

Dear Parents/Guardians,

We are excited to continue our roll out with Schoology, our digital learning hub to enhance connectivity and communication. Schoology enables our students, parents, and teachers to engage with learning materials and their school community from the classroom and beyond. With Schoology, students can digitally submit homework assignments, review grades, participate in interactive discussions, receive announcements and feedback, take tests, create electronic portfolios, and more. As a parent, you will be able to view your child's activity within the platform when you set up your parent account with the access code provided by the district. We value your participation in your child's education.

We will be using Schoology in the middle school and the high school this year. We will be phasing Schoology into Garfield Elementary next year as we continue the implementation of our 1:1 initiative. JMC will only be used for attendance and for the overall grade at the end of the quarter/semester. We will be using Schoology for our primary gradebook. (If you have students at the elementary, you will need to continue to access JMC for grades as you have in the past.)

Each parent can create their own separate account using the same access code. Please create your account with YOUR name and not your child's. If you already have an account with Schoology from last year, you can just add another child to it by entering his/her unique access code. Attached, you will find information with instructions on how to create, log into, and use your Schoology account. Schoology can be accessed via a computer, tablet, or phone. On our district technology page, we also have many links available to provide you with additional support.

If you have questions regarding Schoology, please don't hesitate to contact us.

Sincerely,

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