Fort Payne City Schools Approved Online Resource List
(Student Accounts)
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The Children's Online Privacy Protection Act or COPPA (effective 4/21/2000) requires websites to gain verifiable parental permission for users under the age of 13 and/or 18 before creating individual online accounts. Many educational sites used by Fort Payne City Schools require student accounts and, thus, verifiable parental permission. These sites go through an administrative approval process to ensure COPPA compliance and the educational value for students.

In most cases, these accounts are set up through the district with only the most basic Directory Information being entered such as name, homeroom, grade, network login or school-governed Google account credentials and Gmail address (filtered by the school district). When a district-selected online resource is no longer used, the company is contacted to remove student data.

Below is the list of approved online resources requiring student accounts at Fort Payne City Schools (listed in alphabetical order).

- It is a dynamic list in that it may change from year-to-year and during the year, thus it is recommended parents/guardians view this page for information when additional online resources (sites/apps) are added to this list.
- Parents/Guardians should always ask their student's teacher when they have questions concerning online resources (sites/apps) used in their student's classes.
- The consent for permission to use these online resources is at the end of school handbook and is signed at the beginning of the school year.
- Many online resources have committed to the Student Data Privacy Pledge.

Resources	Description	Information/Guidelines	Grade Level
ACCESS	Distance Learning's online learning environment providing classroom courses and teachers via technology	● Student accounts created	8, 9, 10, 11, 12
ACT- Keytrain	Comprehensive learning system focused on ACT preparation	● Student accounts created ● Privacy Policy	9, 10, 11, 12
AET	Access to ExploreLearning's Data Managements System as part of agricultural education	● Student accounts are created by students using their school Google credentials ● Privacy Policy	9, 10, 11, 12 (Ag. Classes)
Alabama Career Planning System	Plan for education and prepare for careers by learning about your interests, skills, and work values and exploring your options using a variety of interactive tools	● Student accounts created ● Privacy Policy	9, 10, 11, 12
Alabama Fire College	Facilitate in education, training, certification, and support services for the emergency response community	● Student Accounts created	9, 10, 11, 12

Blackboard	Learning Management System	● Student accounts created ● Privacy Policy	9, 10, 11, 12
Book Creator	A simple tool for creating digital books and content.	● Grades K-2- Teachers generate QR Code logins. ● Grades 3-12 students sign up using school Google account information ● FERPA and COPPA Compliant ● Privacy Policy LINK	All
CareerSafe	Online curriculum for safety training before entering the workforce. (OSHA's outreach)	● Students create accounts using school Google credentials ● Privacy Policy	9, 10, 11, 12
Chalkable/INOW	Web-based student information system that stores data such as standardized tests to daily class work, attendance, discipline, health and special education data that proves to be a catalyst for improving the quality of education in schools	● Student Accounts are created by the District ● This data is stored locally but shared with ALSDE.	All
Class Dojo	Behavioral management and communication tool between student/ parent/ teacher	● Teachers create student accounts using first name, last initial only ● Instruction letter to parents on how to join Class Dojo ● Safety Information LINK ● Privacy Policy LINK	K-4
Clever	A single sign-on (SSO) solution that works with many educational resources	● Student accounts are made and managed by the district	Pre-K - 4

		● Privacy Policy LINK	
Code.org	Computer Science Education using JavaScript	● Teachers will create the student accounts using either the student's first name and last initial or a pseudonym ● Passwords are automatically generated ● Privacy Policy LINK	All
Compass	Web-based K-12 learning tool that is learner specific in its response	● Student Accounts created and managed by district ● Privacy Policy LINK	5 - 12
CutTime	Save time in your schedule with Cut Time, a cloud-based group management tool that enables you to manage the critical components of your program - people, inventory, and more.	● Student accounts created and managed by the band director ● Privacy Policy LINK	9-12
Dave Ramsey Foundations in Personal Finance	Foundations in Personal Finance: High School Edition is the industry leader in personal finance education. A comprehensive, turnkey curriculum, Foundations helps teachers equip and empower students to make sound financial decisions for life.	● Student accounts created by students using school Google credentials ● COPPA Compliant ● Privacy Policy LINK	9-12
Discovery Education	Discovery Education offers a portfolio of opportunities for districts to meet students where they want to learn in the digital age. With award-winning digital content, interactive lessons, virtual experiences with some of Discovery's greatest talent, classroom contests and challenges, professional development and more—Discovery is leading the way in transforming classrooms and inspiring learning.	● Student accounts (when needed) are created by the teacher ● Privacy Policy LINK	Pre-K-8
Destiny Quest and Destiny Discover By Follett School Solutions, Inc.	Quest - Online books for students to read digitally and create wish lists for books to read in the future. Discover provides one discovery interface for students and educators to search and access all your print and digital resources, including eBooks,	● Student Accounts are created and managed by the District ● Privacy Policy LINK	All

	audiobooks, and interactive books, as well as free and paid subscription databases.		
DragonFly Athletics	DragonFly Athletics is an athlete-centered electronic medical records platform FPCS athletes will use.	● Student accounts are created and managed by coaches. ● Privacy Policy LINK	9-12
Duolingo	A free language-learning platform that includes a language-learning website and app, as well as a digital language proficiency assessment exam	● Student Accounts are created and managed by the EL teacher ● Privacy Policy LINK	5-8
Edpuzzle	A free assessment-centered tool that allows teachers and students to create interactive online videos by embedding either open-ended or multiple-choice questions, audio notes, audio tracks, or comments on a video.	● Teachers create OPEN classes in grades K-2, so no student accounts are created ● Students in grades 3-12 sign up using school Google account information. ● FERPA and COPPA Compliant ● Privacy Policy LINK	All
Educreations	Video lesson tool for students and teachers	● Free Version Only; Students create a student account by entering a class code ● Students will use their First name and Last initial when completing the account ● Privacy Policy LINK	All
Epic! For Educators	Over 10,000 high-quality children's books including read-to-me and Audiobooks while letting teacher assign books and track individual reading progress	● Teacher creates student accounts with first name and last initial only ● Students need a 4-digit code (Example: 0001, 0002, 0003, 0004, …) ● Privacy Policy LINK	Pre-K-2
ESGI	Web-based assessment platform for conducting one-on-one assessments for emergent and non-readers	● Student and Teacher accounts created by the district. ● This is a program for teacher documentation ● Privacy Policy LINK	Pre-K- K
Everfi Personal Finance	Teaching the Critical Skills That Life and Work Demand	● Student Account created ● Privacy Policy LINK	9-12

EVERFI	• Financial Capability • STEM Readiness • Health & Wellness • Career Leadership & Success • Diversity & Inclusion		
FFA	Online site for FFA; an intracurricular student organization for those interested in agriculture and leadership. It is one of the three components of agricultural education.	• Students in agriculture classes create accounts using school Google account information. • Privacy Policy	9-12
First Lego League	Challenges kids in over 80 countries to think like scientists and engineers. Teams choose and solve real-world problems. They also build, test, and program a robot using technology to solve a set of missions	• Student Accounts created and managed by team coach • Privacy Policy LINK	FPMS Robotics
Flipgrid	Flipgrid is a social learning platform that allows educators to ask a question, then the students respond in a video. Students are then able to respond to one another, creating a "web" of discussion.	• Accounts are created by the teacher using First name and last initial • Students log in with QR code then access through Clever • COPPA Compliant • Privacy Policy LINK	All
Flocabulary	Flocabulary is a learning program for all grades that uses educational hip-hop music to engage students and increase achievement across the curriculum.	• Student Accounts created and managed by the teacher. • Privacy Policy LINK	K-8
Global Scholar	State required web-based reading and math assessment taken 2-3 times a school year	• Student Accounts created and managed by district • Privacy Policy LINK	All
Google (G Suite Tools for Education)	Digital works synchronization service created within the cloud environment allowing for share files, and edit documents, spreadsheets, and presentations with collaborators	• Student Accounts are created and managed by the District through Google Admin • G Suite Tools for Education are available • Gmail active for grades 9-12 only • Privacy Policy LINK • List of G Suite Tools	3-12

Google Teacher Resources	Resources teachers can use today created by Google to inspire creativity, encourage hands-on learning, and equip your students with digital skills.	● Student accounts are created and managed by the District through Google Admin ● List of Google Teacher Resources ● Privacy Policy LINK	3-12
Holt McDougal Textbooks Online	Online textbook used in various grades and subjects to include history and literature.	● Student accounts are made by the teacher ● Login Link ● Privacy Policy	3 -12
Hudl	Tool to edit and share video, study associated play diagrams, and create quality highlighted reels for entertainment and recruiting purposes.	● Student Accounts are created and managed by the athletic coach ● Privacy Policy LINK	Athletics
iRead	Reading program that provides targeted, explicit instruction and systematic practice in phonological awareness, alphabet knowledge, phonics, decoding, word recognition, syntax, fluency, and morphology.	● Student Accounts created ● Privacy Policy LINK	K-2
iReady	A single K–12 adaptive Diagnostic for reading and mathematics pinpoints student needs down to the sub-skill level, and ongoing progress monitoring shows whether students are on track to achieve end-of-year targets.	● District creates accounts ● Privacy Policy	K - 5
IWitness - USC Shoah Foundation	Provides access to more than 1,500 full life histories, testimonies of survivors and witnesses to the Holocaust and other genocides for guided exploration.	● Student Accounts are created by the student using first name and last initial ONLY ● The student will be given a code to join the class ● Privacy Policy LINK	6 - 12 (in various classes)
Khan Academy	Practice exercises, instructional videos, and a personalized learning dashboard that empower learners to study at their own pace in and outside of the classroom	● Student Accounts are created by the teacher ● Each class has a unique code to join ● Privacy Policy LINK	5 - 12 (in various classes)
Learning A-Z	A tool to assist in meeting the challenges of literacy instruction	● District creates accounts ● Privacy Policy LINK	K-4 EL

LearnZillion	Students can watch videos based on aligned standards. Teachers can search for and assign videos by clicking on the standard they are teaching	• Student Accounts created by teacher using first name and last initial • The students will join the class account with a LearnZillion Code • Privacy Policy LINK	3-12 (in various classes)
Lexia	Personalized learning that provides immediate corrective feedback and explicit instruction to support students in their learning	• Student Accounts created by district • Privacy Policy LINK	K - 2, and Special Education
My College Options	A college planning service, offering assistance to students, parents, high schools, counselors, and teachers nationwide. It is designed to assist high school students in exploring a wide range of post-secondary opportunities, with special emphasis on the college search process.	• Students create accounts to include name, email, physical address • No accounts for under 13 years of age • Privacy Policy: LINK	9, 10, 11, 12
myON	Personalized reading for students by recommending books based on their interests, reading level, and ratings of books they've read	• Student Accounts created by district • Privacy Policy LINK	3-8
National Honor Society	NTHS strives to bring well deserved recognition, scholarship opportunities, and career opportunities to students who excel in one of the 108 career and technical educational fields as their profession	• Student Accounts created by sponsor • Privacy Policy LINK	11, 12
National Federation of State High School Associations	The NFHS promotes and protects the defining values of education-based interscholastic activity programs in collaboration with its member state associations. It serves as the recognized national authority on education-based interscholastic activity programs, and is the pre-eminent authority on competition rules for education-based interscholastic activity programs.	• Student accounts are created by students. • Name, address, phone number, and school email is required for student account creation. • Students and coaches will complete courses as part of the athletic eligibility process. • Students in 6th grade will require a parent email to complete the account creation process. • Privacy Policy LINK	6-12

Nearpod	Synchronous presentation tool with mirroring capability to student devices - has interactivity options to include collaboration, drawing, quizzes with immediate feedback	- No Student Accounts created - Students join presentations with a PIN and enter the first name and last initial or a nickname - Privacy Policy LINK	All
Newsela	Leveled news, primary sources, and more, with standards-aligned formative assessments. Each Newsela text is offered at multiple tiers, for every student, no matter their level. Students can study the same content and learn at their own pace	- Grades 3-12 students create accounts using school Google credentials - Students join the class account with a join code. - Privacy Policy LINK	3-12
Noodletools	A research management platform that supports academic inquiry.	- Student accounts created using their school Google credentials. - Students login using their school Google credentials. - Privacy Policy LINK	7-12
Parchment	Digital and print, transcripts and diplomas, sending and receiving. An innovative solution customized for you whatever your office needs.	- Student accounts created and managed by counselors. - Privacy Policy LINK	11-12
Pay Pam	Convenient and safe place to make school meal and fee payments	- Parents create an account with their child's information - Privacy Policy LINK	All
Pearson Products (Successnet, Realize, and Math XL)	Platform for Pearson Reading, Math, and Science digital textbooks	- Student Accounts are created and managed by the District - Privacy Policy LINK	All
Platform Athletics, LLC (PLT4M)	PLT4M is an educational athletic training software app built for high school coaches & athletes.	- Athletic trainer creates and manages accounts. - COPPA Compliant - Privacy Policy LINK	Athletics

Project Lead the Way Program	Elective curriculum containing 5 programs to create K-12 pathways in computer science, engineering, and biomedical science. Prepares students with the in-demand knowledge and skills they need to thrive in an evolving world.	● Student Accounts created by School ● Canvas LMS utilized with student account information ● Privacy Policy: LINK	PLTW Classes Only (7th - 12th grade PLTW and some PLTW elementary)
Quizlet	Online tool for creating flashcards and practicing those terms through multiple types of activities.	● Students create their own accounts using school Google login credentials ● Student username format: first name last initial and lunch number ● Privacy Policy	5-12
Reflex Math	Adaptive and individualized tool for mastering basic facts in addition, subtraction, multiplication and division for grades 2+.	● District creates accounts ● Privacy Policy	2-6
Renaissance Learning	Educational software and technology to improve student learning in reading ● Accelerated Reader	● Student accounts created and managed by district ● Privacy Policy LINK	K-8
Schoology	Schoology is a social networking service and virtual learning environment for K-12 school and higher education institutions that allows users to create, manage, and share academic content.	● Student Accounts created and managed by District ● Students will access through Clever ● Privacy Policy LINK	K-12
SchoolsPLP	SchoolsPLP is a virtual curriculum purchased by the state to utilize for students that opt for virtual learning.	● Student accounts created and managed by the District ● Privacy Policy	K-12
Seesaw	Student Driven Data Digital Portfolio	● Student Accounts created and managed by District ● Parent access available to view only their child's digital portfolio ● Privacy Policy LINK	Pre-K-4
Shurley	The Shurley Online Service Portal App is the perfect companion to your Shurley English digital text. This app allows existing subscribers to view their Shurley	● Student Accounts created by teacher with first name, last initial	5-6

sim SHURLEY	English materials on their iOS device. The program uses grammar to teach students the structure and design of the English language.	• Privacy Policy LINK	
Smart Music	SmartMusic is a web-based suite of music education tools that support efficient practice, helping musicians to develop and grow.	• Student accounts created and managed by the band director • Privacy Policy LINK	5-8
Socrative	Web-based assessment tool that allows teachers to create quizzes online and deliver with iPads as response devices	• No Student Accounts are created • Teacher creates a room and students join with the PIN • Students do not use full name when entering an activity • Privacy Policy LINK	5-12
Spelling City	Online enrichment strategies for spelling and vocabulary words with grade level lists	• Student accounts created and managed by district • Privacy Policy LINK	K-6
Studies Weekly	Engaging digital textbook with audio, videos, crossword puzzles, quizzes, and tests	• Student Accounts created by district • Privacy Policy LINK	2-6
System 44	Intensive personalized intervention with a supportive learning environment	• Student Accounts created and managed by the District • Privacy Policy LINK	3 EL, 4 EL, and Special Education
TalkingPoints	A messaging application for schools and districts to engage all families through translated messages.	• Student accounts created and managed by the District • Privacy Policy LINK	Pre-K-12
Teaching Strategies Gold	A streamlined, simplified way to conduct accurate, authentic, ongoing assessment of children's development and learning from birth through kindergarten	• Student Accounts created • Privacy Policy LINK	Pre-K
Tinkercad	Tinkercad is a simple, online 3D design and 3D printing program for everyone.	• Student Accounts are managed by the Teacher using Google credentials • Students will join the class with a join code	3-12

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Touching Triton	Touching Triton is an online serious game focused on building understanding of complex disease risk. Risk for common complex diseases, such as colon cancer, age related macular degeneration and heart disease, is influenced by many genetic and environmental factors.	● Teachers create student accounts using only first name and last initial.	9 - 12 Science
Typing Agent	Online keyboarding teaching tool	● Student Accounts created and managed by district ● Privacy Policy LINK	1-6
USA Test Prep	Online review for standardized testing	● Student Accounts created by district ● Privacy Policy LINK	9, 10, 11, 12
Voyager Sopris Learning- We Can	We Can Early Learning Curriculum is a proven Pre-K and early learning solution that prepares all children, ages 3–5, for academic success in kindergarten and beyond. The curriculum also engages children with The Learning Zoo, a web-based program with fun, vibrant, interactive readiness activities.	● Student Accounts created and managed by Pre-K director ● FERPA Compliant ● Privacy Policy LINK	Pre-K