Parent Buzz



Information 2-23

Parent Buzz Demonstration

After this presentation you should:

- Know how to access RDS/Buzz
- Understand the key features of the observer account
- Understand the relationship between the RDS views and the Buzz views
- Realize the information that Buzz can provide for parents and students.

Parent Buzz Demonstration







https://intranet.cps.k12.in.us/rdsparentaccess/

You should now be at this screen and ready to enter your username and password.

RDS² parent access

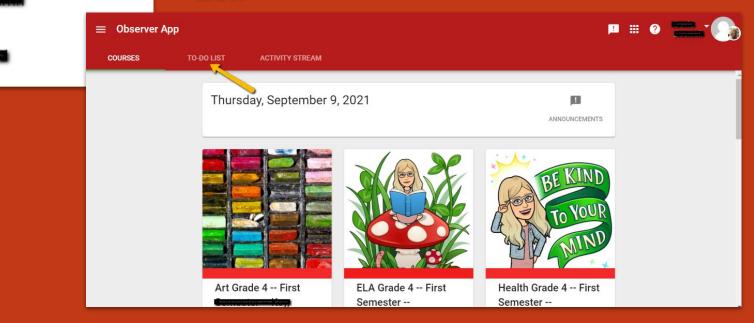
Username	If you do not have a user name and password, you can use your activation code to create a new account here. If y have more than one activation code, you may enter them after you create your account.					
Password	Be sure to type your Activation Code EXACTLY as it appears.					
Login *Case-sensitive	Activation Code					
Forgot your password?		Create Account				

After entering your username and password, you can click *Login* or press the *Enter* key on your keyboard.

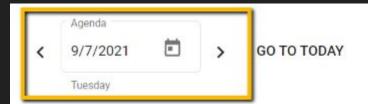
First, select a student.

Choose a student to observe

You will then see your student's home screen. An easy way to find missing assignments is to view the overall To-Do List.



Agendas



- 1. Go through Mini-Lesson: What's an Inference?
- 2. Complete Inferring with Mini-Mysteries Skills Builder
- 3. If time permits, play Quizizz

Today's Target: Draw inferences from the text through strong and supportive textual evidence.

Agendas are the most common way that teachers communicate their daily/weekly activities with students. They show up on the course home screen and will be open to the day. You can also click back to the Calendar window to see past communication.

Communicating with Teachers





DISTRICT SCHOOLS V

Crown Point High School Col. Wheeler Middle School

Taft Middle School

Eisenhower Elementary

Jerry Ross Elementary

Lake Street Elementary

MacArthur Elementary

Solon Robinson Elementary Timothy Ball Elementary

Winfield Elementary

Bulldog Buddies English >



Parents can also communicate with teachers via email or by phone. If you communicate via email, you can start on the CPCSC District website and navigate to your child's school site.

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Parents & Students	Staff directory			
Guidance	School Safety			
Extracurriculars				
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Athletics				

Buzz Verification Process

All Parents and students needs to verify their email accounts in Buzz.

Please watch this brief <u>how to Verify in Buzz</u> <u>screencast</u> and complete this process.



Troubleshooting

Some troubleshooting tips:

- We recommend using Chrome for the best user experience.
- Be sure to always log off of Buzz when you are done using it, especially if other family members log into Buzz on that same device.

• If Buzz seems to take a long time to load, consider clearing your browsing history, closing the browser, restarting the browser, logging into RDS, and clicking Buzz once again.

Gradebook

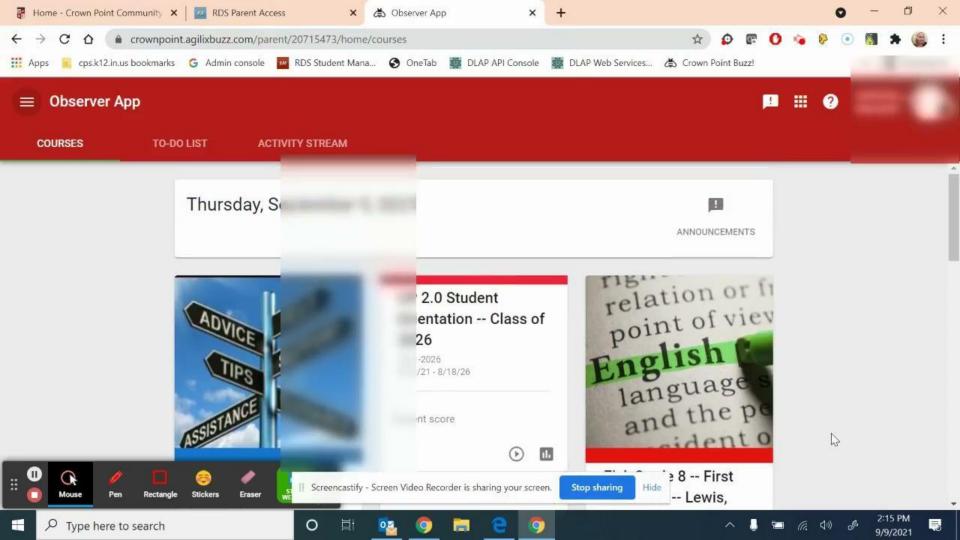


Observation and Inference Notes	Scientifc Inquiry > Notes	100)% A+	~	Aug 31, 2021	Sep 1, 2021
Doodle Notes - Scientific Method/Variables	Scientifc Inquiry > Notes			Sep 9, 2021	Sep 13, 2021	
Science Skills Task Cards	Scientifc Inquiry > Activites	tifc Inquiry > Activites 100% A+		t to be]	Sep 7, 2021
Observations and Inferences- Goat by the Water	Scientifc Inquiry > Activites	100		ed or not ubmitted.	Sep 3, 2021	Sep 9, 2021
Science Skills Review	Scientifc Inquiry > Activites	100% A+		~	Sep 7, 2021	Sep 8, 2021
Rainbow Lab	Scientifc Inquiry > Labs	100% A+		√□	Feedback given to student.	Sep 3, 2021
Check Point: Science Skills	Scientifc Inquiry > Assessments	80% B-		~	Sep 8, 2021	Sep 9, 2021
How Stress Affects Your BrainVideo and Questions	1st Nine Weeks > Unit #1- Dimensions of Health > Dimensions of Health	5/5 100% A+ Student can resubmit if		~	Sep 8, 2021	Sep 10, 2021
Health Related Question	1st Nine Weeks > Unit #1- Dimensions of Health > Dimensions of Health	4/5 80% B-	they see this symbol.	~5		Aug 27, 2021

Want More Details?

View the video on the next slide for a screencast of a live demonstration of logging in and navigating Buzz.





Thank You!

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