



January 14, 2025

Dear Bridge Prep Families:

We are writing to make you aware of a recent cybersecurity incident involving PowerSchool, a software vendor that provides the Student Information System (SIS) to schools and school districts nationwide, including Bridge Prep .

On Tuesday January 9th, 2025, Bridge Prep was informed by PowerSchool that they experienced a cybersecurity incident involving unauthorized access to certain PowerSchool SIS customer data in schools and districts across the nation. At this time, we are awaiting information from PowerSchool to determine if there was any unauthorized access to Bridge Prep's information that exists in Powerschool.

PowerSchool informed us that the data taken during the incident primarily includes parent and student contact information with data elements such as name and address information. They are working with urgency to complete their investigation and determine whether Personally Identifiable Information (PII) belonging to our students was included. From a security standpoint, Powerschool has confirmed that they have identified and secured the root cause of the incursion, the vulnerability has been rectified and data is now secure, with no known immediate risk to other data.

More information about this incident can be found at <https://www.k12six.org/news/powerschool-cyber-incident-faq>. We will keep you informed when we receive more information from PowerSchool regarding any breach of our school's information, and the appropriate next steps.

Thank you for your patience and understanding.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Mr. Castanza", written in a cursive style.

Mr. Castanza  
Executive Director