the Responsible Use and Care Guidelines. I will ensure the safe and timely return of the device within the loan period or upon request by the District. I understand that in the event of theft, misuse or carelessness, there is no provision for replacement. I also understand that I am financially responsible for any willful, malicious, or accidental damage to the device.

By accepting the device, you are responsible for any and all damages and costs incurred.

Internet Content Filtering

The District has implemented technology protection measures and content filtering on all student Google accounts both on campus and offsite. This will ensure that anywhere students are logged in with their school Google accounts, they will be protected required under the guidelines of the Children's Internet Project Act. While Portland Public Schools uses technology protection measures to limit access to material considered harmful or inappropriate to students, it may not be possible for the District to absolutely prevent such access.

Student Responsibilities

By accepting the device, the student is agreeing to follow the guidelines in this policy and is agreeing to report any misuse of the Chromebook to the person designated by the School for such reporting. Misuse means any violations of this policy or any other use that is not included in the policy, but has the effect of harming another or his or her property. Additionally, misuse includes anything that violates the school student handbook or the district technology agreement.

Responsible Use and Care Guidelines

- 1. Modifying or changing the device settings and/or internal or external configurations is prohibited.
- 2. Using obscene, threatening or disrespectful language in any form online or in electronic communications is strictly prohibited.
- 3. Avoid placing heavy materials, such as books, on top of the device.
- 4. Protect the LCD display screen. Before closing the device, make sure there are no small items, such as a pencil or small earphones, on the keyboard.
- 5. When carrying a Chromebook, close it and carry it face up.
- 6. Report any damage that may have happened to the Chromebook immediately.
- 7. Parents and students agree to return the device and all components to the school in the same condition as when the device was issued to the student.





District Chromebook Agreement



Chromebook Etiquette

All users must abide by the rules of Chromebook etiquette, which include:

- 1. Politeness. Use appropriate language. No swearing, vulgarities, suggestive, obscene, belligerent or threatening language.
- 2. Safety. The Chromebooks shall be used for only intended purposes to enhance learning. No personal information shall be shared that could compromise student or staff safety.
- 3. The following is a non-exhaustive list of offenses that are not acceptable uses of Chromebooks:
 - o Uses that are offensive to others. Don't use access to make ethnic, sexual preference of gender-related slurs or jokes.
 - o Uses that violate the law or encourage others to violate the law. Don't transmit offensive or harassing messages; offer for sale or use any substance whose possession or use of is prohibited by the School District's Student Code of Conduct.
 - o Uses of social networking sites. Chromebooks are provided as a tool of the student's education. School is not the appropriate setting for the use of social networking sites and such use is prohibited. Social networking sites are sites where individuals create and view personal profiles, create networks of friends, leave messages for each other, etc.
 - o Uses that are deemed harassment or bullying. Cyberbullying is strictly prohibited. Chromebooks shall not be used for this purpose or to persuade others to do so. If a student finds that other users are engaging in Cyberbullying or harassment, he or she should report such use to the person designated by the School.

Privacy

Students shall not share any information that could compromise the privacy of themselves or any other students/staff member at the school. This information includes, but is not limited to, the following:

- 1. Login information
- 2. Personal information like addresses
- 3. Descriptions of themselves or any other person that could be used for identification

Damage Charges

Equipment	Damaged Equipment Cost
Chromebook LCD Display	\$75
Chromebook Keyboard/Palm Rest	\$90
Chromebook (lost, stolen, or total replacement)	\$300
AC Charger	\$40

Parent Signature

Date

Student Signature



Release of Information



to

Student	t Name:		
	First	Middle	Last
Date of	Birth:	Grade Level:	
	Name and A	Address of Previous Scho	<u>ol</u> :
Name c	of School	Address	
City		State	Zip
Phone		Fax/Email	
	to certify that the parent/guardian of the a d Public Schools:	bove student authorizes the	he release of the following information
	Initial Request ONLY *Do not send CA60 or drop student	Full Reques *Student is	t s accepted to Portland Public Schools
	Discipline Records	□ CA60	
	Attendance Records	□ Standardized	
	Academic History		rds (Immunization Records)
	Special Education Records	□ Attendance I	
			Grades (Prior to End of Marking Period)
			or Expulsion Records cation Records
		\Box Special Educ \Box Discipline R	
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Please send above checked information to: (CIRCLE ONE)

Portland High School
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Portland, MI 48875
Attn: Mindy Blaschka
mlaschka@portlandk12.org

Oakwood Elementary 500 Oak St. Portland, MI 48875 Attn: Shannon Schnicke <u>sschnicke@portlandk12.org</u>

Portland Middle School 745 Storz Ave. Portland, MI 48875 Attn: Stacy Gross sgross@portlandk12.org

PACE 1090 Ionia Rd. Portland, MI 48875 Attn: Karla Wittenbach kwittenbach@portlandk12.org

Westwood Elementary 883 Cross St. Portland, MI 48875 Attn: Robin Gross rgross@portlandk12.org