



## **Frequently Asked Questions:**

**I have more than child at Old St. Mary's, do I need to create multiple accounts for each student?**

No, you need to create one account for yourself, and you can link multiple children to that account, and switch between them. More detailed instructions are available below.

**Will I be able to view my child's standards grades, (4,3,2,1) as seen on report cards?**

No, Old St. Mary's teachers will currently only be using Powerschool to track achievement grades for students (A,B,C..).

**Can I see detailed breakdown of my child's grade in a class?**

Yes, you will be able to view individual assignments and grades as they are posted, as well as the final grade. Teachers may also choose to offer comments about student performance through Powerschool.

**I would like to receive notifications about my child's grade as it is updated, is this possible?**

Yes, you can configure the frequency of emails sent through Powerschool through the Email Notification tab on the left of the screen. By default, the main Powerschool website will not send email notifications. The IOS and Android apps will update frequently with changes, and this too can be configured.

**What are the other tabs on the left of the website for?**

Many of the tabs on the left are settings configured in Powerschool that other schools use for some services, but they are not used by Old St. Mary's. For example, the Schedule, Class Registration and Balance tabs are not being used, and can be ignored. The School Bulletin feature is also currently not being used, and will not replace typical communication from the school to families.