

Hamburg School parents, students gain online access to student performance

Pearson Education Inc. announced that Hamburg School has launched the parent and student access portal for its PowerSchool Premier Web-based student information system.

Pearson's PowerSchool Premier serves as a centralized database for the Hamburg School, enabling seamless integration of student demographics, online attendance, gradebook, reporting and online access for parents and students.

The Hamburg School selected Pearson's PowerSchool Premier as its comprehensive SIS based on the solution's ability to provide a flexible, one hundred percent Web-based system to improve efficiency in the collection and analysis of student data and increase communication between home and school.

"The Hamburg School recognizes the importance of engaging parents early and often in their child's education and

increasing the opportunities for a collaborative dialogue between school and home," said Mary McCaffrey, president of the School Systems group of Pearson.

"Pearson is proud to provide the right solution in PowerSchool Premier's parent and student portal. PowerSchool Premier allows for access to real-time information, such as grades and attendance, through the parent and student portal and enhances school-wide communication and teacher workflow throughout the school."

PowerSchool Premier serves as the information backbone for the Hamburg School.

Through its set of communications tools, PowerSchool Premier provides access to secure, real-time student information through a web browser – effectively creating an interactive dialogue between parents, students, and teachers. Additional benefits, such as master scheduling and reporting capabilities, lend substantial efficiencies to the school.

"At Hamburg School, we believe that parents are partners in the educational process, and therefore, it's our hope that through the launch of the PowerSchool Premier's parent and student portal we will foster increased, open communication between home and school," said Louise Murphy, PowerSchool coordinator, the Hamburg School.

"Our experience with Pearson has been very rewarding. Customer service is paramount and we are confident that PowerSchool Premier is the best student information system available today."

Hamburg School began its engagement with Pearson in the 2006-2007 school year with the implementation of PowerSchool Premier.



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