



# Parent Power Up!



Monitoring your child’s assignments and progress in class as well as routinely communicating with his or her teachers will help your child succeed. At Glenridge, we use several tools to communicate information. We’ve made this page to help you get started monitoring your child’s school work.



Sign in to LaunchPad

Start by signing into the OCPS launchpad or “Launch” at [www.launch.ocps.net](http://www.launch.ocps.net). This site has links to the resources students use at school like Canvas and their backpack of online textbooks. Students use their school login information—the same information they use to sign in on their laptops.  
Is there an app? Yes



Visit the school website for information on clubs,

Sign up for the weekly E-mail from Dr. Camacho with  
Is there an app? No



academics, and the school calendar.

subject area updates, service opportunities, and events.

<https://glenridgems.ocps.net/home>

<https://goo.gl/forms/D3sjBS86MYjZ5HnE2>

Is there an app? No

Canvas is the OCPS-adopted Learning Management System and the hub of the digital classroom. Students will visit Canvas to check their calendar for upcoming due dates, access course materials, and submit assignments. Parents can use Canvas to keep up with their child’s calendar and assignments using the Canvas Parent App.

Teachers enter marks through ProgressBook, so parents and guardians can keep track of grades on ParentAccess. In the past, this is where students could check their homework assignments, but students will find this information on the Canvas calendar now.

Information about setting up a Canvas Observer account is on the back of this page.

Parents and students have separate accounts and passwords. Please make sure to use the correct account when you login. Login information is attached to the student schedule, and it can be generated by one of your child’s teachers.

[www.canvas.ocps.net](http://www.canvas.ocps.net)

[www.parentaccess.ocps.net](http://www.parentaccess.ocps.net)

Students use Canvas daily in class. Observers should check Canvas weekly.

Parents and students should check ParentAccess a minimum of once a week.

Is there an app? Yes, there are several. They all use the same icon in different colors. Observers and parents should select the blue icon, and students should select the red one. When configuring the app, you will be prompted to enter the school name. Type “OCPS” instead.

Is there an app? No, but you can sign up for text notifications. Parents, when you sign in, you can use the account settings to set up notifications for missing/late assignments and/or low grades.