

2024-2025 Guest Worker Handbook

Indian Prairie School District 204 780 Shoreline Drive Aurora, IL 60504

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Information At-A-Glance

For General Questions: Human Resource Department, hr@ipsd.org

For Payroll Questions: Kathryn Barlas, Payroll Specialist, kathryn barlas@ipsd.org

Useful Contacts:

DuPage Regional Office of Education: www.dupageroe.org - 421 N. County Farm Road, Wheaton

Illinois State Board of Education: www.isbe.net

Educator Licensure System: https://www.isbe.net/Pages/Educator-Licensure-Information-System.aspx

Teacher's Retirement System: https://www.trsil.org or 800-877-7896

Disclaimer

This Guest Worker Handbook is for your use as a source of information about Indian Prairie Community Unit School District 204 and your Guest Worker role. Nothing in this handbook creates or is intended to create a contract of employment, either expresses or implied. Nor does the handbook provisions establish an employment relationship where one would not otherwise exist. You are an **at-will** employee or independent contractor of the district and your relationship with the district may be terminated by you or the district at any time, with or without cause.

District Residents and Available Positions

Guest Workers are a valued part of our school community and may also be residents of District 204. It is in the best interest of our students, particularly those in neighborhood schools, that our Guest Workers do not seek or accept assignments in the school(s) in which their own children attend. Thank you for respecting the privacy of our families and your neighbors/friends.

Please note that you are subject to the policies of the district's Board of Education. Some, but not all, of those policies are summarized in the Handbook. If a Board of Education policy and/or applicable law conflicts with a provision in the handbook, the policy and/or law shall control.

The district does not guarantee specific benefits or terms of employment. Board policies, the provisions of this handbook, district benefits, and district procedures may be changed or revoked at any time, without notice to you and without your consent.

Frontline Education (Absence Management and Time & Attendance)

The district uses two programs from Frontline Education, Absence Management and Time & Attendance. These programs are accessed through the Frontline Single Sign On platform. Frontline has recommended that you bookmark their universal URL: https://app.frontlineeducation.com

You will be provided a Frontline ID at the time of hire to use on the SSO platform.

When you're logged in, you can toggle between the different programs by using the top left menu option. It will look something like this:



Requirements to be a Guest Teacher

- 1. Complete an online application.
- 2. Must have a valid Illinois Professional Educator License (PEL), Substitute Teaching License (SUB) or Short-Term Substitute License (STS) registered in DuPage County for the current year.
- 3. Successfully complete a criminal history background investigation.
- 4. Must complete all state mandated training modules by their due dates.
- 5. Read and sign an Acknowledgement of Mandated Reporter Status statement (DCFS).
- 6. Must complete Teacher Retirement System (TRS) enrollment/beneficiary forms.
- 7. Have written evidence of physical fitness (physical exam) and a negative tuberculosis test taken within the last 90 days (See Health Requirements).
- 8. Complete the I-9 Employment Eligibility Verification form.
- 9. Have a current telephone number.
- 10. Provide his/her own transportation.
- 11. Demonstrate flexibility and a dedication to providing instruction.

Requirements to be a Guest Teacher Assistant

- 1. Complete an online application.
- 2. Must have a valid Illinois Educator License with Stipulations (PARA), Professional Educator License (PEL) or Substitute Teacher License (SUB) registered in DuPage County.
- 3. Successfully complete a criminal history background investigation.
- 4. Must complete all state mandated training modules by their due dates.
- 5. Read and sign an Acknowledgement of Mandated Reporter Status statement (DCFS).
- 6. Have written evidence of physical fitness (physical exam) and a negative tuberculosis test taken within the last 90 days (See Health Requirements).
- 7. Complete the I-9 Employment Eligibility Verification form.
- 8. Have a current telephone number.
- 9. Provide his/her own transportation.
- 10. Demonstrate flexibility and a dedication to aiding instruction.

Requirements to be a Clerical Guest Worker

- 1. Complete an online application.
- 2. Successfully complete a criminal history background investigation.
- 3. Must complete all state mandated training modules by their due dates.
- 4. Read and sign an Acknowledgement of Mandated Reporter Status statement (DCFS).
- 5. Have written evidence of physical fitness (physical exam) and a negative tuberculosis test taken within the last 90 days (See Health Requirements).
- 6. Complete the I-9 Employment Eligibility Verification form.
- 7. Have a current telephone number.
- 8. Provide his/her own transportation.
- 9. Demonstrate flexibility and a dedication to providing clerical assistance.

Health Requirements

All Guest Workers working with children in schools in Illinois must have a negative tuberculosis x-ray or skin test. Chest X-rays or skin tests are acceptable. The state also requires that evidence of physical fitness and freedom from communicable disease (a physical examination) is on file with the district. A licensed physician or certified nurse practitioner must perform the physical examination. Once on file, these exams do not need to be repeated.

Blood Borne Pathogens/Mandated State Tutorials

In accordance with the OSHA Blood Borne Pathogens standard, 29CFR 1910.1030, an exposure control plan has been developed for the District. This plan covers all employees who could be in contact with blood and other potentially infectious materials as the result of performing their job duties. All new or returning Guest Workers must complete all mandated tutorials (http://www.gcntraining.com).

Licensure

It is the Guest Teacher's responsibility to keep track of how many days he/she works.

If a Guest Teacher holds a Professional Educator License (PEL), then he/she can work as much as they want, but only for the same teacher for up to 120 days.

If a Guest Teacher holds a Substitute Teacher License (SUB), then he/she can work as much as they want, but only for the same teacher for up to 90 days. A Guest Teacher with a Substitute License is not eligible for long term assignments.

If you need your transcripts translated and evaluated, please use one of the organizations approved by the ISBE: https://www.isbe.net/Documents/foreign-cred-eval-svcs.pdf

Professional Responsibilities of the Guest Worker

All Guest Workers must first report to the **school's main office** to pick up a Guest Worker badge and log themselves into Time & Attendance. Guest Workers should have proper identification (Driver's License, State ID, etc.) available to allow the secretary to process them through the Raptor system.

Guest Teachers are required to complete the work related to the teaching day. This includes but is not limited to the following:

- 1. Carry out the lesson plans left by the teacher.
- 2. Complete the regular assignments of the teacher, including supervision assignments such as: bus duty, hall duty, study hall, and lunchroom/recess duty.
- 3. Be actively engaged with students during your assignment and all other duties as assigned.
- 4. Complete all reports normally required of the regular teacher, including attendance.
- 5. Maintain classroom discipline with exemplary classroom management skills/techniques.
- 6. Whenever possible and with administrative permission, correct papers for assignments given during the stay in the classroom.
- 7. Be ready and willing to work as needed with administrative personnel during free periods. If a Guest Teacher is asked to teach a class or engage in other types of work (supervision, etc.) during the regular teacher's free periods, then do so. No additional pay will be given for working during a regular teacher's free periods.
- 8. Never leave students unattended. A licensed staff member should always be present with students.
- 9. Maintain a high level of integrity regarding confidential information about students, parents, staff, and other school related matters.
- 10. Please do not eat or drink in the classroom. A water bottle is acceptable.
- 11. Personal use of a cell phone or the laptop is not permitted during instructional time. To ensure that students are not disrupted, please turn your cell phone off or to silent.
- 12. Keep your comments professional and appropriate. Avoid discussion of students, teachers, or procedures at other buildings. Share any comments or concerns by using the feedback sheet in Absence Management or talk to an administrator.

If you have questions about any of the above or any other responsibilities, contact the building administrator, student service coordinator, department chairperson, or the HR Department.

Student Classroom Management

The Guest Teacher is responsible for classroom management. Should issues occur that may be disciplinary in nature, immediately obtain the assistance of the principal, assistant principal, or student service coordinator. Please read and follow the classroom management or behavior expectation plan. If no plan is included in the teacher's lesson plans, please ask a fellow teacher and leave a note requesting this be included for future needs.

Student Safety

Each member of the staff is responsible for the safety of students under his/her care. If any child appears to be ill or hurt, contact the nurse's office. Generally, a nurse or health assistant is always on duty at all school levels.

Emergency Procedures in the Building

Guest Workers should take a few minutes to become familiar with the building and the emergency procedures (Fire Drill, Tornado Drill, Lockdown Protocol, and Active Shooter) for the building. If the information cannot be located, please request it from the main office.

Instructions for fire and tornado drill exit procedures are posted near the door of each room. If the class is away from the classroom when the fire alarm sounds, leave the building through the nearest exit, and proceed to a safe distance away from the building.

Appearance

Professional appearance (business casual attire at a minimum) and neat grooming are expected of all Guest Workers in District 204. Inappropriate attire includes but is not limited to low cut pants (includes, shorts and miniskirts), bare midriff shirts (shirts must cover torso), exposed undergarments, and shirts with foul or inappropriate language and/or images.

School Board Policy

Indian Prairie School District 204 policy and Illinois Law states that smoking on district property is not permitted. If you smoke, please use your car, and move it off school grounds. Use of alcohol or drugs on district property is strictly prohibited.

The following Board Policies are available for review in each building's lounge/workroom or on the district web site: www.ipsd.org:

Ethics & Conduct - http://board.ipsd.org/Uploads/Policies/Section%205/5120.pdf
Americans' With Disabilities Act - http://board.ipsd.org/Uploads/Policies/Section%205/5180.pdf
Sexual Harassment - http://board.ipsd.org/Uploads/Policies/Section%205/5180.pdf

Emergency School Closing Information

Check Absence Management

Check the district website: www.ipsd.org

Check local television stations or call the Emergency Closing Center Hotline (312-222-SNOW)

Technology Access

All Guest Workers are provided an IPSD email address and access to the district's network and Single Sign On (SSO) portal. Access to electronic communication and resources comes with responsibility and appropriate use. All staff are required to annually complete the district's mandated technology use tutorial. You will be provided your email address and login credentials at the time of hire.

Change of Personal Information

Update your phone number or email address in Absence Management. Changes in personal information (name or address) should be made with the HR Department or via Skyward Self Service.

Assignment of Guest Workers

Guest Workers are not guaranteed a minimum number of assignments, but every effort is made to distribute assignments evenly. We encourage all workers to complete a minimum of **20** assignments throughout the year. Please make yourself available for a reasonable percentage of placements and if unable to work, it is your responsibility to contact the HR Department. These requests will be reviewed and a final decision regarding your status on the list will be communicated to you.

Procedures for Guest Worker Placements

Assignments are created through Frontline Education's **Absence Management**. The system is available 24 hours a day, 7 days a week via the internet or phone (https://app.frontlineeducation.com OR 1-800-942-3767). Guest Workers can expect a call between 5:00 AM and 11:00 AM and 4:00 PM and 10:00 PM, unless you've changed your call settings. Calls in the morning are for placements for that day only. In special cases, Guest Workers are called during school hours for assignments for that day. Assignments are not guaranteed and are based on the needs of the building.

If you are going to be unavailable for an extended period, please indicate that in your Absence Management Interactive Calendar.

Cancellations are made through Absence Management unless you are within one (1) hour of your reporting time. You will need to contact the appropriate building secretary in addition to logging into Absence Management to cancel the assignment. Guest Workers canceling at the last minute will result in Absence Management blocking viewing access for any other open assignments for that day. Phone numbers of the buildings are located at the end of this handbook as well as available on our website. Should you become ill and cannot finish an assignment, contact the building administrator/secretary immediately so that a new Guest Worker can be obtained. Please do not leave your assignment without notifying the appropriate school personnel.

Assignment to Regular Teaching Status

To be considered as a long-term substitute teacher or hired as a licensed teacher, you must have an Illinois Professional Educator License (PEL). Each year several Guest Workers are employed for long-term assignments or as full-time teachers. If a Guest Worker wishes to be considered for leave of absence assignments or permanent positions, please complete an online application for that vacancy or contact the building administrator.

Removal from the Guest Worker Roster

Guest Workers may be removed from the Guest Worker roster due to inactivity (lack of substituting), at their own request, or upon request(s) from several building administrators. Removal may be **temporary or permanent**. The HR Department will make and communicate the final decision.

Compensation & Benefits

Guest Teachers are paid \$126/day Guest Teaching Assistants are paid \$16.48/hour Clerical Guest Workers are paid \$19.06/hour

Dedicated Building Subs are paid \$185/day
Long Term Substitutes (covering for the same teacher for an extended period) are paid \$300/day

Retired 204 staff
Teachers are paid \$300/day
Assistants are paid \$17.74 or rate at retirement
Secretaries are paid \$20.62 or rate at retirement

All Guest Teachers contribute to TRS rather than FICA. For more information regarding the specifics of these retirement plans, please contact https://www.trsil.org or www.socialsecurity.gov.

A Guest Teacher who reports to a building as directed for a teaching assignment and upon arrival is made aware that the assignment has changed, is then expected to take the changed assignment. If you choose to decline the new assignment you will not be paid. If you arrive at a building and no assignment is available due to building and/or scheduling error, you will be paid for no less than one hour of work. The HR Department reserves the right to determine pay for any assignment disputes.

Guest Teaching Assistants will be paid for one hour of work due to scheduling and/or building errors.

Our Guest Teachers generally work full or half day assignments. If they work less than a full day but more than a ½ day, they will be paid for the hours they work. If they work less than a ½ day, they will be paid for the hours they work.

Guest Workers who accept an assignment for a staff member that works at multiple buildings may be entitled to mileage reimbursement if travelling to multiple buildings on the same day for that employee's absence. If approved for reimbursement, mileage reimbursement will only be for the distance to and from each school. The Mileage Reimbursement Form is available at each school and should be submitted to the secretary at the end of the assignment that day.

Guest Workers may be covered under workers compensation insurance for any injury sustained in the normal course of school duties. Please report an injury to the building administrator and complete an Accident Report Form with the nurse on the same day as the accident occurs.

The district encourages all Guest Workers to enroll in direct deposit. Fringe benefits are not available to Guest Workers.

Recording Time

Timecards are automatically generated through Frontline Education's **Time & Attendance** when you accept an assignment in **Absence Management**. You are required to clock in and out of each assignment. Your pay is based on this. You can clock in and out through the timeclock at each school or directly through the Frontline Single Sign On portal.

Timekeeping Options	Your Process
Laptop	Type in your Time & Attendance
(in the main office or school	User ID and Pin
lounge)	
Mounted Wall Clock	Type in your Time & Attendance
	User ID and Pin
Website Login	Log into the Frontline Insights
	Platform:
	https://app.frontlineeducation.com
	Select your role and click the Time
	Clock icon.

Your Time & Attendance User ID and Pin will be provided to you at the time of hire.

Pay Dates

Pay dates are on the 15th and the last day of the month. If either of those should fall on a weekend, you will be paid on the last workday before. Pay is for the time worked in the previous pay period. For example, if you work from January 1-15, you are paid for those days on January 31. Please remember to log yourself into Time & Attendance and keep a record of the days you worked. If there are questions regarding a paycheck, please contact Kathryn Barlas (630-375-3773) in the Payroll Department.

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Work Hours

Clerical Guest Worker hours will vary based on the hours of the permanent employee in that position.

Prairie Children Preschool

Guest Teacher Hours:	Guest Teacher Assistant Hours:
7:30 - 3:05 - All day	7:30 - 3:00 - All day
7:30 – 11:00 – AM half-day	7:30 - 11:00 - AM half day
11:00 – 3:05 – PM half-day	11:30 – 3:00 – PM half day

Elementary Schools

Guest Teachers	s Hours:	Guest Teacher	<u>Assistant</u> Hours:
8:15-3:50	All day	8:20-3:50	All day
8:15-12:00	AM half day	8:20-12:05	AM half day
12:00 - 3:50	PM half day	12:05 - 3:50	PM half day

Middle Schools Guest Teacher Hours 7:30 – 3:05 All day 7:30 – 11:15 AM half day 11:15 – 3:05 PM half day	Guest Teacher 7:35 – 3:05 7:35 – 11:20 11:20 – 3:05	Assistant Hours All day AM half day PM half day	
High Schools and Transition Program Guest Teacher Hours 7:10-2:45 All day 7:10-10:55 AM half day 10:55-2:45 PM half day	Guest Teacher 7:10-2:40 7:10-10:55 10:55-2:40	Assistant Hours All day AM half day PM half day	
Wheatland - Gail McKinzie High School Guest Teacher Hours 7:25-2:55 All day 7:25-11:10 AM half day 11:10-3:00 PM half day	7:25-2:55 7:25-11:10 11:10-2:55	Assistant Hours All day AM half day PM half day	
List of Schools & Contact In	formation	1	
Administrative Office Crouse Education Center 780 Shoreline Drive, Aurora, IL 60504			375-3000
Early Childhood Prairie Children Preschool – Crouse 780 Shoreline Drive, Aurora, IL 60504 (Please & Sally Osborne – Principal			375-3030
Elementary Schools Brookdale Elementary School 1200 Redfield Road, Naperville, IL 60563 Keeley Schmid – Principal			428-6800
Gwendolyn <u>Brooks</u> Elementary Sch 2700 Stonebridge Boulevard, Aurora, IL 60504 Carol Betzold – Principal	ool		375-3200
Wayne <u>Builta</u> Elementary School 1835 Apple Valley Road, Bolingbrook, IL 6049 Adrienne Morgan – Principal	00		226-4400
Robert E. <u>Clow</u> Elementary School 1301 Springdale Circle, Naperville, IL 60564 Katherine Bennett – Principal			428-6060
Mary Lou <u>Cowlishaw</u> Elementary S 1212 Sanctuary Lane, Naperville, IL 60540 Carlos Azcoitia – Principal	school		428-6100

Fry Elementary School 3204 Tallgrass Drive, Naperville, IL 60564 Laurel Hillman – Principal	428-7400
Georgetown Elementary School 995 Long Grove Drive, Aurora, IL 60504 Jill Keller – Principal	375-3456
Peter M. Gombert Elementary School 2707 Ridge Road, Aurora, IL 60504 Jeremy Ricken – Principal	375-3700
V. Blanche <u>Graham</u> Elementary School 2315 High Meadow Road, Naperville, IL 60564 Rachel Witkowski – Principal	428-6900
Oliver Julian <u>Kendall</u> Elementary School 2408 Meadow Lakes Drive, Naperville, IL 60564 Breah Jerger – Principal	428-7100
Longwood Elementary School 30W240 Bruce Lane, Naperville, IL 60563 Michael Zeman – Principal	428-6789
May Watts Elementary School 800 Whispering Hills Drive, Naperville, IL 60540 Kaitlyn Kempski – Principal	428-6700
McCarty Elementary School 3000 Village Green Drive, Aurora, IL 60504 Sherry Fredericks – Principal	375-3400
Owen Elementary School 1560 West Glen Drive Naperville, IL 60565 Heather Whisler – Principal	428-7300
Patterson Elementary School 3731 Lawrence Drive, Naperville, IL 60564 Michelle Hebenstreit – Principal	428-6500
Peterson Elementary School 4008 Chinaberry Lane, Naperville, IL 60564 Allison Landstrom – Principal	428-5678
Reba O. <u>Steck</u> Elementary School 460 Inverness Drive, Aurora, IL 60504 Elizabeth Pohlmann – Principal	375-3500
Spring Brook Elementary School 2700 Seiler Drive, Naperville, IL 60565 David Worst – Principal	428-6600

Arlene Welch Elementary School 2620 Leverenz Road, Naperville, IL 60564 Sarah Nowak– Principal	428-7200
White Eagle Elementary School 1585 White Eagle Drive, Naperville, IL 60564 Tarah Fowler – Principal	375-3600
Nancy Young Elementary School 800 Asbury Drive, Aurora, IL 60504 Erin Rodriguez – Principal	375-3800
Middle Schools	
Clifford <u>Crone</u> Middle School 4020 111 th Street, Naperville, IL 60564 Melissa Couch – Principal Molly Larson – Assistant Principal Adam Chorba – Assistant Principal	428-5600
Gregory <u>Fischer</u> Middle School 1305 Long Grove Drive, Aurora, IL 60504 Kevin Schnable – Principal Courtney DiFiore – Assistant Principal Chris Malveaux – Assistant Principal	375-3100
Francis <u>Granger</u> Middle School 2721 Stonebridge Blvd., Aurora, IL 60504 Allan Davenport – Principal Amanda Adams – Assistant Principal Rachael Zozulia – Assistant Principal	375-1010
Gordon Gregory Middle School 2621 Springdale Circle, Naperville, IL 60564 Leslie Mitchell – Principal Patrick C. Raleigh – Assistant Principal Jennifer Wikoff – Assistant Principal	428-6300
Thayer J. Hill Middle School 1836 Brookdale Road, Naperville, IL 60563 TBD- Principal Tim Lowe - Assistant Principal Yoshakia Oden - Assistant Principal	428-6200
Thomas G. Scullen Middle School 2815 Mistflower Lane, Naperville, IL 60564 Scott Loughrige – Principal Tandalaya White – Assistant Principal Milton Harmon – Assistant Principal	428-7000

Jeffrey C. Still Middle School

787 Meadowridge Drive, Aurora, IL 60504 375-3900

Kimberly Cornish - Principal

Patricia Brand – Assistant Principal

Ryan Shershen – Assistant Principal

High Schools

Metea Valley High School 375-5900

 $1801\ \mathrm{N.}$ Eola Rd, Aurora, IL 60502

Daniel DeBruycker - Principal

Rodney Jones – Assistant Principal

Quynh Harvey - Assistant Principal

Laura James-Schrader – Assistant Principal

Neuqua Valley High School

2360 95th Street, Naperville, IL 60564 428-6000

Lance Fuhrer - Principal

Kerry Cahill – Assistant Principal

Melissa Wilson – Assistant Principal

Michael O'Toole – Assistant Principal

Neuqua Valley High School (Birkett Freshman Center)

2720 95th Street, Naperville, IL 60564 428-6400

David Perry – Assistant Principal

Waubonsie Valley High School

2590 Route 34, Aurora, IL 60504 375-3300

Jason Stipp – Principal

Ryan VanKampen – Assistant Principal

Montrine Johnson – Assistant Principal

Jason Schmidtgall – Assistant Principal

Additional Facilities

STEPS Transition

The STEPS program is currently based at the Neuqua Valley High School (Birkett Freshman Center). It will be relocating during the 2022-2023 school year to 387 Shuman Blvd, Naperville, IL 60563 Kimberly Maloney – Principal

Wheatland- Gail McKinzie High School

3003 W 103rd Street 375-3375

LaTanya Harris – Principal



Indian Prairie Community Unit School District 204 School Calendar 2024-2025

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Date(s)	Description
08/19/24 - 08/20/24	Institute Days
08/21/24	Teacher Work Day
08/22/24	School Begins
09/02/24	NO SCHOOL Labor Day
10/14/24	NO SCHOOL Columbus Day/Indigenous Peoples' Day
10/25/24	End of Quarter
11/04/24	NO SCHOOL Institute Day
11/05/24	NO SCHOOL Election Day
11/21/24	Parent/Teacher Conferences (4:30 PM - 8:00 PM)
11/25/24	NO SCHOOL Parent/Teacher Conferences (8:00 AM - 3:00 PM & 4:30 PM - 8:00 PM)
11/26/24 - 11/29/24	NO SCHOOL Thanksgiving Break
12/23/24 - 01/03/25	NO SCHOOL Winter Break
01/06/25	School Resumes
01/10/25	End of Semester
01/13/25	NO SCHOOL Teacher Work Day
01/20/25	NO SCHOOL Martin Luther King, Jr. Day
02/17/25	NO SCHOOL Presidents' Day
02/27/25	NO SCHOOL Parent/Teacher Conferences (1:00 PM - 8:00 PM)
02/28/25	NO SCHOOL Institute Day
03/21/25	End of Quarter
03/31/25 - 04/04/25	NO SCHOOL Spring Break
04/18/25	NO SCHOOL
05/02/25	NO SCHOOL SIP
05/26/25	NO SCHOOL Memorial Day
06/03/25	Last Day of School (TENTATIVE) & End of Semester
06/04/25	NO SCHOOL Teacher Work Day (TENTATIVE)
06/04/25 - 06/10/25	Emergency Days (if needed)
06/11/25	Last Possible Teacher Work Day
	Approved by the Poord on 2/6/22

Approved by the Board on 2/6/23

NOTE REGARDING EMERGENCY DAYS:

For students, the official school year ends at the conclusion of the last emergency day on the calendar. No planned absences, for any reason, should be scheduled until after the last Emergency Day. For staff, the official school year ends one day after the last emergency day on the calendar.

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E	Emergency Days					

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INDIAN PRAIRIE SCHOOL DISTRICT 204

Please be sure to have your speakers turned on.

TYPE www.gcntraining.com into your browser's address bar and Press Enter

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LOGIN TO VIEW TRAINING

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If you have already created an account with GCN, select: I already have an account Press Next >>



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Locate your Account by completing the Required fields. If prompted: Enter your Preferred Personal ID



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Enter your Personal ID If you've forgotten your PID, Press I Don't Know My Personal ID



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If prompted, complete the Personal Information fields. (* indicates Required Fields) Press Submit



The tutorials available to you are listed to the left. Choose a tutorial by pressing VIEW



The tutorial will begin with an Instructions slide that will explain the many buttons on this page.





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After you complete a tutorial, return to the Main Menu to Print your Certificate of Completion* *SAVE SOME PAPER -- Wait until you complete the last of your tutorials before printing your Certificate. They're all printed on a single page.

Skyward Employee Access – Overview

Skyward's Employee Access portal allows you to view and print a pay stub, view and print a W-2, review your assignment details, and update your contact information.

How do I get to Skyward Employee Access?

- Log into the IPSD Single Sign On portal (SSO): https://sso.ipsd.org
- Click the **Skyward** icon
- Please be aware that some features of Employee Access may not be supported on mobile devices

What is my Username & Password?

- Skyward is linked to your login/password from the IPSD Single Sign-On (SSO). No separate credentials are needed to use Employee Access.
- If you have forgotten your login credentials to the SSO and are experiencing access issues, please contact support@ipsd.org for assistance.

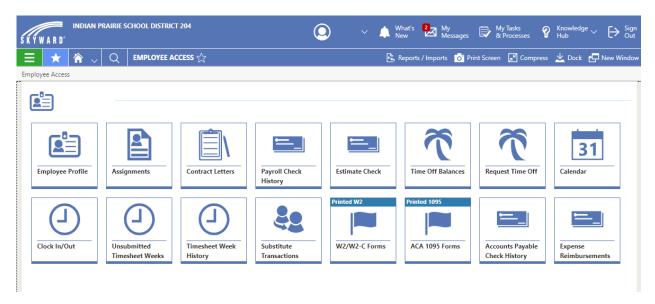


Please remember to CLOSE Employee Access and SIGN OUT from the SSO when leaving your computer.

Navigating Employee Access

Below is a snapshot of the Dashboard in Employee Access – this is your starting point when logging into Skyward. You may choose to utilize the tiles on your Dashboard to easily access your information.

If you choose to click on the green Menu button (\equiv), you can also access the functions in Employee Access. This simply condenses the titles into list form for navigation.



Reviewing Your Profile Information

In Employee Access, you can view your personal and Assignment information by selecting the **Employee Profile** tile. Alternatively, you can navigate to the Menu (\equiv) > Employee Access > Employee and select Employee Profile under Features.

Under the **Employee Detail**s heading, you can view your name, address, phone number, email address, employee ID number, and your latest hire date. If your details are incorrect, please contact hr@ipsd.org for further assistance.

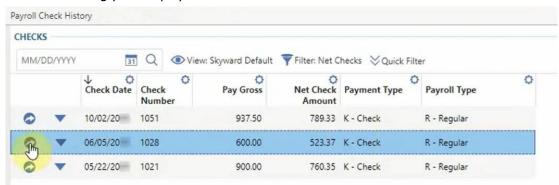
Under the **Assignment Details** heading, you can view your Position, Assignment, Building, Calendar Start Date, Calendar End Date, Pay Amount, and Percent Employed for each assignment. You can click on **Open Details** to view the details of each assignment such as pay information (hourly rate or salary) and stipends.



Reviewing Your Pay History

In the Payroll area of Employee Access, you are able to view your payroll check history. This area of the software gives you access to any checks you have received while working in the district. Please note, nothing will display in the Payroll Check History screen if you have not received at least one payroll payment, as information only displays when a payroll run has been completed.

- To view your pay stubs, please select the **Payroll Check History** tile. Alternatively, you can view your payroll check history by navigating to Menu (≡) > Employee Access > Payroll and then selecting **Payroll Check History** under Features.
- 2. You will see the Payroll Check History screen, which displays a list of payroll checks that you have received during your employment in the district.



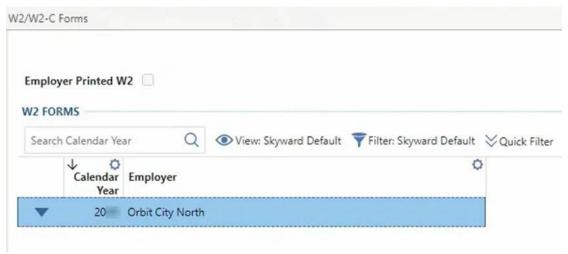
- 3. Click the Open Row icon to the left of the check you wish to view details for. You will see the Check Summary screen, which displays information about pay, deductions, and benefits transactions.
- 4. If you wish to print a pay stub to view additional details, you can click on the ▼ icon to the left of the desired Check Transaction and select **Wage Statement (Employee Access)** from the drop-down menu to generate the report. No further steps are required.



Accessing W2 Information

In the Payroll area of Employee Access, you are able to view and print your W2 data for each calendar year you have been employed. Please note, you will not be able to view your W2 data until Payroll has completed W2 processing for the calendar year.

- 1. To your W2, please select the **W2/W2-C Forms** tile. Alternatively, you can navigate to the Menu (≡) > Employee Access > Payroll and then select **W2/W2-C Forms** under Features.
 - a. A Printed or Electronic banner will display at the top of the tile to indicate whether the form is printed by Payroll.
- 2. You will see the W2/W2-C Forms screen, which lists W2 and W2-C data for each calendar year you have been employed in the district.



- 3. Click on the vicon to the left of the W2 year you wish to print. You will select one of the options from the drop-down menu to print your W2 form.
 - a. **Print Masked SSN:** selecting this option generates a PDF copy of the W2 form that has the first five digits of your social security number masked.
 - b. **Print Full SSN:** selecting this option generates a PDF copy of the W2 form that displays your full social security number.
- 4. Once a selection has been made, you will be required to enter your SSN to authenticate the request as the W2 form contains confidential information.
 - a. **NOTE:** The social security number you enter must match the social security number on your Employee Profile. If the numbers do not match, you will not be able to proceed to the next screen. If this error occurs, please contact hr@ipsd.org to correct your information.
- 5. Click **Next** near the top left of the screen you will see the Print W2 confirmation screen.
- 6. Select **Print W2 PDF** near the top left of the screen and the PDF will generate for you to print.