



# Los Angeles Unified School District

Division of Instruction  
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PARENT PORTAL & SCHOOLOGY

## Schoology Online Gradebook- New to Elementary Schools, grades K-5/6!

Schoology, a Learning Management System (LMS) that offers parents/guardians:

- 24/7 access to assignments, grades, and calendars
- School and class announcements
- Notifications

Beginning in the current 2018-19 school year, LAUSD is implementing the LMS Schoology online gradebook in all elementary schools. Parents will have access to the online gradebook so that they will be able to see their child’s class assignments and marks. Access to Schoology is embedded within the Parent Portal.

Teachers are encouraged to input as many assignment marks as possible in the online gradebook. Here is the minimum you will see during this first year of implementation in grades K-5/6:

Academic Subject	Online Gradebook Minimum Grade Entries for the 2018-19 school year	
	Mid Reporting Period Minimum # of Entries	End Reporting Period Minimum # of Entries
English Language Arts (ELA)	1	3
Academic Language Development (ALD)	1	3
Mathematics	1	3
All Other Academic Subjects	---	1

Progress Report Midpoint dates: Sept. 28, Jan. 18, April 12

Progress Report End dates: Nov. 2, Feb. 22, June 7

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- Your child's progress report grades are based on many assignments that span the entire reporting period.
- Teachers will continue to maintain student portfolios and/or a paper gradebook as they transition to full implementation of online grading.
- Schoology provides an opportunity for parents/guardians to see *some* of the assignments and grades their child is receiving.
- Parents can ask teachers to share information on other assignments used to determine their child's grade.

English Language Arts and Mathematics are comprised of multiple sub-skills. By the middle of each trimester, parents will see a minimum of one grade in a sub-skill for ELA, ALD, and Math.

- English Language Arts includes Foundational Reading Skills, Making Meaning from Text, and Writing
- Academic Language Development focuses on the ELA areas of Language Conventions & Vocabulary, Speaking & Listening, and Writing, as well as iELD for ELs and MELD for Standard English Learners.



**For more information on marking practices, contact Division of Instruction, Elementary at 213-241-5333.**

**For Assistance with Parent Portal, contact your Local District Parent and Community Engagement office:**

- Local District Central - (213) 241-1931
- Local District East - (323) 224-3320
- Local District Northeast - (818) 252-5400
- Local District Northwest - (818) 654-3600
- Local District South - (310) 354-3230
- Local District West - (310) 914-2124