

The Parent Portal for Blackboard Access

FCPS is pleased to allow parents their own accounts in Blackboard. Now you can see all of your children's classes in Blackboard by using one log on. For instance, if you have two children at Herndon Middle (or any other FCPS school), you can use your own blackboard Parent Portal account to log in and see both of their classroom sites. You no longer have to log in as one child then log in as the other to see what is going on in their classrooms. Additionally, with the Parent Portal, you can update emergency contact information.

To begin using this new access feature in Blackboard, you must go to the FCPS Blackboard web site:

<http://fcps.blackboard.com/webapps/portal/frameset.jsp>

Use the following initial log on information:

Username: parentreg

Password: newuser

Follow the on line instructions for registering yourself. You will be provided a unique registration key. Write down or print off the registration key and bring it to Herndon Middle, where we will verify that you have permission to see your child's information (we still must maintain our kid's safety). Once your ID has been verified, your password will be emailed to the account you specified in the on-line registration process.

We are pleased at how well this feature is being received by parents at Herndon Middle. Should you have any questions, please feel free to contact the school for clarification.