

# NORTHWESTERN LEHIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT

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#### The Parent Portal

This online resource will provide parents/guardians with valuable information and data about their child's academic performance and progress.

#### This system allows you to view:

- Attendance Record
- Grades by Subject
- Test & Quiz Scores
- Homework Assignments
- Student Schedules
- Report Cards & Progress Reports
- Announcements

Please be assured that your child's academic records are secure and private. Access to this information is restricted by your secure logon.

All students in grades 6-12 will create a student account at school.

## We encourage you to register for your **FREE** access today!



### How to register for the parent portal

- 1. Visit www.nwlehighsd.org and click the Parent Portal link
- 2. Click the Community Application and Acceptable Use Policy Form link
- 3. Enter the district keyword **tigers** (all lowercase)
- 4. Please read and acknowledge the district's access policy by selecting **Yes** and **Continue** at the bottom of the page
- 5. Complete the application's required fields and click **Submit**
- 6. After your account is approved, you will receive a PIN # via email.
- 7. Return to the **Parent Portal** link on the district's website and enter your user information to gain access.

### If you have an existing account

There is nothing you need to do, your access information will remain the same. If you want to add another child to your account, please contact your child's building for additional assistance.

Access the Parent Portal at www.nwlehighsd.org



#### **Our Recommendations**

- Access the portal periodically check each subject once a week.
- Monitor your child's progress and use this knowledge to show a genuine interest in their academic performance.
- Use this information as a way to start a meaningful dialog with your child. (e.g. Describe what you learned? What did you find challenging?)
- Value what your child is learning more than grades they are earning.
- Ask your child how often they review the portal. Share your use of the portal with them openly and honestly.
- The portal is not a substitute for face-to-face conversations with our teachers.
- Establish corrective behaviors if the portal reveals incomplete assignments or marginal performance. (e.g. establish a homework time, review assignments)
- Encourage and support goals for your child's continuous improvement

## We suggest parents/guardians avoid

- Micromanaging your child's progress by checking the portal too frequently.
- Communicating grades before the teacher has reviewed them with your child.
- Overreacting to a less than desirable score or grade.

Look for the Parent Portal link on our website

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