## **PowerSchool Parent Portal Changes**

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**Please note:** These instructions apply only to parents/guardians. High School and Middle School students will continue to log in with their existing information.

The Shrewsbury Public Schools are enabling a new feature in the PowerSchool Parent Portal that allows each parent/guardian to create their own account that can access information for all of their students. Parents will be able to select their own username and password, and will be able to automatically recover their password if they forget it.

PowerSchool This feature requires that parents complete a **one-time setup** process that will create this new account and associate each of their students' information with this account. After this has been Login completed, parents will be able to see the same information they were able to see before the change. User Name SKIP THIS 1. To begin, go to https://ps.shrewsbury.k12.ma.us SECTION Password On this page, under "Create an Account," click "Create 2. AT FIRST Having trouble logging in? Account.' Submit On the next page, you will need to enter: **Create an Account** Your First Name a. Create a parent/guardian account that allows START you to view all of your students with one login Your Last Name b. account. You can also manage your account HERE references. Learn more Your Email address c. Create Account d. The username you would like to use for PowerSchool (e.g., jsmith) Create Parent/Guardian Account (Please note: Your username ENTER YOUR FIRST NAME cannot be your email address First Name and please only use letters Last Name ENTER YOUR LAST NAME and/or numbers in your Email ENTER YOUR EMAIL ADDRESS username, no spaces or "@") Desired User Name ENTER DESIRED USERNAME (NOT EMAIL ADDR) Password ENTER DESIRED PASSWORD (AT LEAST 6 CHARS) e. The password you would like to Re-enter Password RE-ENTER DESIRED PASSWORD (SAME AS ABOVE) use for PowerSchool (at least 6 characters long). Link Students to Account Enter the Access ID, Access Password, and Relationship for each student you wish to add to your Parent/Guardian Account f. Re-enter the same password Student Name Access ID Access Password Relationship Choose THIS INFORMATION IS IN THE LETTER FOR 2 3 EACH STUDENT AND MUST BE ENTERED 4. Under "Link Students to Account," you 4 **EXACTLY AS SHOWN IN THE LETTER,** will need to enter the information for **INCLUDING UPPER/LOWER CASE** each student you would like to link to your account, exactly as shown in the cover letter of this packet. You will enter SELECT YOUR RELATIONSHIP TO THE STUDENT(S) receive a separate information letter for each student in your family – you can

enter the information for all the students on this one screen:

- Under Student Name, enter the student's first and last name. a.
- Under Access ID, enter the access ID shown in the letter (all uppercase letters) b.
- Under Access Password, enter the access password shown in the letter (all numbers). C.
- d. To the right of each student's information, under Relationship, select who you are in relationship to the student.
- 5. After you have entered the information, **click Enter**. If all of the information was entered correctly, you will see confirmation that your account was set up.

Once you log in with your new account, you will see tabs on the upper left corner (under the PowerSchool logo) with a selection for each student associated with your account. Click on a student's name to see the information for that student.