

Dear Parent or Guardian,

I am excited to share that students, families, and teachers throughout FCPS and in our school community will use Schoology (pronounced /SKOO-luh-jee/) as our learning management system beginning Summer/Fall 2021.

Here is what you need to know now:

- Starting in July 2021, we will not use Blackboard 24-7 Learning or Blackboard Collaborate Ultra (BBCU)
- Schoology has a connected web conferencing tool, Zoom
- Schoology works with Google Drive
- You need a SIS/ParentVUE account to login to Schoology: <http://bit.ly/FCPSSIS>
- You can learn more about Schoology: <https://www.fcps.edu/schoology>
- Information about how to login will be shared with you closer to the start of the school year

Schoology is a learning space that enhances communication, collaboration, and personalized learning for students, teachers, and families. As a parent or guardian, you will be able to use Schoology to **view**:

- your child's class
- your child's assignments and participation
- your child's calendar
- teacher comments, scores, and feedback

We are asking that you:

- Make sure you have registered for a SIS/ParentVUE account: <http://bit.ly/FCPSSIS>
- Learn more about Schoology: <https://www.fcps.edu/schoology>
- Look for the next communication about how to login to Schoology

We look forward to using Schoology along with your SIS/ParentVUE account.

Sincerely,