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Student*Access*

Dear Parents,

Mount Pisgah Academy and the Buncombe County Public Library are partnering to support students' ongoing education. We share the belief that a love of books and learning is a strong foundation for student success and we are working together to provide every Mount Pisgah Academy student access to books and resources found at their public library.

Beginning November 1st, 2026, all Mount Pisgah Academy students will be able to use their Student ID number to access and borrow public library books and resources. This initiative is called **Student*Access***.

Question: *How will a student use their student ID account?*
Answer: Students will use their school ID number and PIN to borrow books or access the library's services like e-books and online research. The default PIN is the last 4 digits of the student ID number.

Question: *What can a student do with a student ID account?*
Answer: Student ID accounts allow students to borrow e-resources and access library databases just like any other Buncombe County Public Library card. Students can also borrow up to 10 print or audio books from the Buncombe County Public Library collection.

Question*: Is the student account free?*
Answer: Yes, the student account is free. There are no overdue fines for student accounts, but students are responsible for any fees on lost or damaged books.

Question: *How do I sign my child up for a student ID account?*
Answer: You don't need to take any action to get a student ID account for your child. All Mount Pisgah Academy students will automatically be enrolled in this program.

Question: *What if I don't want my child to have a student ID account?*
Answer: If you do not want your child to have access to library materials, you may opt out. See the back of this document for an opt-out form you can sign and return to your school. Be aware that students who opt out of Student*Access* will not be able to participate in classroom use of library resources unless they have a Buncombe County Public Library card and know the full card number and PIN.

Question: *What if my child already has a Buncombe County Public Library card?*
Answer: Students may have both types of accounts.

For more information, go to bonnie.garland@pisgah.us

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StudentAccess Parent Opt-Out Form

If you want your child to participate in StudentAccess, then you do not need to do anything. Your child will automatically be enrolled.

If you do not want your child to participate, then please complete this parent opt-out form and return it to your child's school.

Child's Name (Please print)

School

Grade

Student ID Number

Parent or Guardian's Name (Print)

Phone Number

By signing this form, I understand my child will not have a student ID library account and PIN to be able to participate in classroom use of library resources.

Parent/Guardian Signature

Date