

Dear Guardians,

Education doesn't only happen in the classroom, but also at home and in our communities. Our district strives to give families as many opportunities as possible to support their student's educational career. With that in mind, we are excited to introduce a new web service called [OnCourse Connect](#).

This secure website will allow you real-time online access to your child's attendance, homework, grades, discipline incidents, classroom websites, and teacher messages. It will also allow you to make changes in your basic information and update emergency contacts. It is simple to use and can be accessed from any internet-connected computer, or even your smartphone or tablet device, like iPhones, iPads, or Androids!

To login, follow these steps:

From a laptop or desktop computer:

1. Open your web browser and visit <https://gcsd.oncourseconnect.com/>
2. Click in the link for Forgot Password
3. Enter the email address you supplied to your school
4. You will receive an email with your temporary password to sign in
5. Explore! If you need help, click the **User Guide** link in the top-left corner of the screen.

From your smartphone or tablet:

1. Open the device's web browser (Safari, Chrome) and visit <http://mobile.oncourseconnect.com>
2. Click in the link for Forgot Password
3. Enter the email address you supplied to your school
4. You will receive an email with your temporary password to sign in
5. Login with your username/password
6. Tap one of **3 icons** at the bottom of the screen to view the **Welcome Screen, Teacher Messages**, or information about your **Students**, such as absences, grades, discipline, etc.



Parental involvement is a critical factor in student success, and we hope that you will take advantage of this new service to stay informed about your student's progress throughout the year.

If you need any further help or information regarding this resource, please contact us by email at oncourse@gcsd.k12.nj.us. Thank you for your continued support and involvement in your child's education. Only with our continued cooperation can your children be successful for the future.