

Glenns Ferry School District #192

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*IMPORTANT INFORMATION REGARDING NATIONWIDE POWERSCHOOL CYBERSECURITY INCIDENT

Dear Parents and Guardians,

We want to inform you that PowerSchool recently notified our Administration about a cybersecurity incident affecting thousands of organizations worldwide, including Glenns Ferry School District. Our Technology Department has been actively involved in updates and communications regarding this incident since they were notified.

PowerSchool is a widely used platform for managing student records, including attendance, grades, and other educational information. The data accessed in this incident includes student demographic information and Teacher data, such as names, dates of birth, email addresses, and phone numbers.

Here are some things to remember:

- NO SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBERS STORED: Glenns Ferry School District does not store Student Social Security numbers in PowerSchool.
- SECURITY MEASURES IN PLACE: PowerSchool is actively investigating the breach, has secured the compromised data, and is working to ensure the system is fully protected.
- NATIONAL INCIDENT: This breach occurred on the vendor's platform, not at the local level, and has impacted clients nationwide.
- PRIVACY IS OUR PRIORITY: The privacy and safety of our students and staff are of the utmost importance to us.
 We understand the concerns this situation may raise and appreciate your patience as we work through it.

PowerSchool has posted its Notice of Data Breach for Individuals in the United States to share some important information regarding the recent cybersecurity incident involving personal information belonging to current or former students and teachers of schools and districts like Glenns Ferry School District that us or used software called PowerSchool Student Information System (SIS). https://www.powerschool.com/security/sis-incident/notice-of-united-states-data-breach/. The PowerSchool Notice contains important instructions regarding enrolling in two year of complimentary identity protection services through Experian.

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